# Celebration of Worship

July 25, 2021 9:30 A.M.

Prelude The Old Rugged Cross arr. Innes

Reflection Rev. James Forbes

"Let's be cautious about relying so much on material things that we have no energy left for the spiritual aspects of our lives."

Welcome, Announcements and Minute for Mission

Ringing of the Bell

There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit Song # 398

Call to Worship

Leader: We join together as hungry eaters to be nourished by the

food that you offer us.

God of sustenance, give us this day our daily bread. All:

Leader: As you care for the wheat fields that turn into bread and the

vineyards that labor to produce sweet wine, tend to our

bodies by feeding us what we need for healthy growth.

All: God of abundance, give us this day our daily bread.

Leader: The rich crops that you have prepared are now ready to be

harvested by our hands and our hearts.

Holy Spirit, come! Give us this day our daily bread. AII:

Prayer of Invocation

All: Holy Chef, may we savor the dishes that you have

prepared for us this day. With each bite of your holy feast, enliven our senses so that we may delight in the

new and tantalizing flavors you have created.

Shine, Jesus, Shine Hymn

**Prayer of Confession** 

AII: Great Provider, we recognize that widespread hunger is no longer necessary. You have given us humans the

resources to feed all people, yet we are selfish. While we overfill our bellies with food and lay to waste the spaces needed for crops to flourish, others are crying out for crumbs from our tables. Living God, cultivate within our hearts reckless generosity, and plant within

us spirits of simplicity and balance in body and soul.

(Moment of silence and reflection)

**Assurance of Pardon** 

Leader: Though at times we fail to be generous, your generosity toward us is never-ending! By sending Christ and the Spirit to your people, you have extended generosity beyond measure. Let us now do the same by greeting

each other with a sign of peace.

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be.

World without end. Amen. Amen.

**Scripture Readings** Psalm 14

Ephesians 3:14-21

Hymn Blessed Assurance # 341

Scripture Reading John 6:1-21

Sermon No Fear in Love

Rev. Phil Davis. Sr.

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer (Debts/Debtors)

Mail your gifts or click the WPC website 'Give' button Offering

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Christ, all people here below;

Praise Holy Spirit evermore;

Praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.

**Blessing the Offering** 

Closing Hymn God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending

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Benediction

Postlude Fantasia on "Bryn Calfaria" arr. Innes

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Rev. Phil Davis, Sr.



# There's A Sweet, Sweet Spirit

There's a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place, and I know that it's the Spirit of the Lord.

There's a sweet expression on each face, and I know they feel the presence of the Lord.

Sweet Holy Spirit, Sweet Heavenly Dove, stay right here with us, filling us with Your love.

And for these blessings we lift our hearts in praise:

Without a doubt we'll know that we have been revived when we shall leave this place.

### Shine, Jesus, Shine

Lord, the light of your love is shining, In the midst of the darkness, shining; Jesus, Light of the Word, shine upon us; Set us free by the truth you now bring us. Shine on me; shine on me.

#### Refrain -

Shine, Jesus, shine; fill this land with the Father's glory. Blaze, Spirit, blaze; set our hearts on fire. Flow, river, flow; flood the nations with grace and mercy. Send forth your Word, Lord, and let there be light.

Lord, I come to your awesome presence, From the shadows into your radiance. By the blood I may enter your brightness. Search me; try me; consume all my darkness. Shine on me; shine on me. Refrain –

As we gaze on your Kingly brightness, So our faces display your likeness. Ever changing from glory to glory, Mirrored here may our lives tell your story. Shine on me; shine on me. Refrain -

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#### **MEMORY VERSE**

For you have been born again, not of perishable seed, but of imperishable, through the living and enduring word of God. 1 Peter 1:23 **Blessed Assurance** 

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!
O what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.

Refrain -

This is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long. This is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long.

Perfect submission, perfect delight, Visions of rapture now burst on my sight; Angels, descending, bring from above Echoes of mercy, whispers of love. Refrain -

Perfect submission, all is at rest; I in my Savior am happy and blest, Watching and waiting, looking above, Filled with His goodness, lost in His love. Refrain -

# **God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending**

God whose giving knows no ending from Your rich and endless store, Nature's wonder, Jesus' wisdom, costly cross, grave's shattered door. Gifted by You, we turn to You, offering up ourselves in praise. Thankful song shall rise forever, gracious donor of our days.

Skills and time are ours for pressing toward the goals of Christ, Your Son:
All at peace in health and freedom, races joined, the church made one.
Now direct our daily labor, lest we strive for self alone;
Born with talents, make us servants fit to answer at Your throne.

