

Lord's Day Worship  
June 9, 2024  
10:30 AM

**Prelude:** *Westminster Fanfare*..... Charles Callahan

**Welcome**..... Rev. Dr. Diane Knauf

**Introit:** *Come and Worship* ..... Karen Marolli

*Come and worship, worship here, blest community of love!  
Come just as you are, come near! Come and worship God above.  
Here below we see God's face in each precious child of grace.  
Come just as you are, come near! Come and worship, worship here!*

**\*Call to Worship** (adapted from Psalm 138) ..... Elder Blaine Lotz

Leader: O Lord, I give thanks to your name;  
**All: for your steadfast love and your faithfulness;**  
Leader: on the day I called, you answered me;  
you increased my strength of soul.  
**All: Great is the glory of the Lord!**  
Leader: The Lord will fulfill his purpose for me;  
**All: your steadfast love, O Lord, endures forever.  
We worship you, Our God!**

**\*Gathering Hymn:** *Will You Come and Follow Me*.....No. 726

**Prayer of Confession**

**We have tried to hide ourselves from you, O God, since the very beginning of time. We try to hide our shame, our disobedience, our envy, our mistakes; but you know them. Our attempts to hide do not conceal us from you. We come before you baring all of who we are, seeking your mercy and steadfast love. Help us move away from our old ways of living toward the way of life shown to us in our Savior. In Christ's name, and through the Spirit's resurrecting power, we pray. Amen.**

**Assurance of Forgiveness**

**\*Response:** *Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying* .....No. 469

**Lord, listen to your children praying.  
Lord, send your Spirit in this place.  
Lord, listen to your children praying.  
Send us love; send us power; send us grace. (Repeat)**

**\*Passing the Peace**

**Scripture:** Acts 9:31; 36-43

**Sermon:** *Get Up!*..... Rev. Dr. Diane Knauf

**Anthem:** *Grace*..... arr. Mark Hayes

Sanctuary Summer Choir  
*Amazing grace, how sweet the sound; that saved a wretch, a wretch like me;  
I once was lost, but now am found; I once was blind, but now I see.*  
  
*'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and that same grace my fears relieved;  
How precious did that grace appear the hour when I first believed!*  
  
*Through many dangers, toils, and snares, I have already safely come;  
This grace hath brought me safe thus far, and surely grace will lead me home,  
I shall go home.*

*When we've been there ten thousand years, Bright shining as the glorious sun,  
We've no less days to sing God's praise than since the day we've first begun.*

**Affirmation of Faith**

**We believe in one God, creator of all life,  
maker of past, present and future.  
Lord of all people and of all memories and hopes.**

**We believe in Jesus Christ,  
God's Word of grace, and love made flesh,  
who came to declare good news to those in despair,  
to liberate both the oppressed and the oppressor,  
to proclaim God's mercy as our hope.**

**We believe in God's Holy Spirit,  
who takes our shattered dreams and makes us whole again,  
who lifts our dying spirits and gives us courage,  
who resurrects us to new life.  
We believe that the Church is of God  
and will endure to the end of time,  
and calls us into a life of love and service.**

**Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer**

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Your name. Your kingdom come, Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into  
temptation but deliver us from evil. For Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.**

**Offering**

**Offertory: *The Potter's Hand* .....Darlene Zschech**

*Beth Curtis, soprano  
Beautiful Lord, wonderful Savior, I know for sure, all of my days are held in Your hand;  
Crafted into Your Perfect plan.*

*You gently call me into Your presence, guiding me by Your Holy Spirit;  
Teach me, dear Lord, to live all of my life through Your eyes.*

*I'm captured by Your holy calling, set me apart, I know You're drawing me to Yourself;  
Lead me, Lord, I pray.*

*Take me, mold me, use me, fill me; I give my life to the Potter's hand.  
Call me, guide me, lead me, walk beside me; I give my life to the Potter's hand.*

