

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP HIM AS OUR GOD

Psalm 96:10-13

A PSALM OF PRAISE

Psalm 100A - Shout to the Lord, All Earth

A PRAYER OF INVOCATION

THE CONFESSION OF OUR FAITH IN GOD

The Apostle's Creed, Hymnal Pg. 851

A HYMN OF RESPONSE

Hymn 213 – Glory Be to God the Father

THE CONFESSION OF OUR SINS TO GOD

Loving heavenly Father, yours is surpassing greatness, unspeakable goodness and superabundant grace. Your steadfast love greets us each morning and your faithfulness is our constant companion. Your mercies are fresh each day, flowing toward us in your patient perseverance and loving guidance. We thank you for personal mercies, for a measure of health, the comforts of home, food and clothing, for those moments of domestic peace and harmony and for your ongoing protection of ourselves and those whom we love.

Yet we mourn our sin and profound ingratitude to you. We have not put our hope in you and we have not waited patiently for you to act on our behalf. We have trusted and delighted in your creation rather than in you and we have looked to our idols to make us glad, complaining bitterly when they have failed us. We have pressured people with the heavy weight of our needs and expectations and sinned against them when they disappointed us. Father forgive us for our many sins. We do not deny them or excuse them but confess that we have broken your holy law and fallen short of keeping your commands. Holy Spirit, help us to turn away from our sin and cling to the cross. May we hide in the wounds of Jesus and find shelter in his side. Cause us to place all our hopes in the powerful blood of our Savior and his perfect righteousness in our place. When life is painful and difficult and our souls give way to fear and temptation, root us safely once again on our firm foundation, our only hope in life and in death. Let us know afresh the joy of our salvation. Christ has been faithful for us and so you will always be faithful to us, for you cannot abandon the Son of God to whom we are inseparably joined. Amen.

A SILENT MOMENT FOR CONFESSING PERSONAL SINS

GOD'S ASSURANCE THAT WE ARE PARDONED

Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God. Not only that, but we rejoice in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance and endurance produces character and character produces hope and hope does not put us to shame because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us. For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. Romans 5:1-6

A HYMN OF RESPONSE TO GOD'S GRACE

Hymn 282 – I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art

SCRIPTURE RELATIVE TO TODAY'S SERMON

Isaiah 33:17-22

Pew Bible Pg. 755

PASTORAL PRAYER FOR THE CONGREGATION

Followed by the Lord's Prayer ("Debts")

OUR OFFERING and DOXOLOGY TO GOD

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise him all creatures here below. Praise him above ye heav'nly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. *Old Hundredth L.M. (567)*

PREPARING WITH PRAISE TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

Hymn 172 – Speak, O Lord

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD OF GOD

James 4:11-12

Pew Bible Pg. 1291

Who Is the Judge and Lawgiver?

Intern Derrick Leitão

RESPONDING IN PRAISE TO GOD'S WORD

Hymn 572 – Gloria Patri

OUR LORD'S BENEDICTION

HIS CONGREGATION'S RESPONSE

Now blessed be the Lord our God, the God of Israel. For he alone does wondrous works in glory that excel. And blessed be his glorious name to all eternity. The whole earth let his glory fill. Amen, so let it be. - *McKee CM*

Presbyterian Church of Cape Cod

We extend a **cordial welcome** to the visitors in our service today.

Afternoon Study: **Corporate Prayer Meeting**

Prayer Meeting – Wednesday, August 26th, 6:30pm

Birthdays this week:

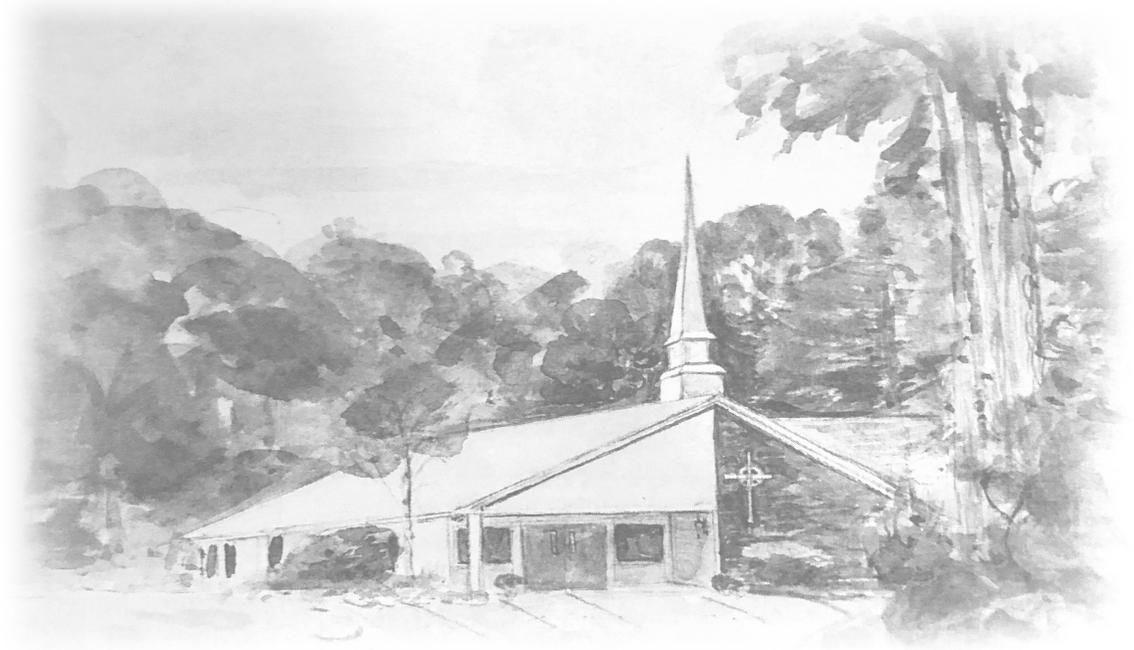
August 24th Deb Brunton

August 25th Jonathan Furman

The missionaries for this month – Ben and Heather Hopp, Haiti

Bulletin announcements should be submitted to Elly Mead by 12 noon on Wednesdays.

Please e-mail to pcccsecretary@gmail.com.



“I was glad when they said to me, Let us go to the house of the Lord!” Psalm 122.1

The Lord's Day

August 23th, 2020

Rev. Dr. James A. La Belle, Pastor

LIVE STREAMING @

<http://presbyterianchurchofcapecod.com/live-stream/>

Morning Worship 10:00 am – Afternoon Study 4:30 pm

We welcome you to the Lord's house, to the worship of the living and true God, and into the fellowship of this congregation. If this is your first visit, please sign the guest book in the foyer.