

May 8, 2022

9:00 AM In Person

11:10 AM In Person & Online





Rev. John Hage—senior pastor
Rev. Carolyn Helms—transitional associate pastor
Kelli Garbett—director of children and their families
John Tyson—director of music ministries
Austin Vernon—director of discipleship and missions

Fourth Sunday of Easter May 8, 2022

## **Gathering**

**Prelude** 

**Ritual of Friendship** The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

And also with you.

**News of the Church Alive** 

John Hage, Senior Pastor

### The Praise of God

**+Call to Worship** Our souls long for you O God;

where are you?

In raging wind? In trembling earth? In blazing flames? Our souls long for you, O God; where are you?

Meet us once more, O God, in stillness, in silence, in smallness.

Come now, O God, enter our hearts and minds, present now for you.

Let us worship almighty God.

**+Hymn 1** "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty"

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# Confessing

**Call to Confession** 

Austin Vernon, Director of Discipleship and Missions

**Prayer of Confession** 

God of Grace, forgive us in your infinite love, and teach us to welcome all of your children until our hospitality is as wide as your mercy. Help us to understand others as we wish to be understood. Guide us to love one another as you love us. Amen.

Kyrie 551



Cantor to sing first. Congregation on repeat.

**Assurance of Pardon** 

**Congregational Response** 

"We Are Forgiven"

Hal H. Hopson, 1995

We are forgiven. We are forgiven. Thanks be to God. Thanks be to God. (repeat)

## The Proclamation of the Word

Anthem "Didn't My Lord Deliver Daniel"

Roger Emerson

The Chancel Choir

Moment with Children

Kelli Garbett, *Director of Children and their Families*Children three to second grade may depart for Kids worship

**Song of Illumination** 

"Spirit of the Living God"

LIVING GOD

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. Melt me; mold me; fill me; use me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

**Scripture Lesson** 

1 Kings 19:8-12 Psalm 46:10

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Listen Again

John Hage, Senior Pastor

+Hymn 726

"Will You Come and Follow Me?"

**KELVINGROVE** 

Vs. 1, 2, 4-5

# Responding

+Affirmation of Faith

The 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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on 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 Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

+Gloria

"Gloria Patri"

**GREATOREX** 

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be; world without end. Amen. Amen.

Prayers of the People

Carolyn Helms, Transitional Associate Pastor

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory

"I Am Not Alone"

Sherman

OLD HUNDREDTH

**Small Ensemble** 

+Presentation of Gifts

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Christ, all people here below;
Praise Holy Spirit evermore;

Praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.

**Prayer of Thanksgiving** 

(9:00) Charlene Kinelski (11:10) Chris Jordan

# Departing -

+Hymn 543

"God, Be the Love to Search and Keep Me"

GREEN TYLER

Vs. 1, 4-5

Benediction

+Choral Response

"God Be With You Till We Meet Again"

**GOD BE WITH YOU** 

**Postlude** 

A moment of silence followed by three chimes, signifying the Trinity, concludes Worship.

### **Announcements**

Church Barbecue: Register for the Church Barbecue here: brownsonchurch.org/registration. It will be a fun afternoon of connection with your church family.

**NYC Choir Concert:** May 15—the choirs participating in the Carnegie Hall performance will offer a concert in the Sanctuary on Sunday, May 15 at 4

Church Retreat: Brownson is hard at work planning a weekend away for our church family. We invite you to join us as an individual or bring the entire family for a fun weekend at Camp Caraway. Faith and fellowship, just one hour away and a two night stay. All meals are included with hotel-style accommodations. Fun activities for people of all ages and an intergenerational worship on Sunday morning. To register visit: brownsonchurch.org/ registration or call the church office.

PW Gathering: All women are invited to attend the Presbyterian Women's program meeting on Monday, May 16, 2022 in the Sanctuary. Registration begins at 10:30 AM in the Narthex and the program begins at 11:00 AM. The program will include the announcement of the 2022 PW Honorary Life Award and the installation of the PW Coordinating Team for 2022-2023.

### **Ways to Connect**

#### **Brownson Connects:**

The Ligon Bible Class- This class is participating in the Lenten Study. Join us in Conference Room B at 10 AM.

The Living Word Today (hybrid) – This class discusses current events through the lens of our Christian faith, using The Wired Word curriculum. Join us in Conference Room A or on Zoom at 10 AM. Meeting ID: 815 7201 6346, Passcode: 058642.

**Donuts and Devotionals** – Bring your coffee and donuts to Conference Room C at 10 AM as we discuss some of the most important stories in the New Testament.

#### **Adult Studies:**

Theology on Tap-The men of the church meet on Wednesday nights at 6 PM at Table on the Green.

Men's Prayer Breakfast - This men's group meets the first and third Tuesday of every month at 7 AM at Sizzlin' Steak or Eggs. Please contact Bill Berger for more information.

Children & Youth: No children or youth programs this evening in honor of Mother's Day.

# **Serving Today**

#### Thank you to our Greeters serving today:

9:00 — Rick & Ruth Birgin, Lois Holt, Frank Quis, Bill Saylor.

11:10 — Bonnie Hanly, Barry Ivey, Ed Monroe, Jim

**Chancel Flowers** are dedicated to the Glory of God given by Charlene Kinelski in memory of her mother, Charlotte Austin, whose love and faith were a constant in her life. In honor of all mothers here and around the world.

#### **Prayers and Praise**

### Hospital/Rehab:

John Lowry (MRH) Max Morrison (MRH) Rudy Carlson (St. Joe's)

Home: Marvin Hage, Nancy

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# Local Missions | Ways to Serve

#### THE COALITION—May 18 Gilmore Client Services—1500 Indiana Ave

- Sort clothing and/or food
- Third Wednesday of each month 10 AM-12 PM
- Contact: Jan Lindstrom mjlindstrom75@gmail.com

#### THE FOOD BANK—May 10 195 Sandy Ave., Southern Pines

- Pack Senior Food Boxes
- Second Tuesday of each month 9 AM-11 AM
- Contact: Bob McCall rdm36@charter.net

#### **HABITAT FOR HUMANITY—May 21**

- Every other month Brownson will repair homes in greater Southern Pines
- 12-14 Volunteers needed per repair
- Dates are: May 21, July 16, September 17 and No-
- Contact: Don Power donc6power@gmail.com

#### HYGIENE KITS FOR UKRAINE

The women of Brownson will be assembling hygiene kits for the people of Ukraine. Items needed for each kit:

- One hand towel
- One wash cloth
- One wide tooth comb
- One fingernail or toenail clipper
- One bar standard size soap in original packaging
- 10 standard bandaids

Please leave items in the box at the Information Center in the Atrium. Assembly date to be announced.

#### **RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE—MAY 13**

Held in Fellowship Hall at Brownson on Friday, May 13 from 1:30-6 PM. To schedule visit: www.redcrossblood.org and enter code Brownson or call 800-733-2767.