

"It is Well" from "Hymns with Style" arr. Jerry Ray; Cathy Wilson, piano (used with permission OneLicense 735809-A)  
 Post "Crown Him with Many Crowns" from "Hymns with Style" arr. Jerry Ray, Cathy Wilson, piano. (used with permission OneLicense 735809-A)

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*Many thanks to our chamber choir: Harriet McDonald, Elaine Bryan, Warren Way and Richard Butler*

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### **HPC Session Highlights**

**July 28, 2020**

\*Received report from Highland Learning Center Board chair, Ginny Breece, that the learning center continues to operate with 91 children and hoping to add more from the waiting list; have had no cases of COVID-19; the Early Childhood Division of the NC Department of Education are paying parents' subsidies and are sending sanitizing supplies and masks for the children; will be adding some sun tarps on the playground.

\*Received the notification that Skipper and Irma Smith have united with Snyder Memorial Baptist and would be removed from HPC rolls.

\*Approved the request from Carmen Parnell Mines and Daniel Mines to have their child, Charlie Mines, baptized at Highland.

\*Approved the second reading of changes in the Manual of Administrative Operations to stipulate the minimum notification for Congregational Meetings and the responsibilities of the treasurer of the Session and the Corporation.

\*Received report from the Sound Subcommittee that the installation of the new sound system was almost finished and the video projection system would be installed as soon as the asbestos was remediated in the ceiling.

\*Came to a consensus that Highland should begin with one Sunday morning service when reopening for in-person worship.

\*Approved the reopening of Highland for in-person Sunday morning worship services to be guided by the NC COVID-19 Phase 3 guidelines.



## Highland Presbyterian Church

Order of Worship for our  
Virtual Service

Weekend of August 2, 2020

111 Highland Avenue  
Fayetteville, NC 28305

**Prelude** “Jesus Loves Me” Cathy Wilson, piano

**Welcome and Call to Worship**

We come here to draw water  
**Thirsty for new life.**

We come here to draw water

**Bringing our past and our present, our messy  
 truth and our deepest scars.**

We come here to draw water

**Carrying shame, and in need of grace.**

Fortunately for us, God always meets us at the well.

So breathe deeply and drink up.

**God is here. The water is clean. Let us worship God.**

**Opening Prayer and Lord’s Prayer**

**Hymn #322** “Spirit of the Living God”

**Call to Confession**

**Prayer of Confession**

Like the woman at the well, we so often are unraveled by shame. We carry shame for broken relationships. We carry shame for being unable to balance work and parenting, tithing and bills, productivity and Sabbath. We get stuck in a comparison game and in critical self-monologues. Consumed with the nagging feeling that we should be able to do more. Forgive us for forgetting that we are made in your image. Forgive us for forgetting that you see us and love us as we are. Unravel the shame that unravels us. Gratefully we pray. Amen.

**Assurance of Pardon**

**Children’s Moment**

Jen Jammer

**Offering Song** “It Is Well” from “Hymns with Style”

Cathy Wilson, piano

**Gospel Reading** John 4:1-29

**Message** Unraveled, week 8: “The Samaritan Woman at the Well (Unraveled Shame)” Rev. Chip Stapleton

**Affirmation of Faith Apostles’ Creed**

*I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell. The third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.*

**Hymn #466** “O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing”

**Benediction**

**Postlude** “Crown Him with Many Crowns”

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