FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
Mindy Douglas

PRELUDE
My Heart Exalts with Rapture
J. Brahms

*CALL TO WORSHIP
Griffin Momsen-Hudson

Leader: Rejoice, friends, Jesus is in our midst.
People: Feed us, Jesus, and fill us with hope.
Leader: Be glad, friends, Jesus has bread and fish to spare.
People: Free us, Jesus, from the pursuit of food that does not satisfy.
Leader: Sing for joy, people of God; God gathers up the pieces of our lives, that nothing may be lost.
All: Let us worship God.

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN NO. 10
Sing Glory to the Name of God
Lasst Uns Erfreuen
Sam Migliarese

*CONFESSION OF SIN (remain standing)
Call to Prayer
Prayer of Confession (in unison)

Holy God, we come believing in our emptiness, believing that we will never have enough, believing that what we have is unworthy. We come fearful of sharing, fearful of losing our tenuous grip on security, fearful of touching and knowing the pain of others. We come overwhelmed by the hunger, overwhelmed by the suffering of children near and far, overwhelmed by the endless tales of senseless violence, greed and death. Bless, break, and share that all might partake of your abundant love and care.

Silent Confession
Declaration of Pardon

COLLECT FOR THE DAY
Sarah Finbow

Leader: The Lord be with you.
People: And also with you.
Leader: Let us pray.
All: Almighty God, your Son Jesus Christ fed the hungry with the bread of his life and the word of his kingdom. Renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your true and living bread, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

HEBREW SCRIPTURE LESSON
2 Kings 4:42-44 (Pew Bible, OT Page 336)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God!

*PSALM RESPONSE (Hymn No. 270)
O Lord, You Are My God and King
Jerusalem

*Those who are able, please stand.
GOSPEL LESSON
Leader: The Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God!

SERMON
"Lovefeast" Marilyn Hedgpeth

*HYMN NO. 498
Loaves Were Broken, Words Were Spoken Beach Spring
(Children through 1st grade enter during the hymn.)

A TIME WITH THE CHILDREN Marilyn Hedgpeth
(Following "A Time with Children," children may join their parents in the pews or return to the nursery.)

SETTING THE TABLE Youth Helpers

THE BLESSING Mindy Douglas
Leader: How wonderful it is, how pleasant, for God's people to live together in harmony.
Welcome to this feast, in the name of Christ. We come to share God's love.
People: We come to share our food and our lives.
Leader: We come to feast together, and open ourselves to each other.
People: We come to express our faith and thanks.
Leader: May God bless this food and this fellowship.
People: As we share our food, we give thanks for this abundance, and we remember those who do not have enough.
Leader: May God give food to those who are hungry.
People: May God give us a hunger for justice, and a determination to serve those who hunger for food.

THE LOVEFEAST Marilyn Hedgpeth
(You and your family are invited to come down the center aisle, take a napkin, and help yourselves to the loaves and fish, making sure that enough remains so that everyone in the sanctuary has something to eat.)

Hymn No. 525 (all sing) Let Us Break Bread Together on Our Knees Let Us Break Bread
Hymn No. 519 (all sing) You Are My Strength When I Am Weak Jernigan

*THE PEACE Sam Migliarese
Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.
People: And also with you.

*COLLECTION OF LEFTOVERS Youth Helpers
Hymn No. 515 (all sing) I Come with Joy Dove of Peace

JOYS AND CONCERNS Mindy Douglas

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER
Leader: The Lord upholds those who are falling;
People: God raises those who are bowed down.
Leader: Let us pray.

(Prayers of thanksgiving and intercession)

... 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.
DEDICATION OF OFFERINGS
Offertory Anthem

The Call
Ralph Vaughan-Williams

Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life: Such a Way, as gives us breath:
Such a Truth, as ends all strife: Such a Life, as killeth death.

Come, my Light, my Feast, my Strength: such a Light as shows a feast:
Such a Feast as mends in length: such a Strength, as makes his guest.

Come, my Joy, my Love, my Heart: Such a Joy, as none can move:
Such a Love, as none can part: Such a Heart, as joys in love.

