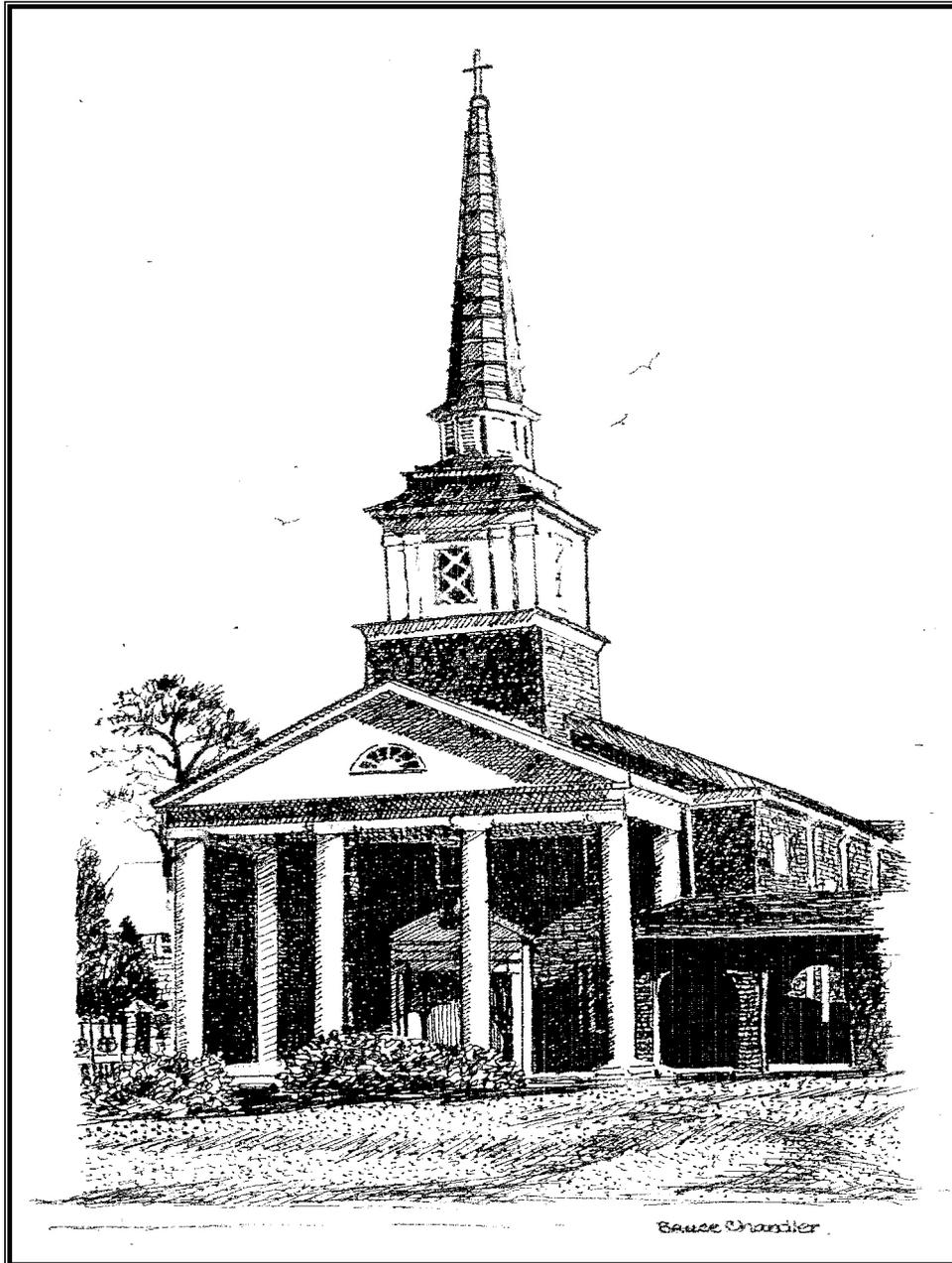


# Georgetown Presbyterian Church

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A HOUSE OF PRAYER FOR ALL PEOPLE

*July 19, 2020 10:00 am*

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# ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR THE LORD'S DAY

## Seventh Sunday After Pentecost

July 19, 2020



### GATHERING BEFORE GOD

GATHERING

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

CWM RHONDA

*"Guide me, O thou great Jehovah,  
Pilgrim through this barren land.  
I am weak, but thou art mighty.  
Hold me with thy powerful hand.  
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven,  
Feed me till I want no more."*

PRELUDE

Hallelujah

Leonard Cohen

*Arr. M.L.Norris*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

*Leader: O Lord, you have searched me and known me. You know when I sit down and when I rise up; you discern my thoughts from far away.*

