

Order for the Public Worship of God

The Twenty-sixth Day of June, Two Thousand and Eleven

Season of Trinity

8:15 and 11:00 a.m. • The Sanctuary

*As you enter the Sanctuary, please assume a quiet and respectful attitude of worship.
Please silence your mobile devices.*

ORGAN AND BRASS PRELUDE: "Processional"G.F. Handel
"Heroic Music"G.P. Telemann

Lenora Morrow, Organist

CHORAL INTROIT: "I Will Sing unto the Lord"S. Pethel

I will sing unto the Lord, for He has triumphed gloriously.
The Lord is my strength and song and He has become my salvation.
I will exalt Him.

*The Westminster Singers (8:15) · The Chancel Choir (11:00)
Gabriel C. Statom, Director of Music*

CALL TO WORSHIPDarrin S. Anthony

✦HYMN OF PRAISE: No. 76 "Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven" LAUDA ANIMA

✦READING FROM THE PSALMS:
Psalm 118:1, 5-9, 14, 19-24, 29Albert L. Throckmorton (8:15)
Candace C. Willis (11:00)

Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;

for his steadfast love endures forever!

Out of my distress I called on the Lord;

the Lord answered me and set me free.

The Lord is on my side; I will not fear.

What can man do to me?

The Lord is on my side as my helper;

I shall look in triumph on those who hate me.

It is better to take refuge in the Lord than to trust in man.

It is better to take refuge in the Lord than to trust in princes.

The Lord is my strength and my song;

he has become my salvation.

Open to me the gates of righteousness,
that I may enter through them and give thanks to the Lord.

**This is the gate of the Lord;
the righteous shall enter through it.**

I thank you that you have answered me
and have become my salvation.

**The stone that the builders rejected
has become the cornerstone.**

This is the Lord's doing;

it is marvelous in our eyes.

This is the day that the Lord has made;

let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;

for his steadfast love endures forever!

✦ CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE LAUDA ANIMA

**Laud and honor to the Father, laud and honor to the Son,
Laud and honor to the Spirit, ever Three and ever One,
One in might, and One in glory, while unending ages run.**

✦ PRAYER OF ADORATION

SACRAMENT OF CHRISTIAN BAPTISM (8:15)

*Benjamin Lawrence Odom, born April 1, 2010, son of Christine and Neil Odom
Eleanor Frances Fore, born November 9, 2010, daughter of Mary Evelyn and Dan Fore*

PARENTAL VOWS

Do you acknowledge your child’s need of the cleansing blood of the Lord Jesus Christ and the renewing grace of the Holy Spirit?

Do you claim God’s covenant promises on his behalf, and do you look to the Lord Jesus Christ for his salvation, as you do for your own?

Do you unreservedly dedicate your child to God, and promise, in humble reliance upon divine grace, that you will endeavor to set before him a godly example, that you will pray with and for him, that you will teach him the sacred Scriptures, and that you will strive, by all the means that God provides you, to bring him up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord?

CONGREGATIONAL VOW

Do you undertake the responsibility to assist these parents in the Christian nurture of their child?

SONG OF ENCOURAGEMENT: “Jesus Loves You” JESUS LOVES ME

**Jesus loves you, this we know, for the Bible tells us so;
Little ones to Him belong, you are weak but He is strong.
Yes, Jesus loves you! Yes, Jesus loves you!
Yes, Jesus loves you! The Bible tells us so.**

READING FROM THE GOSPELS John 6:35-40
(page 892 in pew Bible)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Lord Jesus Christ, the Bread of Life,
Who commands all sinners everywhere
to trust in You for their salvation,
we confess that we failed to believe in You
with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength.
Please forgive our unfaithful, untrusting hearts.
We are truly sorry, and we plead for Your healing grace,
that we might draw near to You with full assurance
and delight in Your saving grace
and serve You with cheerful zeal
to the glory of Your matchless Name. Amen.**

INDIVIDUAL PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF DIVINE PARDON

✦ HYMN OF GRATITUDE: No. 164 “O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing” AZMON

PRESENTATION OF GIFTS TO GOD Michael R. Gatliff

OFFERTORY ANTHEM: "Sing Praise to the Lord" Baker/Parry

Sing praise to the Lord! Praise Him in the height;
Rejoice in His word, you angels of light:
You heavens adore Him by Whom you were made,
And worship before Him in brightness arrayed.

Sing praise to the Lord! All things that give sound,
Each jubilant chord re-echo around:
Loud organs His glory proclaim in deep tone,
And sweet harp, the story of what He has done!

