

Jesus Calls Matthew by William Hole

WORSHIP SERVICE
2ND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
JUNE 11, 2023
614 Griffis Street, Cary, NC 27511
(919) 467-8700
www.carypresbyterian.org

ORDER OF WORSHIP – 10:30 A.M.

Gathering

(* Please stand as you are able.)

Gathering Chime

Prelude

Prelude in D Major

Visona

Welcome and Announcements

Introit

Hear the Glad Sound
Chancel Choir

Pethel

*Call to Worship

All who are righteous, shout with joy to our God!

Let us sing a new song!

Praise God and give thanks,

with organs, with guitars, with all kinds of instruments!

Play your best with joy!

Because our Creator's word is right,

and everything God does is done for our good.

Let your faithful love surround us, O God!

*Hymn

Morning Has Broken

No. 664



1 Morn-ing has bro - ken like the first morn - ing; black-bird has
2 Sweet the rain's new fall sun - lit from heav - en, like the first
3 Mine is the sun - light! Mine is the morn - ing, born of the



spo - ken like the first bird. Praise for the sing - ing! Praise for the
dew - fall on the first grass. Praise for the sweet-ness of the wet
one light E - den saw play! Praise with e - la - tion; praise ev - ery



morn - ing! Praise for them, spring - ing fresh from the Word!
gar - den, sprung in com - plete - ness where God's feet pass.
morn - ing, God's re - cre - a - tion of the new day!

***Call to Confession**

***Prayer of Confession**

**God of calling,
you called Abraham and Matthew
and gave them the strength they needed
to follow you.
You also called a people
and cared for and nurtured that people
so that they could live life in your abundance.
You also call us,
but sometimes we prefer to close our eyes
and cover our ears,
turning our backs to your will.
Forgive us, O God,
and grant us the confidence and the hope that we need
to follow when you call. Amen.**

Silent Confession

***Kyrie** *You Are the Lord, Giver of Mercy!* No. 437

The musical score consists of three staves of music in G major and 6/8 time. The lyrics are: "You are the Lord, giv-er of mer-cy!" (Staff 1), "You are the Christ, giv-er of mer-cy!" (Staff 2), and "You are the Lord, giv-er of mer-cy!" (Staff 3). Chord symbols are placed above the notes: Em, D, Em, Am, Em, D, Em for the first line; Am, D, C, D, Em, C, Em for the second line; Em, D, G, Am, Em, D, E for the third line.

***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

Su Johnson

Scripture Reading

Psalm 131

Translation: Robert Alter

One: This is the word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

*Hymn

To Abraham and Sarah

No. 51

1 To A - bra - ham and Sa - rah the call of God was clear:
 2 From A - bra - ham and Sa - rah a - rose a pil - grim race,
 3 We of this gen - er - a - tion on whom God's hand is laid

"Go forth and I will show you a coun - try rich and fair.
 de - pen - dent for their jour - ney on God's a - bun - dant grace;
 can jour - ney to the fu - ture se - cure and un - a - fraid,

You need not fear the jour - ney, for I have pledged my word
 and in their heart was writ - ten by God this sav - ing word,
 re - joic - ing in God's good - ness and trust - ing in this word,

that you shall be my peo - ple and I will be your God."
 "That you shall be my peo - ple and I will be your God."
 "That you shall be my peo - ple and I will be your God."

***Affirmation of Faith** *A Brief Statement of Faith*

**In life and in death we belong to God.
Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit,
we trust in the one triune God, the Holy One of Israel,
whom alone we worship and serve.**

**We trust in God the Holy Spirit,
everywhere the giver and renewer of life.
The Spirit justifies us by grace through faith,
sets us free to accept ourselves and to love God and
neighbor,
and binds us together with all believers
in the one body of Christ, the Church.
The same Spirit
who inspired the prophets and apostles
rules our faith and life in Christ through Scripture,
engages us through the Word proclaimed,
claims us in the waters of baptism,
feeds us with the bread of life and the cup of salvation,
and calls women and men to all ministries of the Church.
In a broken and fearful world
the Spirit gives us courage
to pray without ceasing,
to witness among all peoples to Christ as Lord and Savior,
to unmask idolatries in Church and culture,
to hear the voices of peoples long silenced,
and to work with others for justice, freedom, and peace.**

**In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit,
we strive to serve Christ in our daily tasks
and to live holy and joyful lives,
even as we watch for God's new heaven and new earth,
praying, "Come, Lord Jesus!"
With believers in every time and place,
we rejoice that nothing in life or in death
can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.
Amen.**

Time with Our Children

Jen Pierce

Book: *Sparrow's Prayer* by Roger Hutchinson

Responding

Commissioning Litany for CPC Camino Pilgrims 2023

Leader: Siblings in Christ, as you set out, be mindful of the reasons of your resolve to go on this holy pilgrimage. Santiago de Compostela is a monument to the devotion of the people of God. The faithful have come to this shrine in great numbers to be strengthened in the Christian way of life and to become more determined to devote themselves to works of charity. You are charged to bring something to the faithful there: your example of faith, hope and love. In this way both they and you will be enriched by the help you give one another.

