

**Morning Worship– Third Street Church
August 1, 2021 - 9:30AM
Rev. Pat Reid-Pastor
Elder Allen Lowery-Clerk of Session**

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Welcome and Church Announcements Elder Allen Lowery

Call to Worship

L: Are you awake? Are you alert?

P: Christ is coming into our lives in a new way.

L: Are you watching the signs? Are you interpreting what is happening today?

P: Christ is coming into our lives in a new way.

L: Do you see opportunities for ministry with, the poor, the homeless, the hungry, the needy?

P: Christ is coming into our lives in a new way.

L: Come, let us worship and let us work in the reign of God.

ALL: Christ has extended the invitation: Let us work together in the reign of God on earth

Morning Hymn- “Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing”

Prayer of Confession (read silently while leader reads aloud)

L: Heavenly Father, Hear us as we confess our sins Lord, there are times when we need to be humbled. Give us sensitive, loving hearts and help us to not take forgiveness for granted. (Silent Prayer of Confession)

P: In Christ’s name we pray AMEN.

Assurance of Pardon: This saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus entered the world to rescue sinners. If anyone is in Christ, that one is a new creation; the old has passed away, behold, the new has come.”People of God, hear the good news: In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. **P: Thanks be to God.**

Choral Response- “Hear Our Prayer Oh Lord”

Scripture Reading

Pastor Reid

MESSAGE

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Confession of Faith - Apostles Creed (in Unison)

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.

Invitational Prayer of Christian Discipleship(leader prayers)

Dear God know that my sin has separated me from you. Thank you God that Jesus Christ died a sinner’s death in my place. I ask Jesus to forgive my sin, and come into my life. Please begin to direct my life, starting today. Thank you, God for giving me eternal life in Jesus’ name, Amen

Prayers of The People

Pastor Reid

Celebration of the Lord’s Supper –(Please use the Communion Liturgy Sheet)

Closing Song : “We are Marching in the Light of God”

Charge and Benediction - Amen

Come, Thou Fount of every Blessing

Come, Thou Fount of every blessing,
Tune my heart to sing Thy grace;
Streams of mercy, never ceasing,
Call for songs of loudest praise.
Jesus sought me when a stranger,
Wand’ring from the face of God;
He, to save my soul from danger,
Interposed His precious blood.

Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it;
Prone to leave the God I love:
Take my heart, oh, take and seal it
With Thy Spirit from above.
Rescued thus from sin and danger,
Purchased by the Savior’s blood,
May I walk on earth a stranger,
As a son and heir of God.



*Third Street Presbyterian Church USA
Church Announcements August 2021*

Please continue to pray and reach out to those in need, illness, those in mourning and those needing a listening ear or act of kindness. We are not face to face in worship at this time yet we can call, send cards and keep connected to others in Christian fellowship.

Thank you to all for planning to give your Homecoming Pledge . Homecoming is September 19. We are asking \$134 as a pledge. \$1 for each year of Third Street Presbyterian Church (USA)

Please send any other announcements to the Clerk of Session or Pastor to be shared with the congregation

Thank You Third Street for continuing to give your tithes and offerings during the pandemic supporting the mission and work of Christ at Third Street Church

The new church blinds and two steel doors have been installed. We thank God for these blessings as Third Street Church!

The Quarterly Stated Session meeting will be August 19, at 6:00pm. Session please send items you want on the agenda to Pastor Reid by August 6.

If you have desire to become a member of Third Street Church in Christian Discipleship, please reach out to Pastor Reid or any member of the session. We will pray with you on your journey of faith. All are welcome here.

happy
birthday
i thank God
for you.

Happy Birthday to August Birthdays:

5th- Starla T. Littlejohn

7th-Teretha M. Jackson

24th-Terry Taylor

26th- Allen K. Lowery

If there are others with August Birthdays
please contact Elder Lowery or Pastor Reid know

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605 North Highland Street
Gastonia, NC 28052
Virtual Worship -August 1, 9:30am
10th Sunday After Pentecost

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