**\*Response: *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* .....No. 609**

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.  
Praise God, all creatures high and low.  
Alleluia, alleluia!  
Praise God, in Jesus fully known:  
Creator, Word, and Spirit one.  
Alleluia, alleluia!  
Alleluia, alleluia,  
Alleluia!**

**\*Prayer of Dedication**

**\*Sending Hymn: *Come! Live in the Light!* .....No. 749**

**\*Benediction**

Leader: Sisters and brothers, arise!  
**All: We lift our hearts, our eyes, our voices, our hands.**  
Leader: The living, moving, Spirit of God sends us out together  
in witness, in celebration, in struggle;  
**All: to share the resurrecting love of Jesus Christ and speak  
life into places of brokenness and death.**  
Leader: May you hear Jesus speaking life to you today.  
**All: We go in peace, to love and serve the Lord and one another.**

**\*Benediction Response:** *Kum ba Yah* .....No. 472

**Kum ba yah, my Lord, kum ba yah!**  
**Kum ba yah, my Lord, kum ba yah!**  
**Kum ba yah, my Lord, kum ba yah!**  
**Oh Lord, kum ba yah!**  
**Someone’s singing, Lord, kum ba yah!**  
**Someone’s singing, Lord, kum ba yah!**  
**Someone’s singing, Lord, kum ba yah!**  
**Oh Lord, kum ba yah!**

**\*Postlude:** *Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart*..... arr. Dick Torrans

*\*Please rise in body or in spirit.*



**WELCOME TO FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (FPC)!**

We’re glad you’re here. We don’t look or act alike. God knows we don’t think alike. We come with questions, burdens and joys. But every Sunday we worship as one—in person and online. We pray you’ll experience God’s presence and better understand your faith through today’s service.

In-person worshippers: Complete the maroon fellowship pad at the end of your pew and wear your name tag if you’re a member so we can greet one another by name. (If you need a new name tag, just contact the church.) After worship, enjoy fellowship and refreshments in the Gathering Space.

Online worshippers: Use the QR code you’ll see on the screen at the beginning of worship or click on the blue “Connect” button on our website’s homepage and complete the brief pop-up form so we can connect with you.

**“LET THE CHILDREN COME TO ME”**

Children are welcome to sit with their parents/guardians in worship or to use the Family Worship Center in James Chapel (under the south balcony of the Sanctuary), which helps engage children in worship; check it out!

**ABOUT WORSHIP**

Join us next Sunday at our 9 AM CrossRoads contemporary service in Fellowship Hall or at this 10:30 AM traditional service here in the Sanctuary. Or join us online by livestream or through a recording (available after 2 PM Sunday) of those services via our website’s homepage or on our YouTube channel.

The flowers today are given to the glory of God and in memory of her husband, William (Bill) Heberton, by Helen Heberton and their children. (To give flowers for Sunday worship in memory or in honor of a loved one or in celebration of a particular event, please contact the church.)

Leading in worship: Dr. Gerald Anderson, piano; Jane Jude, AV/Tech Coordinator; Rev. Dr. Diane Knauf, Associate Pastor of Congregational Care and Connection; Chad Martin, Director of Music and Organist

See something, say something! If you have concerns in the church or on our campus, please notify an usher, pastor or other staff.

**“YOU’RE INVITED!”**

**Join FPC at the next new member class on June 23 at 11:45 AM in the Library!**

Jazz Vespers on June 23, 7 PM, in the Sanctuary, hosted by the Evangelism Task Force & the Worship and Music Ministry: Guest artist Tuffus Zimbabwe, pianist for Saturday Night Live, joins us for a special musical program. Invite friends and family to enjoy an evening of piano and poetry.