**People: You search out my path and my lying down; and are acquainted with all my ways.**

*Leader: Even before a word is on my tongue,*

**People: O Lord, you know it completely.**

PRAYER OF INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

CALL TO PRAYER

There Is a Redeemer

Melody Green

*"There is a Redeemer, Jesus God's own Son;  
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah, Holy One.  
Thank you, O my Father, for giving us your Son,  
And leaving your Spirit till the work on earth is done."*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Eternal God, our judge and redeemer, we confess that we have tried to hide from you, for we have sinned. We have lived for ourselves and turned from neighbors. We have refused to bear the troubles of others. We have ignored the pain of the world and passed by the hungry, the poor, and the oppressed. O God, in your great mercy forgive our sin and free us from selfish desire that we may follow you**

**and obey your commandments. This we pray through Jesus Christ our risen Savior. Amen.**

Silent Confession

Declaration of Forgiveness

*If we have died with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with him. So, we consider ourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Jesus Christ. Believe the good news.*

**In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Thanks be to God.**

## PROCLAIMING THE WORD

SHARING THE FAITH WITH THE CHILDREN

Jim Lee

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Genesis 28:10-19a

*“Jacob left Beer-sheba and went toward Haran. He came to a certain place and stayed there for the night, because the sun had set. Taking one of the stones of the place, he put it under his head and lay down in that place. And he dreamed that there was a ladder set up on the earth, the top of it reaching to heaven; and the angels of God were ascending and descending on it. And the LORD stood beside him and said, “I am the LORD, the God of Abraham your father and the God of Isaac; the land on which you lie I will give to you and to your offspring; and your offspring shall be like the dust of the earth, and you shall spread abroad to the west and to the east and to the north and to the south; and all the families of the earth shall be blessed in you and in your offspring. Know that I am with you and will keep you wherever you go, and will bring you back to this land; for I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you.” Then Jacob woke from his sleep and said, “Surely the LORD is in this place—and I did not know it!” And he was afraid, and said, “How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.” So Jacob rose early in the morning, and he took the stone that he had put under his head and set it up for a pillar and poured oil on the top of it. He called that place Bethel.”*

MUSIC MEDITATION

Praeludium 1

Johann Sebastian Bach  
Adaptation by Charles Gounod

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING

Psalms 139:1-12

*“O LORD, you have searched me and known me.  
You know when I sit down and when I rise up;  
you discern my thoughts from far away.  
You search out my path and my lying down,  
and are acquainted with all my ways.  
Even before a word is on my tongue,*

O LORD, you know it completely.  
You hem me in, behind and before,  
and lay your hand upon me.  
Such knowledge is too wonderful for me;  
it is so high that I cannot attain it.  
Where can I go from your spirit?  
Or where can I flee from your presence?  
If I ascend to heaven, you are there;  
if I make my bed in Sheol, you are there.  
If I take the wings of the morning  
and settle at the farthest limits of the sea,  
even there your hand shall lead me,  
and your right hand shall hold me fast.  
If I say, "Surely the darkness shall cover me,  
and the light around me become night,"  
even the darkness is not dark to you;  
the night is as bright as the day,  
for darkness is as light to you."

SERMON

Dr. Corey Ingold

*"Searched Out"*

PRAYER FOR OURSELVES AND OTHERS

\*APOSTLES' CREED (*Traditional version, page 35 in Glory to God, the Presbyterian Hymnal*)

**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.**

## SENDING OUT TO SERVE

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

\*BENEDICTION

*“You shall go out with joy and be led forth with peace;  
The mountains and the hills will break forth before you;  
There’ll be shouts of joy!  
And all the trees of the field will clap, will clap their hands...”*

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THERE IS A PLACE FOR YOU AMONG US!

You are invited to unite with us as a member of Georgetown Presbyterian Church. New members are received either as **Full Members**, the traditional, full-time membership, or **Affiliate Members**, for those who are seasonal or temporary residents. Get more detailed information from our minister, from the elder of the day, or from written materials found on our Welcome Center table in the narthex.

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***The Vision of Georgetown Presbyterian Church***

*Georgetown Presbyterian Church is a community of faith bound and driven by the love of Jesus Christ, called to nurture discipleship and share Christ’s love with all people.*

***The Mission of Georgetown Presbyterian Church***

*In order to fulfill our vision faithfully, we must do the following:*

- *Foster a vibrant community of faith that shares God’s grace with all generations through uplifting worship and music, meaningful fellowship, and mutual care for one another;*
- *Challenge each other to grow in commitment and involvement by providing wide-ranging opportunities for spiritual growth;*
- *Reach out beyond our doors by serving and providing resources to all God’s people in an ever-changing*

**ASSISTING IN WORSHIP TODAY**

Dr. Corey Ingold

Marcy Carl, Director of Child Development Center

Mary Lu Norris, Director of Music Ministry

Ushers: Dean Brown, Emerson Gower

Flute: Molly McNeill Rogers

# Remember in Your Prayers

*“Carry each other’s burdens, and in this way, you will fulfill the law of Christ.”  
Galatians 6:2*



