

EASTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A Stephen Ministry Congregation

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June 30, 2019



Welcome to Worship

3rd Sunday After Pentecost

June 30, 2019

9:00 & 11:00 a.m. Worship

+Please silence cell phones during the worship service+

* = Please stand, if you are able.

- If you would like the Pastor to announce and pray for a joy or concern during the Prayers of the People, please complete a gold Prayer Request form (located in the Friendship Pads) and place it in the offering plate when it is passed.

WE GATHER BEFORE GOD

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING OF FELLOWSHIP PADS

PRELUDE

Love Lifted Me

arr. Jina Park

CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 146: 5-6)

Leader: How blessed is he whose help is the God of Jacob,

People: Whose hope is in the Lord his God;

Leader: Who made heaven and earth,

People: The sea and all that is in them

PRAYER OF APPROACH

God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, you have been faithful to all generations, eternal and always the same; yesterday, today and forever. Therefore, we enter your gates with thanksgiving and your courts with praise. You alone are worthy of our adoration. Hear the songs of your people and be attentive to the prayers of our hearts poured out before you, Eternal God, Three in One, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.

*HYMN OF PRAISE NO. 478 *Praise My Soul, the King of Heaven*
(see words & music in back of bulletin)

Lauda Anima

***CALL TO RECONCILIATION (1 John 1:8-9)**

As the Scriptures remind us, “If we say we have no sin, we only deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God is faithful and just to forgive our sins and to cleanse us of all unrighteousness.”

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Loving Lord, we confess that we can, and often are, rebellious children, wanting to do as we choose rather than what you ask of us. We find ourselves victims of our own self-will and determination. In your mercy, O God, forgive and restore us. Let your discipline, when it is necessary, be gentle and your correction effective, so that we are able to serve you in joy, knowing that in your will we find our peace. Amen.

***ASSURANCE OF GOD’S GRACE (1 Peter 1:3-4)**

Leader: Hear the good news! “By God’s great mercy we have been born anew to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, and to an inheritance which is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you...” Therefore friends, believe the good news of the gospel.

People: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**

Step By Step

David Beaker

O Lord, You are my God, and I will e - ver praise You. O
Lord, You are my God, and I will e - ver praise You. I will
seek You in the morn - ing and I will learn to walk in Your ways, _____ and
step by step You'll lead me, and I will fol - low You all of my days.

***PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

SPECIAL MUSIC

Deep River / Shall We Gather
Ken Straub and Larry Bortner – vocal duet

arr. Lloyd Larson

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Hebrews 12:12-17

(pg. 1052 in pew Bibles)

What Grace Is Mine
Rev. Guy Dunham

arr. Lloyd Larson

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Genesis 33:1-20

(pg. 28 in pew Bibles)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

Unexpected Grace

***HYMN NO. 280**

Amazing Grace

Virginia Harmony

v. 1 – all, v. 2 – women, v. 3 – men, v. 4 and 5 – all
(see words & music in back of bulletin)

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S GRACE

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

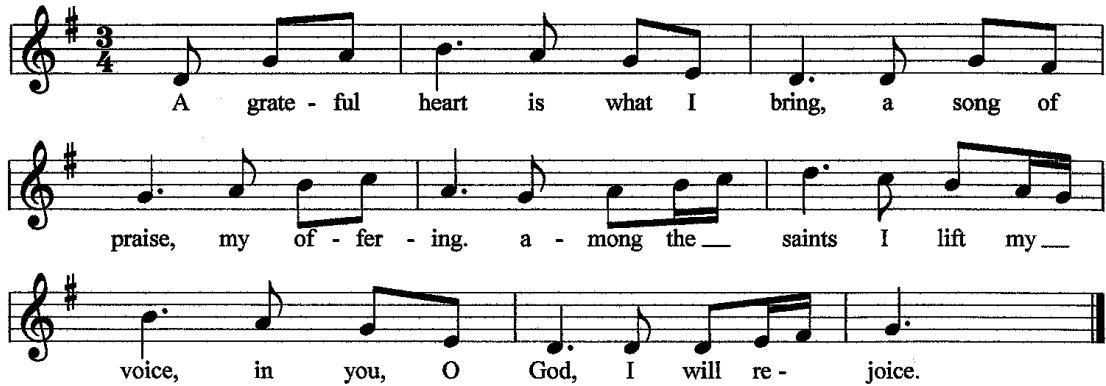
Headed for the Promised Land
Linda Williams, Ken Straub and Larry Bortner – vocal trio

Jay Althouse

***OFFERING RESPONSE**

A Grateful Heart

O Waly Waly



A grate - ful heart is what I bring, a song of
praise, my of - fer - ing. a - mong the saints I lift my
voice, in you, O God, I will re - joice.