George Herbert (1593-1633)

*Doxology (Hymn No.643, verse 3)
Nun Danket Alle Gott
All praise and thanks to God, who reigns in highest heaven, to Father and to Son and Spirit now be given.
The one eternal God, whom heaven and earth adore, the God who was, and is, and shall be evermore.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION
Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.
People: It is right to offer thanks and praise.
All: Merciful God, the gifts we bring are so small in comparison to the vast needs in our world – nowhere near enough to save the thousands suffering from starvation around the world, or even to meet the needs of the hungry and homeless in our community. Yet we have brought what we can. As you once multiplied the five small loaves and two fish, multiply these gifts as well, so that once again, the hungry may receive all they need and more. Amen.

RECOGNITION OF SARAH FINBOW
Mindy Douglas and Marilyn Hedgpeth

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (in unison) from the Confession of 1967
Cherrie Henry
God’s sovereign love is a mystery beyond the reach of the human mind. Human thought ascribes to God superlatives of power, wisdom, and goodness. But God reveals divine love in Jesus Christ by showing power in the form of a servant, wisdom in the folly of the cross, and goodness in receiving sinful men and women. The power of God’s love in Christ to transform the world discloses that the Redeemer is the Lord and Creator who made all things to serve the purpose of God’s love.

*HYMN NO. 526
Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ
Linsestd

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION
(from Ephesians 3)
Marilyn Hedgpeth

*POSTLUDE
I’m at the Beautiful Gate
Max Drischner

Following worship, you are invited to Watts-Hill Hall for a reception honoring Sarah Finbow.

First Presbyterian Church welcomes all who worship here. We honor and celebrate the human diversity and unity that God gives us in Christ. We welcome individuals of every age, race, nationality, gender, ability, sexual orientation, and economic circumstance to participate fully in the life of the church. So that we may better know each other, please sign the Ritual of Friendship pad, pass it along the center pew across to the shorter side pew, and then return it to the starting point, noting the names of those sitting near you. On Sunday, July 22, we welcomed 22 visitors in worship.

Special thanks to Gordon Campbell for providing music for today’s worship while Kathy Parkins is away.
The flowers are given to the glory of God and in memory of Ted and Jerry Tyren by Riley and Nancy Tyren Parker.

Nursery care for infants to 6 years of age is provided during worship on the second floor of the Education Building. There is a changing table in the narthex, located to the left as you exit the rear of the sanctuary.

Portions of today’s worship texts were reprinted from Book of Common Worship (2018) and The Confession of 1967.

Worship bags and activity bulletins are available in the foyer for children. Books are on the pews in the narthex for young children to read and enjoy should they need a break from the service.

About the bulletin cover: Bread and Fish, from Art in the Christian Tradition, a project of the Vanderbilt Divinity Library, Nashville, TN. http://diglib.library.vanderbilt.edu/act-imagelink.pl?RC=49993 [retrieved July 18, 2018].

Annual Report committee and ministry summaries for the 2017-2018 church year are due to Valerie in the church office by July 31, 2018. Contact Valerie (v.mcmillian@firstpres-durham.org) if you need help.

~ Our Concerns ~

Memorial Service: The family of Florence Shackelford has requested a Service of Witness to the Resurrection be held Friday, August 3 at 2:30 p.m. in the sanctuary of FPC. The family will receive friends at a reception in Watts-Hill Hall following the service.

Sympathies: The love and concern of the congregation are extended to Mary Banner and family on the death of her husband and former FPC member, Dan Banner, who passed away July 24 in Wilmington, Ohio. Dan’s memorial service has been planned for Thursday, August 2 at 2:00 p.m. in Wilmington, Ohio. There will be an additional graveside service at a later date in Greensboro, NC.