Responsorial Psalm 121

1 I lift up my eyes to the hills—
from where will my help come?

**2 My help comes from the LORD,
who made heaven and earth.**

3 He will not let your foot be moved;
he who keeps you will not slumber.

**4 He who keeps Israel
will neither slumber nor sleep.**

5 The LORD is your keeper;
the LORD is your shade at your right hand.

**6 The sun shall not strike you by day,
nor the moon by night.**

7 The LORD will keep you from all evil;
he will keep your life.

**8 The LORD will keep
your going out and your coming in
from this time on and forevermore.**

Intercessions of Pilgrimage

Leader: With confidence, let us call upon God, who is the beginning and the end of life's pilgrimage.

Pilgrims: Lord, be with us on our pilgrimage.

Leader: Creator God, you made yourself the guide and way for your people as they wandered in the desert; be our protection as we begin this journey; so that we may return home again in safety, we pray to the Lord...

Pilgrims: Lord, be with us on our pilgrimage.

Leader: You have given us your Son to be our way to you: Make us follow Him faithfully and unswervingly, we pray to the Lord...

Pilgrims: Lord, be with us on our pilgrimage.

Leader: You guide your pilgrim Church on earth through the Holy Spirit: may we seek you in all things and walk always in the way of your commandments, we pray to the Lord...

Pilgrims: Lord, be with us on our pilgrimage.

Prayer of Blessing

Congregation: All powerful and loving God, you extend your mercy toward those who love you and are never far away from those who seek You. Remain with your servants on this holy pilgrimage and guide their way in accordance with Your will. Shelter them with Your protection by day, give them the light of Your grace by night and bring them safely to their destination, and back home again. We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

Offering of Tithes and Gifts

Offertory

Go Into the World!
Chancel Choir

Larson

*Go, I tell you go into the world! Go and make disciples of the Lord.
Go and save the lost, go into the world!
And baptize in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.*

*Go, I tell you go into the world! Go and teach them to obey my word,
The commands I've given you. I tell you go into the world!*

*Know that I go with you; I will guide you and will see you through.
I tell you go into all the world!*

*And as you go be faithful to your call;
Your God is Lord of all! Proclaim good news to every nation.
And as you go, teach in the Savior's name,
He's evermore the same, the holy God of your salvation!*

*Go, I tell you go into the world! Go and make disciples of the Lord.
Go and save the lost, go into the world!
And baptize in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.*

***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.

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

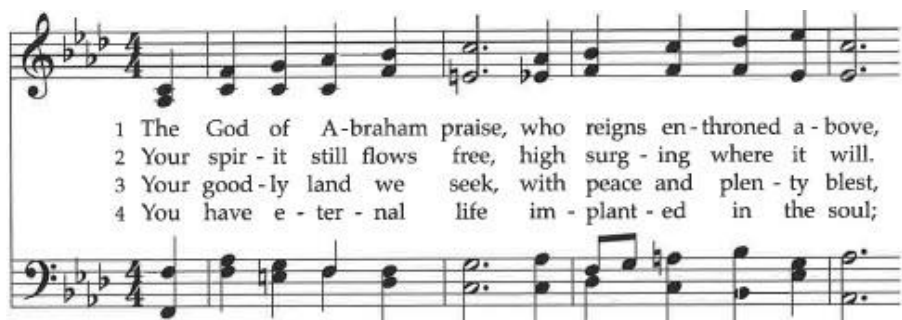
**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.**

Sending

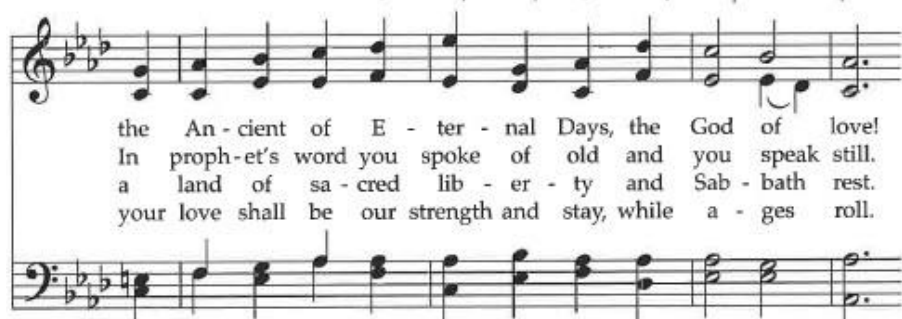
*Hymn

The God of Abraham Praise (vv. 1-3)