***OFFERTORY PRAYER**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Traditional)

PH, pg. 16

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.

***HYMN**

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing
(see words & music in back of bulletin)

Nettleton

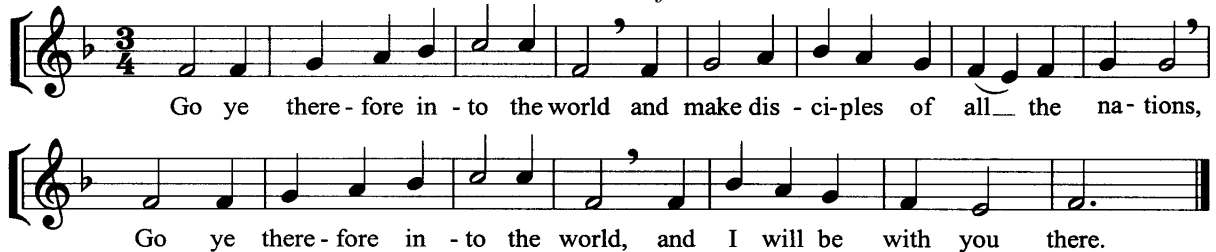
WE DEPART FOR SERVICE

***THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

***BENEDICTION RESPONSE**

Go Ye, Therefore

Gretchen Dekker



Go ye there - fore in - to the world and make dis - ci - ples of all the na - tions,
Go ye there - fore in - to the world, and I will be with you there.

Green children's worship bags are available and hanging on the wall in the Narthex at the rear of the church.

Wireless personal listening devices are available in the Sanctuary by contacting an usher.

The Presbyterian Hymnal is available in large print.
If you would like to use one, please ask an usher.

WORSHIP LEADERS

The Rev. Guy Dunham, Guest Pastor

Randy Yoder, Director of Music

11:00 Ushers: Gary Hoffman, Steve Cassel, Dave Lewis, Sandy Lewis

CHANCEL FLOWER DEDICATION

The flowers in the chancel today are given to the Glory of God and with love from Robert Casbeer's daughters and grandchildren in honor and celebration of his 90th birthday.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEXT SUNDAY, Chris Blackford will be our guest pastor. For our Special Music during worship, Sarah Blackford will play oboe at both services.

GROCERY CARDS -- Looking for some "newbies" to help the church while grocery shopping at Weis or Giant. You can get your normal shopping done while supporting the Facilities Management Committee. Our participation numbers are down, and we sure would love some extra orders! There are lots of projects being done now and in the future. Would you like to help beautify your church inside and out? Then sign up for some grocery cards TODAY. Payment and pick up will be next Sunday, July 7th, in the Multipurpose Room after each service. Thank you for your support and see you there.

HAINES HOUSE RAMP -- Facilities Management will be working on the ramp going into the front of Haines House this week. Beginning tomorrow (7/1), the old ramp will be removed, and a replacement will be constructed. Please be aware if you will be visiting this week. Work should be complete by Wednesday.

BROWNIE BAKERS -- As per the ordinary schedule, we will be delivering brownies to Our Daily Bread on July 4th. Please have them at church (or in the freezer) by 10:00 that morning. Thank you so much!

PENTECOST OFFERING -- This is the last Sunday we are collecting for this ministry of supporting faith development in youth. Forty percent stays at EPC for Christian Education and sixty percent goes beyond our church, far and near! Thank you for supporting this very important ministry!