### SACRIFICIAL SERVICE

Feed My Sheep is the first Sunday of the month. Bring non-perishable items to our Gathering Space for local food pantries, including our own People in Need (PIN)'s pantry. PIN is open Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 9 AM-noon to help people with utility bills, rent and food/supplies. **PIN is in particular need of rice and condiments.**

Help us change lives and make disciples by giving via 1) a check made payable to FPC (540 William Hilton Parkway, HHI, SC 29928), 2) the Give button at [fpchhi.org](http://fpchhi.org), 3) QR code (on the screen and the card in the pew racks) or 4) texting "FPCHHI" to 77977.

### CARING CONNECTIONS

**CHURCH MERCH IS BACK!** After worship, visit the Ministry Table in the Gathering Space TODAY AND ON JUNE 9 AND 16 to purchase your church merch: **FPC women's and men's polo shirts, hats and visors!** We hope you'll wear FPC gear, especially when you serve in the community. Help us let our light shine for all to see!

Keep the youth and adults attending **Montreat Youth Conference** this week in your prayers. This year's theme is "Planting Peace." They will return on June 15.

After worship, visit these Ministry Tables in the Gathering Space TODAY to learn more about our summer Prayer Project and our Social Witness Ministry.

Submit prayer requests for our staff prayers and our confidential prayer chain via:

- Prayer boxes in Fellowship Hall and the narthex (the area outside the Sanctuary)
- Email [info@fpchhi.org](mailto:info@fpchhi.org) or a pastor ([dknauf@fpchhi.org](mailto:dknauf@fpchhi.org), [ejohnson@fpchhi.org](mailto:ejohnson@fpchhi.org) or [wrobinson@fpchhi.org](mailto:wrobinson@fpchhi.org))
- QR code (on the card in the pew racks)

Stephen Ministry is a vital ministry of compassion and care to others. To learn how a Stephen Minister might help you or someone you love, contact Pastor Diane ([dknauf@fpchhi.org](mailto:dknauf@fpchhi.org)).

If you or a family member will be in the hospital, had a recent hospitalization or would like pastoral care or to receive communion, contact Pastor Diane Knauf (919-909-2660) or the church (843-681-3696, ext. 245).

### THIS WEEK AT FPC!

*To learn more, go to [fpchhi.org](http://fpchhi.org) or contact the church.*

#### Tuesday, June 11

- 7:45 AM Ironman Small Group (Library)
- 1:30 PM Knitting Ministry (Library)

#### Wednesday, June 12

- 9:00 AM Men's Bible Study (Zoom)
- 9:30 AM Journeymen Small Group (Room 219)

#### Thursday, June 13

- 10:00 AM Spirit
- 11:00 AM Spiritual Gifts Study (Zoom)
- 11:00 AM Chair Yoga (Fellowship Hall)
- 2:00 PM Bereavement Support Group (Gathering Space)
- 4:30 PM Meditation Group (South Room)

#### Friday, June 14

- 10:30 AM Book Talk (Library/Zoom)

#### Sunday, June 16

- 8:30 AM **Father's Day**  
Fellowship Time (Gathering Space)

- 8:45 AM Nursery opens (Room 109)
- 9:00 AM **CrossRoads contemporary worship (Fellowship Hall/  
livestream)**
- 9:00 AM Work In Progress class (Library/Zoom)
- 9:15 AM Summer Sanctuary Choir rehearsal (Sanctuary)
- 10:00 AM Fellowship Time (Gathering Space)
- **10:30 AM Traditional worship (Sanctuary/livestream)**
- 11:30 AM JOY class (Zoom)
- 11:30 AM Fellowship Time (Gathering Space)

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**2024 NOMINATING MINISTRY NEEDS YOUR INPUT**

The 2024 Nominating Ministry is seeking your help in recommending FPC members to serve as deacons and elders in the class of 2027.

To submit a name(s), please complete the submission form below indicating recommendation for deacon or elder and return to the church office by July 15.

**Name(s) of nominee(s):** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_ deacon \_\_\_ elder

**Your name (optional):** \_\_\_\_\_

**WORSHIP SERVICE NOTES**