



Chapel in the Pines Presbyterian Church
Welcome, Worship, Witness
Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost
September 27, 2020

Welcome to Chapel in the Pines Presbyterian Church, where all our members are ministers. We open our doors to all persons to join in worship, fellowship, educational programs, and service. We welcome into membership all who profess faith in Jesus Christ without regard to gender, race, ethnic origin, worldly conditions, sexual orientation, ability, or any other human condition.

1 WELCOME

Andrew Taylor-Troutman

POEM OF PREPARATION **Joy** by Julie Cadwallader Staub

Who could need more proof than honey —

How the bees with such skill and purpose
enter flower after flower
sing their way home
to create and cap the new honey
just to get through the flowerless winter.

And how we humans can't resist its viscosity
its taste of clover and wind
its metaphorical power:
don't we yearn for a land of milk and honey?
don't we call our loved ones "honey?"

all because bees just do, over and over again, what they were made to do.

Oh, who could need more proof than honey
to know that our world
was meant to be
and
was meant to be
sweet?

2 BELL PEAL

CITP Bell Ringers

SEEKING PEACE WITH GOD AND WITH ONE ANOTHER

4 OPENING PRAYER from Hymn #796 *We Come to You for Healing, Lord*

**We come to you for healing, Lord,
of body, mind, and soul;
in trust that through our nights and days,
your grace will heal and sustain.**

5 HYMN #796 *We Come to You for Healing, Lord* (Stanzas 1 & 2) LAND OF REST
Music and lyrics on last page.

6 PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God, it seems that history only repeats its cycle of retribution, violence, and suffering. Leaders come and go, nations rise and fall. Yet, injustice, poverty, and cruelty remain. Racism persists. Inequality is entrenched.

Not all circumstances in life are good. We know evils. Yet, amid all things, your purpose, O God, is working itself out. The whole creation groans under the weight of sin. These groans are both in frustration over futility and in the hope of being set free.

Therefore, we confess our sins, as individuals and as a society, that you might grace us with healing hope. You shall save the lost and redeem the creation at the last.

Assurance of Pardon

7 Passing of the Peace The peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.

8 OFFERING

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9 MINUTE FOR MISSION Habitat for Humanity

RECEIVING AND REFLECTING UPON THE LIVING WORD

10 TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES Joelle Brummitt-Yale

11 SCRIPTURE READING Mark 9:14–29 Youth Group
The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

12 BELL ANTHEM *Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

13 SERMON What's NOT in the Bible Andrew Taylor-Troutman
"God Never Gives You More than You Can Handle"

RESPONDING TO GOD'S GRACE AND GLORY

14 PRAYER THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION (ending with 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.

15 HOLY COMMUNION ANNOUNCEMENT

We will meet for Communion on Wednesdays at 6:30 pm. The next gathering is September 30. Here is the link: Join Zoom Meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82998168535?pwd=Y0dkaWFYb1ZDaUdCZ2V5Rm5yUGNIUT09>

16 HYMN #796 *We Come to You for Healing, Lord* (Stanzas 3 & 4) LAND OF REST
Music and lyrics on last page.

CARRYING THE LIGHT INTO GOD'S WORLD

- 17 CHARGE/BENEDICTION Andrew Taylor-Troutman
Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid. -John 14:27
- 18 POSTLUDE *My Lord What a Morning* Daniel Seyfried

WORSHIP NOTES



PRAYER MEETING with Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church at 4 p.m. every Sunday. This will be done through a conference call. **To join us on Sunday, from your phone dial 978-990-5000. The access code is 639146.**

Leading our worship today:

Andrew Taylor-Troutman, Pastor
Joelle Brummitt-Yale, Director of Children's & Youth Ministries
Casey Brekke, Johnson Brekke, Grace McCormack, Eva Morrison,
Madelyn Trunnell, & Finn Yale, Youth Group Readers
Jeremy Nabors, Director of Music Ministry
Daniel Seyfried, Assistant Director of Music Ministry
Katherine Brekke, Director of Handbell Choir
Lou Brock, Bob Betley, Cindy Massey, & Polly Williams, Bell Ringers

Mission Co-Worker: Karla Koll, Costa Rica

MUSIC CREDITS:

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My Lord, What a Morning arr. Cindy Berry

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We Come to You for Healing, Lord



1 We come to you for heal - ing, Lord, of
2 As once you walked through an - cient streets and
3 You touch us through phy - si - cians' skills, through
4 Through nights of pain and wake - ful - ness, through
5 We come to you, O lov - ing Lord, in



bod - y, mind, and soul, and pray that by your
reached toward those in pain, we know you come a -
nurs - es' gifts of care, and through the love of
days when strength runs low, grant us your gift of
our dis - tress and pain, in trust that through our



Spir - it's touch we may a - gain be whole.
mong us still with power to heal a - gain.
faith - ful friends who lift our lives in prayer.
pa - tience, Lord, your calm - ing peace to know,
nights and days your grace will heal, sus - tain.

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