

Order of Worship
July 28, 2019 – 11:00 a.m.
Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome, Announcements and Prayer Concerns

Introit: “Jesus in the Morning” (verses 1, 2 & 5) insert

PRAISE AND ADORATION

Call to Worship: (responsively) (based on Psalm 85:9-12)

Leader: Surely God’s salvation is near those who fear him, so that his glory may dwell in our land.

People: In God’s presence, love and faithfulness meet together; righteousness and peace kiss each other.

Leader: In God’s mercy, faithfulness springs forth from the earth, and righteousness looks down from heaven.

People: Because of his great love for us the LORD will indeed give what is good, and our land will yield its harvest.

All: Therefore, we will praise the God who cares for us and is with us.

*Hymn: “When Morning Gilds the Skies” # 487

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession: (in unison)

Gracious and merciful God, over and over again you challenge us to risk becoming the people you know we can become with your love and Jesus’ life within us. We know that the power of sin controls many lives in our communities today – causing people to live lives filled with suffering and hopelessness. When our conduct fails to measure up to the demands of the gospel, and when we use our gifts to further our own ambitions, rather than building others up, forgive us. When our weak Christian witness makes it easier for others to worship the gods of our culture, forgive us. Help us to empty ourselves of habits which are destructive to ourselves and others, so that we can be filled with the selfless life of Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

Confession Response: **“Lord have mercy upon us. Christ have mercy upon us. Lord have mercy upon us.”** # 574

Assurance of Pardon

Greeting One Another

*Response “Gloria Patri” # 579

HEARING THE WORD

Let the Children Come

Choral Music

Scripture Reading: Luke 11:1-13

Sermon: “What Jesus Taught about Prayer”

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

*Hymn: “What a Friend We Have in Jesus” # 403

Prayers of the People and The Lord’s Prayer

Offertory and Presentation of Gifts to God

*Doxology # 592

*Prayer of Dedication

Affirmation of Faith: The Apostles’ Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead, he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father almighty. From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy universal church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*Hymn: “Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart” # 326

*Charge and Benediction

*Benediction Response: “Jesus in the Morning” (verses 3, 4 & 5)

Welcome Visitors, we invite you to sign our guest register located on the book stand to the right before you enter the sanctuary. If you would like to join this congregation, please speak with Pastor Yvonne Thurmond after the service.

Calendar of Events

See the insert.

Ministry with the Children

Today – Kathy Staton (sermon), Lelia Bruder (downstairs)
Next Sunday (August 04th) – Pastor Yvonne (sermon), Christine Rose (downstairs)

Yvonne M. Thurmond, Pastor – 828-544-5076 (home)
Mary Lou Furr, Pianist and Choir Director
Rachel Marler, Organist

The Session:

Class of 2019
Lelia Bruder
Kathy Staton

Class of 2020
Judy Galey
Anita Woods

Class of 2021
Ann Dietz
Grace Glenn
Ruth Pershing

Church Address: 2698 NC 181; Morganton, NC 28655
Telephone: 828-544-5076

Copyright license: 11162614

Quaker Meadows Presbyterian Church

Established in 1774
quakermeadowspc.org

In Ministry Together for the Glory of God

“The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. Now those who belong to Christ Jesus live by the Spirit”, so let us speak and act in ways which show the gifts of the Holy Spirit in our lives.

Adapted from Galatians 5:22-23 & 25