Please keep these people in your prayers this week:

*+All our military men and women around the world and their families back home+
+Eastminster Presbyterian Church – its congregation, mission, and ministry+
+ Stephen Ministers and their care receivers+*

*Marilyn DiCola
Hilton Foore
Andrew Frey
Austin Fry
Heather Gallas
Mary Beth Grove
Jerry and Tania O'Hearn
Doris Ward*

*If you would like to have someone placed on the prayer list,
please first obtain that person's permission and then drop a note in the offering plate
or contact Beth Anne by e-mail at epcyorkoffice@gmail.com or phone 717-755-6222.*

The calendar in the bulletin gives this week's events. Copies of our latest newsletter are available in the Narthex in the back of the Sanctuary. The newsletter contains our worship schedule and information about the activities, events, and opportunities for ministry and mission offered at Eastminster.

CALENDAR

Please see our website, eastminster-york.org, for possible updates and changes.

Sun Jun 30		<i>TODAY is the last day to order grocery cards</i>
	9:00-10:00 a.m.	Worship – Outdoor Worship Center
	10:00-11:00 a.m.	Wired Word – Haines Reception Area
		Christian Education Meeting -- Library
		Coffee Hour – MPR*
	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Worship – Sanctuary
	4:00-6:30 p.m.	New Generation Ministry Worship – Fellowship Hall
Mon Jul 1		Work begins on Haines House ramp
Tues Jul 2	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Staff Meeting – MPR
Wed Jul 3	9:00-10:00 a.m.	Afghan Group – Board Room
	10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Cool Knitting/Warm Fellowship – Haines Reception Room
	7:00-8:30 p.m.	New Generation Ministry Youth – F. Hall & Room 13
Thur Jul 4	<i>Independence Day</i>	Church Offices Closed
Fri Jul 5		Church Offices Closed

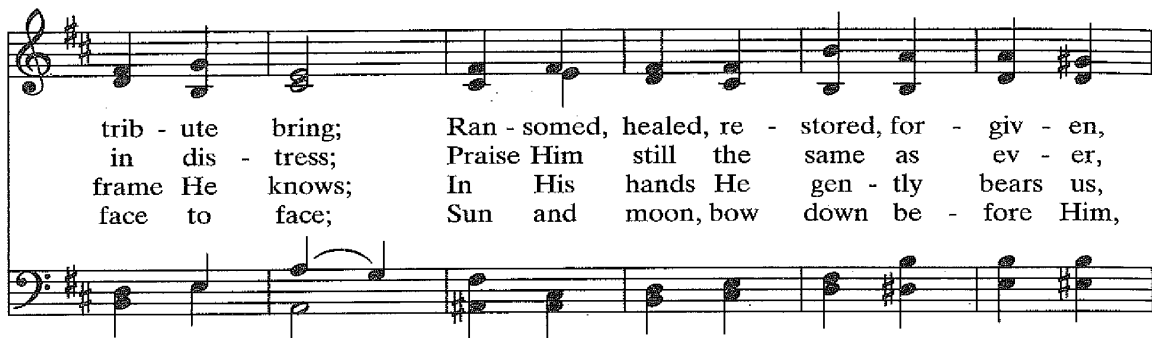
*MPR = Multipurpose Room

*HYMN OF PRAISE 478

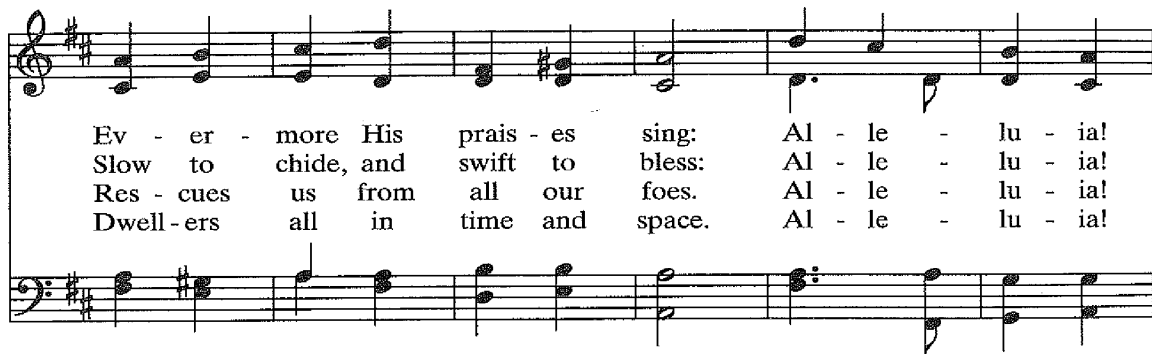
Praise, My Soul the King of Heaven *Lauda Anima*