Sing praise to the Lord! Praise Him upon the earth
In tuneful accord, you saints of new birth:
Praise Him Who has brought you His grace from above;
Praise Him Who has taught you to sing of His love.

Sing praise to the Lord! Thanksgiving and song
To Him be outpoured all ages along:
For love in creation for Heaven restored,
For grace of salvation, sing praise to the Lord!

✦ CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE TO GOD BE THE GLORY

**To God be the glory, great things He has done!
So loved He the world that He gave us His Son,
Who yielded His life an atonement for sin,
And opened the life-gate that we may go in.**

**Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the earth hear His voice!
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the people rejoice!
O come to the Father thro' Jesus the Son,
And give Him the glory, great things He has done!**

✦ PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION

✦ GREETINGS

A WORD TO THE CHILDREN (8:15)

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

**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.**

ORDINATION OF T. BARTON KIMBRO TO THE GOSPEL MINISTRY (11:00)

*Presbytery Central South Ordination Commission:
Darrin S. Anthony, Wilson Barton, John Ivy, Max Metzger, William Webb*

Vows of Ordination Robert C. Liddon
Clerk of Session

Do you reaffirm your faith in Jesus Christ as your own personal Lord and Savior?
Do you believe the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments to be the Word of God,
totally trustworthy, fully inspired by the Holy Spirit, the supreme, final, and the only
infallible rule of faith and practice?
Do you sincerely receive and adopt the Westminster Confession of Faith and the
Catechisms of this Church as containing the system of doctrine taught in the Holy
Scriptures?
Do you promise that if at any time you find yourself out of accord with the system of
doctrine as taught in the Scriptures and as contained in the Westminster Confession
of Faith and the Catechisms of this Church you will, on your own initiative, make
known to your Presbytery the change which has taken place in your views since the
assumption of this ordination vow?
Do you affirm and adopt the "Essentials of the Faith" without exception?

Do you subscribe to the government and discipline of the Evangelical Presbyterian Church?

Do you promise subjection to your fellow presbyters in the Lord?

Have you been induced, as far as you know your own heart, to seek the office of the holy Ministry from love to God and a sincere desire to promote His glory in the Gospel of His Son?

Do you promise to be zealous and faithful in promoting the truths of the Gospel and the purity and peace of the Church, whatever persecution or opposition may arise unto you on that account?

Will you seek to be faithful and diligent in the exercise of all your duties as a Christian and a Minister of the Gospel, whether personal or relative, private or public; and to endeavor by the grace of God to adorn the profession of the Gospel in your manner of life, and to walk with exemplary piety before the flock of which God shall make you overseer?

Are you now willing to take the charge of this Church, agreeable to your declaration when accepting their call? And do you, relying upon God for strength, promise to discharge it to the duties of a Pastor?

Congregational Vows

Are you, the members of this congregation ready to receive Barton as your pastor?

Do you promise to submit to Barton in matters of spiritual discipline, and to receive with humility and love the word of truth?

Do you promise to support Barton with your prayers, to give encouragement in his work, and to assist him in every way as he seeks to instruct you in the things of the Lord and to lead you in the building of the Kingdom of God in this place?

Do you recommit yourselves to fulfill the terms of the call you have extended and to make provision for Barton’s needs that the name of Christ might be glorified?

PRAYER OF ORDINATION

CHARGE TO THE PASTOR AND CONGREGATION

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

READING FROM THE PROPHETSJonah 3
(page 775 in pew Bible)

All flesh is grass, and all its beauty is like the flower of the field;

**The grass withers, the flower fades,
but the Word of our God will stand forever. Amen.** (Isaiah 40:6b, 8)

SERMON *Shocked by Grace* Sanders L. Willson

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

✦HYMN OF MISSION: No. 441 “Jesus Shall Reign” DUKE STREET

✦BENEDICTIONT. Barton Kimbro

✦CONGREGATIONAL THREE-FOLD AMEN

ORGAN POSTLUDE: “Symphony No. 1” L. Vierne

✦Indicates congregation standing CCLI License #252778

*Instrumentalists: Ben Lewis and Stanley Friedman, trumpets
Greg Luscombe and Mark Vail, trombones*

We consider it a privilege to have our children in worship with us. If your small children become restless and vocal, we invite you to the children’s room especially designed for them at the rear of the Sanctuary. They are also welcome in the nursery. Older children should also be encouraged to come to church prepared to stay in their pew throughout the service.

One of our pastors will be available after the service to pray for you or to offer helpful direction regarding your spiritual life. He will be in the Gathering Room, which is the first room on your left as you exit the southwest door of the Sanctuary (closest to the pulpit). You may also send your confidential email to pastor@2pc.org with questions about your spiritual life.