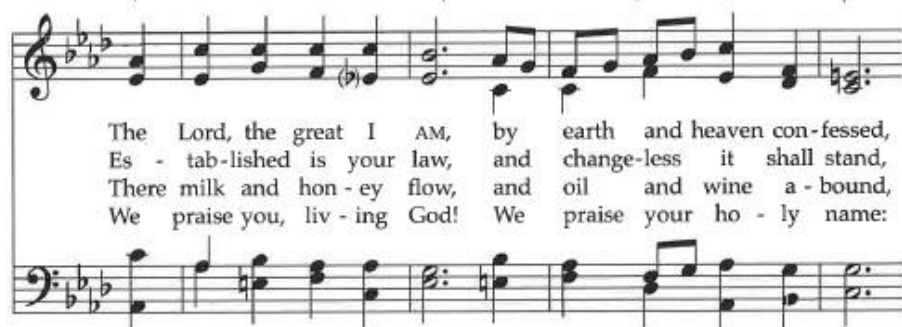
No. 49



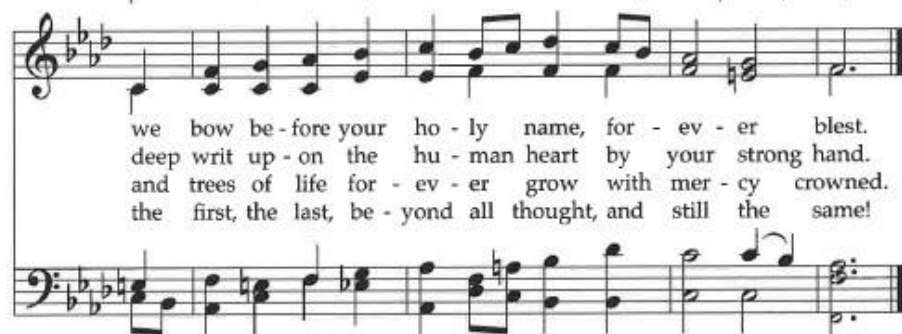
1 The God of A-braham praise, who reigns en-throned a - bove,
2 Your spir - it still flows free, high surg - ing where it will.
3 Your good - ly land we seek, with peace and plen - ty blest,
4 You have e - ter - nal life im - plant - ed in the soul;



the An - cient of E - ter - nal Days, the God of love!
In proph-et's word you spoke of old and you speak still.
a land of sa - cred lib - er - ty and Sab - bath rest.
your love shall be our strength and stay, while a - ges roll.



The Lord, the great I AM, by earth and heaven con-fessed,
Es - tab - lished is your law, and change-less it shall stand,
There milk and hon - ey flow, and oil and wine a - bound,
We praise you, liv - ing God! We praise your ho - ly name:



we bow be - fore your ho - ly name, for - ev - er blest.
deep writ up - on the hu - man heart by your strong hand.
and trees of life for - ev - er grow with mer - cy crowned.
the first, the last, be - yond all thought, and still the same!

THIS WEEK AT CARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Website and Online Member Directory: www.carypresbyterian.org

Sunday, June 11	10:30 a.m.	Worship In-Person (Sanctuary) and Online
Monday, June 12	11:00 a.m. 6:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Staff Meeting (Parlor) GS Daisy Troops 355 & 362 (Youth Area) Cub Scout Pack 232 (FHF) Scout Troop 232G (Fellowship Hall) Music & Worship Team (Library) Kitchen Katz (Parlor) Preschool Ministry Board (102) Racial Equity Team (Zoom) Be The Hands (Zoom)
Tuesday, June 13	6:30 p.m.	Scout Troop 232 (Youth Area)
Wednesday, June 14	5:45 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	Vacation Bible School (Fellowship Hall) Scout Troop 232 (Youth Area)
Thursday, June 15	9:00 a.m. 2:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Generosity Team (102) Music Group Rehearsal (100) Stephen Ministry (100/102/106)
Friday, June 16	7:00 p.m.	Camino de Santiago Pilgrimage begins Courage, Strength, & Hope (Library)
Saturday, June 17		
Sunday, June 18	10:10 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	'Open Choir' Rehearsal (Choir Room) Worship In-Person (Sanctuary) and Online



CPC Church Workday
Saturday, June 24 from 9:30 a.m. to noon.
Sponsored by the Christian Fellowship Team

Please mark your calendar to join us for a workday on the CPC grounds on Saturday, June 24 from 9:30 to noon. Bring hand tools, gloves and clippers if you have them. Small tools will be available. Primary jobs will be weeding and trimming. All ages are welcome. Please bring your own water bottle! Contact Julie Henry with questions at julieghenry@gmail.com