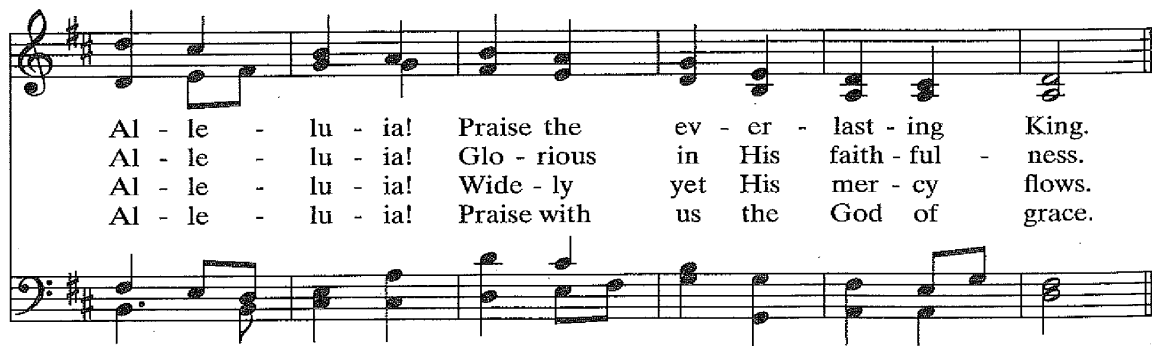
1. Praise, my soul, the King of heav - en; To His feet thy
2. Praise Him for His grace and fa - vor To His peo - ple
3. Fa - ther - like He tends and spares us; Well our fee - ble
4. An - gels, help us to a - dore Him: Ye be - hold Him



trib - ute bring; Ran - somed, healed, re - stored, for - giv - en,
in dis - tress; Praise Him still the same as ev - er,
frame He knows; In His hands He gen - tly bears us,
face to face; Sun and moon, bow down be - fore Him,



Ev - er - more His prais - es sing: Al - le - lu - ia!
Slow to chide, and swift to bless: Al - le - lu - ia!
Res - cues us from all our foes. Al - le - lu - ia!
Dwell - ers all in time and space. Al - le - lu - ia!



Al - le - lu - ia! Praise the ev - er - last - ing King.
Al - le - lu - ia! Glo - rious in His faith - ful - ness.
Al - le - lu - ia! Wide - ly yet His mer - cy flows.
Al - le - lu - ia! Praise with us the God of grace.



1. A - maz - ing grace, how sweet the sound, That saved a wretch like me!
2. 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, And grace my fears re - lieved;
3. Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares, I have al - read - y come;
4. The Lord has prom - ised good to me, His word my hope se - cures;



I once was lost, but now am found, Was blind, but now I see.
 How pre - cious did that grace ap - pear The hour I first be - lieved!
 'Tis grace has brought me safe thus far, And grace will lead me home.
 He will my shield and por - tion be As long as life en - dures.



5. When we've been there ten thousand
 years,
 Bright shining as the sun,
 We've no less days to sing God's praise
 Than when we'd first begun.

Choctaw
 Shilombish holitopa ma!
 Ishmminti pulla cha
 Hatak ilbusha pia ha
 Is pi yukpalashke

*HYMN

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Nettleton



1. Come, Thou Fount of ev - ery bless - ing, Tune my heart to sing Thy grace;
2. Hith - er - to Thy love has blest me; Thou hast bro't me to this place;
3. O to grace how great a debt - or Dai - ly I'm con - strained to be!



Streams of mer - cy, nev - er ceas - ing, Call for songs of loud - est praise.
And I know Thy hand will bring me Safe - ly home by Thy good grace.
Let Thy good - ness, like a fet - ter, Bind my wan - dering heart to Thee:



Teach me some me - lo - dious son - net, Sung by flam - ing tongues a - bove;
Je - sus sought me when a stran - ger, Wan - dering from the fold of God;
Prone to wan - der, Lord, I feel it, Prone to leave the God I love;



Praise His name— I'm fixed up - on it— Name of God's re - deem - ing love.
He, to res - cue me from dan - ger, Bought me with His precious blood.
Here's my heart, O take and seal it; Seal it for Thy courts a - bove. A - men.





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