Treasure too You have entrusted, gain through powers Your grace conferred; Ours to use for home and kindred, and to spread the gospel Word. Open wide our hands in sharing, as we heed Christ's ageless call, Healing, teaching, and reclaiming, serving You by loving all.

### LECTIONARY PASSAGES

	Today, July 25 <sup>™</sup>	Next Sunday, August 1 <sup>s</sup>
Old Testament	II Kings 4:42-44	Ezekiel 16:2-4, 9-16
Psalm	Psalm 145:10-18	Psalm 78:23-29
New Testament	Ephesians 3:14-21	Ephesians 4:1-16
Gospel	John 6:1-21	John 6:24-35

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- 1. WELCOME to Webster Presbyterian Church! We are pleased that you are worshipping with us, whether by Zoom or in person.
- NEW SERVICE GUIDELINES FOR IN-PERSON WORSHIP –
   Fully vaccinated? Masks are optional.
   Not fully vaccinated? Wear your mask at all times in church.
   ALL ARE WELCOME. No reservations needed.
- 4. VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL is happening this week!! Please keep all our children, teachers and helpers in your prayers for a safe, joyful and rewarding week together.
- WEDNESDAY'S LEARNING FOR A LIFETIME at 7 pm on Zoom is the final in a 7-part DVD series "Jesus in Me – Experiencing the Holy Spirit," helping us discover how to better love and rely on the person of the Holy Spirit and embrace how much He loves us. https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5123370883?pwd=amEybzBPczhQbkx4c 1N5TW9uVzF1Zz09
- 6. FAVORITE HYMNS AND PRAISE MUSIC What are your favorites? Your Music & Worship Team wants to know. We are putting together a list of your "Top 40" hymns and praise songs to be used for our church services in the future. Share your picks by:
  - Taking a simple survey at https://forms.gle/p8oyGWpv59XyYvc6A
  - Sending your favorites to Lee Ann Daigle, Georgia Hubbard, or members of the Music Team: Jackie Anderson, Todd Fargo, Sally Turner or Bob Blakey.
- 7. THE SUMMER MISSION OFFERING IS IN PROGRESS! The two worthy local causes this summer are the South Wedge Food Program and Bellas Bumbas. Our goal is \$6000, and whatever we collect will be evenly divided. Please prayerfully consider a generous contribution. For more information you may visit their websites: <a href="https://www.rocsalt.org/southwedgefoodprogram/www.bellasbumbas.com">www.rocsalt.org/southwedgefoodprogram/www.bellasbumbas.com</a>

- 8. SCHOOL SUPPLIES for needy students at the Williamson Come-Unity Center and Eastern Service Workers will again be collected this year through August 15<sup>th</sup> by the Mission Committee. Check out the sales for crayons, pencils, markers, scissors, glue sticks, folders, and especially back packs, which can be purchased at the store Five Below for \$5.00 each. Many items can be purchased at the Dollar Store as well. Collection boxes are located outside the north entrance of the church and in both the upper and lower Narthex area.
- 9. OUR WPC OFFICE is looking for a qualified person to fill a part-time position beginning in the fall. We anticipate this position would start at 10-12 hours per week during church office hours. An applicant must have good communication skills and a working knowledge and proficiency in the use of Microsoft Word as well as the ability to learn other programs and financial software currently used by the office staff. To learn more, contact Dan Marsh (760-9241) or Bob Smith (755-8700).

#### THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

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### Sunday, July 25

9:30 A.M Worship Service in the Sanctuary and on Zoom

10:30 A.M. Church of God by Faith in the Chapel

### Monday, July 26

9:00 A.M. Vacation Bible School in all Rooms

6:00 P.M. Bell Quartet Rehearsal in the Sanctuary

# Tuesday, July 27

9:00 A.M. Vacation Bible School in all Rooms

5:00 P.M. TOPS in Room 9/10

# Wednesday, July 28

9:00 A.M. Vacation Bible School in all Rooms

6:30 A.M. Men's Bible Study at Golden Boys Restaurant

7:00 P.M. Adult Ed. DVD on the Holy Spirit on Zoom

### Thursday, July 29

7:30 A.M. Bible Study on Zoom

# Saturday, July 31

9:00 A.M. Prayer Time on Zoom

5:00 P.M. Rose's Birthday Celebration in the Social Room

### Sunday, August 1

9:30 A.M. Worship Service in the Sanctuary and on Zoom

10:30 A.M. Church of God by Faith in the Chapel