GUILFORD PARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Traditional Worship Service
July 5, 2020

Celebrating Christ with open minds, loving hearts, and serving hands.
TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost        July 5, 2020

WELCOME, all who come to worship with us this day! May you discover the spirit of Christ in this place and among this church family. VISITORS will find name tags in the friendship pads in the pew racks. Please refrain from photography and sound recordings during worship.

ASSEMBLE IN GOD’S NAME

PRELUDE  Lord of the Dance  arr. Wilbur Held

The prelude is a time of transition, from hurried lives into the eternal presence of God.
At the sound of the bells, we invite you to make this a time of prayerful preparation for worship.

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS  Dr. David Cagle

OPENING SENTENCES  Psalm 100  Sally Beck

Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth. Worship the LORD with gladness; come into his presence with singing. Know that the LORD is God. It is he that made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture. Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise. Give thanks to him, bless his name. For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

PRAYER OF THE DAY*  Dr. David Cagle

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

OPENING HYMN  Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee  HYMN TO JOY

SERVING IN WORSHIP

Ministers: All the members of the Church
Transitional Pastor: David Cagle
Christian Educator for Children and Youth: Kim Row
Director of Music Ministries and Organist: Bill Allred
Director of Contemporary Music: Brian Fitts
Church Administrator: Jane Sharpe
Congregational Nurse: Susan Smith
YES Accompanist: Jordan Hart
Missionaries we support:
Pablo and Jan Feliciano in Mexico
Tracey King-Ortega in Nicaragua
OLD TESTAMENT LESSON
II Samuel 6:12-15
12 It was told King David, “The Lord has blessed the household of Obed-edom and all that belongs to him, because of the ark of God.” So David went and brought up the ark of God from the house of Obed-edom to the city of David with rejoicing; 13 and when those who bore the ark of the Lord had gone six paces, he sacrificed an ox and a fatling. 14 David danced before the Lord with all his might; David was girded with a linen ephod. 15 So David and all the house of Israel brought up the ark of the Lord with shouting, and with the sound of the trumpet.

CHILDREN’S SERMON
Kim Row

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON
I John 1:1-2:2
1 We declare to you what was from the beginning, what we have heard, what we have seen with our eyes, what we have looked at and touched with our hands, concerning the word of life—2 this life was revealed, and we have seen it and testify to it, and declare to you the eternal life that was with the Father and was revealed to us—3 we declare to you what we have seen and heard so that you also may have fellowship with us; and truly our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son Jesus Christ.

4 We are writing these things so that our joy may be complete.
5 This is the message we have heard from him and proclaim to you, that God is light and in him there is no darkness at all.
6 If we say that we have fellowship with him while we are walking in darkness, we lie and do not do what is true; 7 but if we walk in the light as he himself is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin.
8 If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.
9 If we confess our sins, he who is faithful and just will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.
10 If we say that we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us.
2 My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous; 2 and he is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world.

THE SERMON
“Learning to Dance”
Dr. Cagle
GIVING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

OFFERTORY

Alleluia
W.A. Mozart

Jasmine Ismail, soprano

HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation to the table
Words of institution
The Communion
Prayer after Communion

HYMN

I Danced in the Morning
LORD OF THE DANCE

GO IN GOD’S NAME

BLESSING

POSTLUDE

Hymn to Joy
arr. Wayne Wold

END OF WORSHIP

BEGINNING OF SERVICE

*The Service for the Lord’s Day, SLR 1

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