



*The Bread of Life* by Ruth Borges

**WORSHIP SERVICE**  
12<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST- 10:30 AM  
AUGUST 11, 2024  
614 Griffis Street, Cary, NC 27511  
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# ORDER OF WORSHIP — 10:30 A.M.

## Gathering

(\* Please stand as you are able.)

### Gathering Chime

### Prelude

*Idea 10*

Marshall White, piano

Alcocer

### Welcome and Announcements

#### \*Call to Worship

God lifts us from death to life  
and preserves us for God's purposes  
through the compassion of  
Jesus Christ our Lord  
and the guidance of the Holy Spirit.

**With thanksgiving, praise the Lord!**

#### \*Hymn

*Great God of Every Blessing*

No. 694

### Call to Confession

#### Prayer of Confession

**Lord Jesus, we call upon you. Save us!  
We are intimidated by our circumstances,  
distracted from your purposes,  
drowning in doubts and fears.  
We are presumptuous about your will,  
belittling others and magnifying ourselves.  
We envy the blessings of others,  
secretly despising their dreams.  
We have hardened our hearts  
to the suffering of our brothers and sisters,  
feeding ourselves in face of the injustice  
that holds them captive.  
Lord Jesus, who searches our hearts,  
lift us from sin and help us to walk with you  
in faith, humility, and brotherly-sisterly love.  
Amen.**

*Silent Confession*

**Kyrie**

*You Are the Lord, Giver of Mercy!*

No. 437

Em D Em Am Em D Em  
You are the Lord, giv-er of mer-cy!

Am D C D Em C Em  
You are the Christ, giv-er of mer-cy!

Em D G Am Em D E  
You are the Lord, giv-er of mer-cy!

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**Assurance of Pardon**

**\*Response**

*Glory Be to the Father*

No. 581

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the

Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in the be -

gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be,  
world with - out end. A - men, a - men.

## Word

**Prayer for Illumination**

Audrey Sausman

**Scripture Reading**

John 6:35-66

One: This is the word of the Lord.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

**The Message**

*This Teaching Is Difficult*

Paul Lang

**\*Hymn**

*I Am the Bread of Life (vv. 1 - 2, 4 - 5)*

No. 522

**\*Affirmation of Faith** *The Apostles' Creed*

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried;**

**he descended to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again;  
he ascended into heaven,  
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
and he will come to judge the living 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.**

## **Time with Our Children**

### **Responding**

#### **Offering**

**Offertory**      *Set Me As A Seal Upon Your Heart*      Childs  
   Jim, Elizabeth, & Marshall White

**\*Doxology**      *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*      No. 606

***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
praise God, all creatures here below;  
praise God above, ye heavenly host;  
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

#### **Prayer of Dedication**

#### **Joys and Concerns of the Congregation**

*Lord in your goodness: Hear our praise; Lord in your mercy: Hear our prayer.*



*Please note the breakfast date change to September.*



**Presbyterian Men's Breakfast**  
**Saturday, September 7, 7:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.**

The next CPC Presbyterian Men's Breakfast is scheduled for Saturday, September 7 in Fellowship Hall. Please join us for breakfast and a time for fellowship and reconnecting with other members of the CPC faith family. Al Hardie will again be preparing another great breakfast, including made to order omelets, cheese grits, bacon, hash browns, sausage gravy, biscuits, fruit, juice, coffee and more.

[The link to the Signup Genius is here.](#)

If you have questions, contact Tom Bolick ([tobolick@att.net](mailto:tobolick@att.net), 919-616-4500)

**LADIES**  
**LUNCHEON**

A decorative graphic featuring several pink and red flowers with green leaves, positioned behind the text "LADIES LUNCHEON".

**CPC Ladies Summer Luncheon**  
**Sunday, August 25, 11:45 a.m. - 1:15 p.m.**

Bring a covered dish (or volunteer for set-up/clean-up) for fellowship time following worship on Sunday, August 25, from 11:45 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall!


Review the available slots, let us know what you're bringing and volunteer using the SignupGenius link in the last E-Link. Just click on the button at the link to sign up. Thank you! Invite others!

Send questions to Gracy Bancroft at [gracy.bancroft@gmail.com](mailto:gracy.bancroft@gmail.com).

# THIS WEEK AT CARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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<b>Sunday, August 11</b>	10:20 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 11:45 a.m. 2:00 p.m.	<i>Faith Formation/Worship &amp; Wonder on Summer Hiatus</i> CPC Kids 'Summer Sundays in the Library' Sunday Worship Service (Sanctuary) Brothers' Keepers Anthem Run-thru (Choir Room) Compass Group (Parlor)
<b>Monday, August 12</b>	11:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Staff Meeting (Parlor) Preschool Ministry Board (Zoom) Music & Worship Team (Library)
<b>Tuesday, August 13</b>	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Christian Fellowship Team (Zoom) Presbys at the Pub (Fortnight Brewing/Cary)
<b>Wednesday, August 14</b>	7:30 p.m.	Brothers' Keepers Full Rehearsal (Choir Room)
<b>Thursday, August 15</b>	9:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	Generosity Team (100) Stephen Ministry (100/102/106)
<b>Friday, August 16</b>	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Courage, Strength, & Hope for Alateens (Library) Al-Anon / Courage, Strength, & Hope (Parlor)
<b>Saturday, August 17</b>		
<b>Sunday, August 18</b>	9:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 10:20 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	<i>Faith Formation/Worship &amp; Wonder on Summer Hiatus</i> Oak City Cares (Kitchen) Brothers' Keepers Final Practice (Choir Room) CPC Kids 'Summer Sundays in the Library' Sunday Worship Service (Sanctuary) Purpose Driven Baseball (Fellowship Hall)




Life

Upside Down

&

Backwards



The Message of the Sermon on the Mount

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## THE PILGRIMAGE

**September 7, 14, and 21**

**from 2-4 PM**

For more information and to register visit [thepilgrimage.net](http://thepilgrimage.net) or The Pilgrimage app. John Page will lead the course, which will include presentations and small group discussion. Send questions to John Page at [pagejm4@gmail.com](mailto:pagejm4@gmail.com). The Pilgrimage app is available at the Apple App Store and Google Play.