Added this week: Jerry Arrowood, brother of Al Arrowood

Mandy Wooten, sister of Randy Lang Howard

Franzi Rokoske
Carolyn Wolfe

Brookdale Senior Living, Durham: Julian Boswell
Croasdaile Pavilion: Bette Conroy, Bob Rankin
Dubose Center, Chapel Hill: Mary Clark
Durham Regent: John Kerr, Ann Prospero
Pruitt Health at Carolina Point, Durham: Helen Garrison
The Forest at Duke: Fran Bryant, Peaches McPherson

Family and Friends of Church Members and Staff:
Marc and Polly Crawford, friends of Brianna Bennett
Kyle, grandson of Linda Dobson
Maria Holland, daughter of Katy and Bruce Loebich
Marsha Hussung, sister of Brent Curtis
Carolyn Kreuger, former member of FPC
Dell McMillian, brother-in-law of Valerie McMillian
Mary Putman, friend of FPC
Great Big Church Family Festival

Picnic    Swimming    Crafts    Gaga Ball    Worship

Date: August 5, 2018
Time: 4:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Location: Camp New Hope,
4805 NC-86, Chapel Hill

Intergenerational Event
with Duke Memorial United Methodist,
Mt. Bethel PC, Trinity Ave. PC, and First PC.
FPC's Special guests: Iglesia Emanuel

Picnic cost:
Families: $10; Individuals: $5
Pay on site

For more info: call 919-682-5511 or send
e-mail to: m.hedgpeth@firstpres-durham.org

SERVE THE LORD
WITH GLADNESS!
Bring school supplies for our
Crayons2Calculators
service project.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

To ensure we have enough food and supplies, please RSVP using the enclosed
meal reservation slip. For more information, and to volunteer at this event,
contact Marilyn Hedgpeth at 919-682-5511 x 220 or m.hedgpeth@firstpres-
durham.org.
MOST NEEDED ITEMS
Hand Sanitizer  No. 2 Pencils  Colored Pencils  Tissues  Tape
Mechanical Pencils  Index Cards  Dry Erase Markers  Staplers
2 Pocket Folders  Construction Paper  Sharpies  Clip Boards
Permanent Markers  Colored Marker Sets  Scissors (student & adult)

Fill That Bus!
School Supply Drive
July 23 - August 18

Bring your donations to FPC and place them in the bins provided.
10 Sing Glory to the Name of God
(Psalm 29)

1 Sing glory to the name of God, whose holy splendor shines abroad.
2 The name of God is full of might: resounding thunder, flashing light.
3 The name of God is wild and free, a whirl in holy mystery.
4 May God forever be our peace; may hymns of glory never cease:

Enthroned above the crash-ing waves, the God of grace and glory saves.

Not contain the echoes of the great refrain:

Let all the faith-ful, smoke and fire, still chant-ed by the tem-ple choir:

Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia! The wild-er-ness can-

Peo-ple come; sing praise to God, the Three-in-One:
Harmony

Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia,

Unison

al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia!
O Lord, You Are My God and King  270
(Psalm 145)

1 O Lord, you are my God and King, and I will
2 How rich in grace are you, O Lord, full of com-
3 Your works will give you thanks, O Lord; your saints your

ever bless your name; I will ex - tol you ev - ery day, and
passion, mer - ci - ful, your an - ger al - ways slow to rise; your
mighty acts will show, till all the peo - ples of the earth your

ever - more your praise pro - claim. You, Lord, are great - ly
stead - fast love you show to all, for you are good in
king - dom, pow - er, glo - ry know. E - ter - nal is your


to be praised; your great - ness is be - yond our thought; all
all your ways; your crea - tures know your con - stant care. To
king - dom, Lord, for - ev - er strong, for - ev - er sure; while


gen - er - a - tions shall tell forth the might - y won - ders you have wrought.
all your works your love ex - tends; all souls your ten - der mer-cies share.
gen - er - a - tions rise and die, your high do-min-ion will en - dure.
Loaves Were Broken, Words Were Spoken

1. Loaves were broken, words were spoken by the Gal-ilean shore. Jesus, Bread of Life from heaven, was their room one night. In the bread and wine you gave them, Christ, you gathered here. Jesus speaks across the ages: “I am name to share bread for which the millions hunger, words that

2. Loaves were broken, words were spoken in a quiet place. Gather here. Jesus speaks across the ages: “I am name to share bread for which the millions hunger, words that