## Members Needing Prayer

*(Italics indicate new to the list this week.)*

Gen Baumeister, Gertie Dorn, Mary Lou Gilleland, Family of Barbara Glenn, Virge Harrington, Frankie Hills, *Sara Ann Hooks*, Betty Kilgore, Emmanuel Kouamou and family, Susan Matthews, John Murphy, Martha Jo Poston, *Family of Tommy Rowland*, Carey Williamson, Hank and Ramona Young, *Family of Carol Zieske*

## Friends/Families

Amy Ard, Jurnee Cooper, Dylan Evans, Family of Bob Gause, David Gilleland Jr. and family, Eve Gvozdaz, Marsha Hanes, Phyllis Miller, Emeline Shoemaker, *Kat and Lisa Shumpert*, *Jean Weeks*

## Military Personnel

Sammy Boone, Ben Boyle, Kenny Brown, Nathan Erickson, Ernest Fajardo, Cody Geary, Matthew Godfrey, William Howard, Brock Hursey, Eddie Meador, Will Piepenbring, Will Port, Jay Puckett, Will Puckett, Tristan Porcher, Chuck Power, Faith Power, Josh Power, Elizabeth Rooney, Shaun Rooney, Dylan Stegall, Mark Stephens, Brian Taylor, Bradley Walker, John Walker, Tom Walker, Daniel Yarger

## Our Missionaries in Worldwide Ministries

Mark and Miriam Adams in Mexico, Jonathan & Emily Seitz in Taiwan, Peter Lee in North Africa, Larry & Inge Sthreshley in D.R. Of Congo, Cody Watson in India, Dalit/Untouchables Ministry in India

## Financial Report

### Sunday, July 12, 2020

Tithes and Offerings this week	<u>\$13,784</u>
Tithes and Offerings this year through Sunday, June 12, 2020	\$421,038
Budgeted Tithes and Offerings this Year to Date	<u>\$465,000</u>
Variance from Budget	<u>(\$43,962)</u>

\*RECYCLE YOUR BULLETINS. Baskets are in the narthex.

## The Week of July 19, 2020

<b>Sunday</b> 10:00 am 5:30 pm	<b>July 19</b> Worship Senior High Youth via Zoom
<b>Monday</b> 4:00 pm	<b>July 20</b> Endowment Committee
<b>Tuesday</b> 5:30 pm	<b>July 21</b> Session
<b>Wednesday</b> 10:00 am 5:30 pm	<b>July 22</b> Stewardship Work Group Middle School Youth via Zoom
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>July 23</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>July 24</b> <i>Office Closed</i>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>July 25</b> <i>Office Closed</i>
<b>Sunday</b> 10:00 am	<b>July 26</b> Worship

**AUDITORY ASSISTANCE DEVICES** are available from an usher.

**CHANGE IN EMAIL ADDRESS:** The new email for Corey Ingold is [corey@gtpres.org](mailto:corey@gtpres.org).

**THE CHURCH OFFICE IS OPEN TUESDAY - THURSDAY FROM 9:00 am to 1:00 pm.** Feel free to contact the staff via phone or email. If you need to drop off items at the church, please maintain the 6 feet distance. Stay safe everyone. In case of an emergency, please call Corey Ingold, 843-546-5826, ext. 111, or 770-490-6831.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**THE FLOWERS IN THE SANCTUARY** are given by Ed and Ann Sekkes to the Glory of God and in memory of Lois Sekkes.

**PARADE FOR DEBBIE BARRON:** On Sunday, July 26 at 11 am, we will have a parade at the church to celebrate and say "thank you" to Debbie Barron. It seems ironic that we cannot have a reception for her to express our gratitude and good wishes since she has prepared so many receptions for so many people over the years, but we will adapt. Please prepare your car, truck or golf cart for a festive parade. Plan to enter the church parking lot on the kitchen side of the property (off Wigfall street) and circle around the rear of the church exiting onto Black River road next to the youth house. Debbie will be located outside the kitchen area so that you can wave to her and call out your love and thanks. The parade will be after the morning worship service. If you don't feel comfortable attending worship, we hope that you will plan to drive by around 11:00 am to wave at Debbie from your vehicle.

**BACK TO SCHOOL SUPPLY DONATIONS:** As our strange Spring school semester eases into an uncertain Summer, we want to prepare for the children to return to school. As in previous years, our congregation can make a significant dent in the community outreach need by donating needed school supplies. There are boxes placed in the Connector for you to drop off items. We plan to accept donations through **Thursday, 13 August** before delivering them to the Georgetown County School District for teacher distribution to needy children. Please generously donate from among the following (NEW items only please):

*three ring notebooks, notebook paper, graph paper, pocket folders with brads, lined pads of paper, pens, pencils both mechanical or wood (soft lead/#2 best), colored pencils, crayons, markers, highlighters, erasers, compasses, index cards, kleenex boxes, hand sanitizers (tell us where you found them if you do!), colored construction paper, rulers, children's scissors, glue/glue sticks, etc.* As always, your Service to Community committee thanks you for your help to those in need in our local area.