

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP HIM AS OUR GOD

Psalm 67:1-5

A PSALM OF PRAISE

Psalm 67B – O God, Show Mercy to Us

A PRAYER OF INVOCATION

THE CONFESSION OF OUR FAITH IN GOD

Westminster Larger Catechism 74 (Hymnal Pg. 947)

A PSALM OF RESPONSE

Psalm 135 – O Praise the Lord! His Praise Proclaim! (Stanzas 1&2)

THE CONFESSION OF OUR SINS TO GOD

Heavenly Father, we admit to you the sad truth that we often live as if we were unpitied orphans. You have called us your sons and daughters and have made us alive in Christ. We ought to think about you and worship you all day long and our hearts should constantly overflow with gratitude and obedience to you. Yet we find that we still are bent toward sin and drift easily away from you and toward temptation. We gratify the sinful desires of our bodies often and in many different ways through eating and drinking and sexual sins of many kinds. We medicate ourselves to escape our pain and entertain ourselves endlessly to distract our attention from our inner emptiness. Some of us control our bodies and submit them to rigorous physical, academic and spiritual disciplines as a way of controlling our world and passions without you, trying to prove that if we work hard enough we can earn your pleasure. Father forgive us for our many sins, those committed outwardly as well as those we cherish in secret. Holy Spirit of the living God, you have begun a good work in us and you will surely complete it. Though our sin may grieve you, it never stops you from working in us and through us. We thank you for the rich mercy that has saved us, raised us and seated us with Christ. May thoughts of your immeasurable riches toward us in Christ and the lavish provision that has been made for our sin, cheer our weary souls, strengthen us for obedience and transform us more and more into the image of our sinless Savior. In his powerful name we pray, amen.

SILENT MOMENT FOR CONFESSING PERSONAL SINS

GOD’S ASSURANCE THAT WE ARE PARDONED

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled and unfading, kept in heaven for you, who by God’s power are being guarded through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. In this you rejoice.

1 Peter 1:3–5

A HYMN OF RESPONSE TO GOD'S GRACE

Hymn 426 – How Vast the Benefits Divine

SCRIPTURE RELATIVE TO TODAY’S SERMON

Deut 7:6-8

Pew Bible Pg. 193

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

Eph 1:3-14

Pew Bible Pg. 1241

Identity Confirmation

Pastoral Intern Sam Lukosius

RESPONDING IN PRAISE TO GOD'S WORD

Hymn 448 – Union with Thee

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: Christian Fasting: Lesson 2

Prayer Meeting: Wednesday, August 11th, 6:30 pm

Christian Education 8:50 am - Sunday, August 15th, Chapter 26:1-15
R. C. Ryle's Matthew Study

Our next church picnic is **Saturday, August 14th, 4:00-7:30**. Perfect Potluck sign up coming soon!

The church is in need of more **ushers** for Sunday mornings. Ushers typically work in a four team rotation throughout the year. Please see Barry Johnson or River LaBelle for more information.

Birthdays:

August 11th – Melanie Beveridge

August 14th – Ethan Barr

Anniversaries:

August 8th – Carl & Jeanne Mores

August 12th – Joe & Ellen Marcel

August 14th – Thomas & Phoebe Hoffrage

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

Bulletin announcements should be submitted to Elly Mead by 12 noon on Tuesdays.
Please e-mail to pcccsecretary@gmail.com.

Women and girls are invited to join us for a bridal shower to honor **Terra La Belle** in her upcoming wedding. The shower will take place at the church on September 4th, 2021, at 3pm. As an alternative to cards, please bring a book for Terra that held special meaning to you. Terra is registered at Amazon and Bed Bath & Beyond under the name Caleb Reinhardt. We look forward to celebrating with you! Please RSVP by August 21st to schyliej@icloud.com or 774-368-8300.



“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 8th, 2021

Rev. Dr. James A. La Belle, Pastor

LIVE STREAMING @

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

Christian Education 8:50 - 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.