3. Loaves are broken, words are spoken, as in faith we

4. By the loaves you break and give us, send us in your

food forevermore. came as Light from Light. By your body broken
with you; do not fear!” By your body broken
tell your love and care.

for us, by your wine of life out-poured, Jesus, feed a-

gain your people. Be our Host, our Life, our Lord.
Let Us Break Bread Together

1 Let us break bread together on our knees; (on our knees)
2 Let us drink wine together on our knees; (on our knees)
3 Let us praise God together on our knees; (on our knees)

let us break bread together on our knees. (on our knees)
let us drink wine together on our knees. (on our knees)
let us praise God together on our knees. (on our knees)

Refrain
When I fall on my knees, with my face to the rising sun,

O Lord, have mercy on me. (on me)
You Are My Strength When I Am Weak

You Are My All in All

Capo 5: (C) (G) (Am7) (Em) (C)

F C Dm7 Am F

You are my strength when I am weak; you are the treasure that I seek; you are my all in all.

When I fall down, you pick me up; when I am dry, you fill my cup; you are my all in all.

Je - sus, Lamb of God, wor - thy is your name!

Je - sus, Lamb of God, wor - thy is your name!
I Come with Joy

Capo 3: (D) (G) (A) (D) (Bm)
F Bb C F Dm

1 I come with joy, a child of God, forgiven, loved, and
2 I come with Christians far and near to find, as all are
3 As Christ breaks bread and bids us share, each proud division
4 The Spirit of the risen Christ, unseen, but ever
5 Together met, together bound by all that God has

(Asus) (Am) (G) (F#m) (D)
Csus Cm Bb Am F

free, the life of Jesus to recall, in
fed, the new community of love in
ends. The love that made us, makes us one, and
near, is in such friendship better known, a-
done, we'll go with joy, to give the world the

(Em) (D/F#) (G) (A) (Am7) (D)
Gm F/A Bb C Cm7 F

love laid down for me, in love laid down for me.
Christ's communion bread, in Christ's communion bread.
strangers now are friends, and strangers now are friends.
live among us here, a-live among us here.
love that makes us one, the love that makes us one.
526 Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ

1 Let us talents and tongues employ, reaching out with a shout of joy; bread is broken; the wine is poured; Christ is spoken and seen and heard. love in word and in deed express. Jesus lives again; earth can breathe again; pass the Word around: loaves abound!

2 Christ is able to make us one; at the table he sets the tone, teaching people to live to bless, world of doubt, gives us love to tell, bread to share: God (Immanuel) everywhere!

3 Jesus calls us in, sends us out bearing fruit in a Refrain Christ is spoken and seen and heard. love in word and in deed express. Jesus lives again; earth can breathe again; pass the Word around: loaves abound!
The Week at a Glance!

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| Thursday, August 2        | Friday, August 3                        | Saturday, August 4             | Sunday, August 5           |
| Day School Closed (Teacher Workday) | Noon – 1:00 PM Durham Cares Pilgrimage at FPC | **6:00 PM** SCRATCH potluck at the home of Ian and Jennie Belle | 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time Welcome to John Weicher |
|                           | **2:30 PM** Memorial Service for Florence Shackelford with reception following | **6:00 PM** First Friends and Families potluck at the Momsen-Hudson Home | 9:45 AM Summer Sunday School |
|                           | Day School Closed (Teacher Workday)      |                                | 11:00 AM Worship and Communion |

~ Serving Today ~

Greeter: **Debbie Hamlin-Aggrey**
Ushers: **Amy Dillon** (head), **Emily Wilkins** (flowers), **Katy Barron** (counter), **Mickey Velkry, Amy Sanchez, Matt Cline**
After Worship Greeters: **Dewey Lawson** (side/font), **Delia Kwon** (rear/narthex)

CHURCH STAFF

Tom Bloom, Business Administrator
Robert Daye, Sexton
Mindy Douglas, Pastor/Head of Staff
Susan Dunlap, Parish Associate
Sarah Finbow, Youth Minister

Marilyn Hedgpeth, Associate Pastor
Cheryl Henry, Parish Associate
Valerie McMillian, Parish Administrator
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