

PARKWAY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

"The friendly church with a place for you"
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Mission Statement

We are a nurturing church family, believing and witnessing to the Gospel of God's love by sharing our faith in Jesus Christ and ministering to the needs of the community and world.

Sunday, June 11, 2017
The Holy Trinity
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OUR DAY OF WORSHIP

The Theme For The Day: Though the word trinity is not found in the scriptures, today's second reading includes the apostolic greeting that begins the liturgy: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. In the gospel Jesus sends his disciples forth to baptize in the name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit. More than a doctrine, the Trinity expresses the heart of our faith: we have experienced the God of creation made known in Jesus Christ and with us always through the Holy Spirit. We celebrate the mystery of the Holy Trinity in word and sacrament, as we profess the creed, and as we are sent into the world to bear witness to our faith.

WE WELCOME ALL in worship this morning. We especially welcome those who are our guests today and hope that you will feel God's Spirit of grace and love among us here at Parkway. If you are looking for a Church Home, we invite you to consider our congregation.

Please silence cell phones (+) Denotes to please stand, if you are able

AS WE GATHER FOR WORSHIP

L/ The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

C / And also with you!

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Almighty Creator and ever-living God: we worship your glory, eternal Three-in-One, and we praise your power, majestic One-in-Three. Keep us steadfast in this faith, defend us in all adversity, and bring us at last into your presence, where you live in endless joy and love, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen**.



AS WE CONFESS OUR SINS AND HEAR THE PARDON

+ CALL TO CONFESSION

L / Creation displays the glory of God, but our sin keeps us from rejoicing in the love God reveals. Yet Christ Jesus the Son carried our sins to the cross, and the Holy Spirit breathes new life into us so that we can praise God, our Maker, Savior, and life-giving Lover. Let us confess our sins, that we may receive such grace.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

C / Presence, Life, Fire, God who is Three in One, we confess that we have turned away from you. We gaze upon ourselves as if we are worthy of worship. We take your creation into our hands, not to love, but to use and then to discard. We go to the people of the land, not to serve, but to press them into our service. We do not deserve that you would even notice us, but we pray for mercy because you are merciful. Flame of Love, purify us from sin; Eternal Now, lead us to your truth; Risen One, baptize us into union with you. Transform us into faithful disciples who worship you alone, God who is Trinity. Amen.

DECLARATION OF FORGIVENES

P/ Almighty God, In His Mercy.......

HYMN OF PRAISE

"Hallelujah"

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah, Halle, Hallelujah Halle, Halle, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah (sing twice)

SHARING THE PEACE

L/ The peace of the Lord be with you.

People / And also with you.

(Share the peace with those around you)

CHILDREN'S SERMON & CHURCH

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Sing into our ears, O Spirit, the holy word of life. Tell us who we are and to whom we belong so that we may live with gratitude for all that you have done. **Amen**.

READING

2 Corinthians 13:11-13

[Paul writes:] ¹¹Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. ¹²Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you. ¹³The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you. Here ends our reading.

ANTHEM

GOSPEL Matthew 28:16-20

¹⁶Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. ¹⁷When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. ¹⁸And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

P/ This is the Word of the Lord!
C/ Thanks be to God.



Sermon Pastor Ric

+ CREED Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

AS WE RESPOND TO GOD

(The congregation may be seated)
(Please complete Prayer Cards and hand to an usher)

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

L / Jesus sends his disciples into the world to bless all by his grace. With God's love, in the Holy Spirit, let us make this our offering to God. **C** / **Blessed be God forever.**

OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise Him all creatures here below.

Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts.

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

L / For all that you have given us, we thank you, gracious God. For day and night, evening and morning, for land and sea, for fish and birds, plants and animals, for humankind, and for your Son, who came among us with the gift of life abundant. Let your Holy Spirit abide in our midst and work through our gifts, that all people may have joy and peace, in Jesus' name. **Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE:

CURRENT: Whitey Adams, Richard Cook, Bill Lawson, Helen Lawson, Ida Mae Fleming, Jackie Hogan, Jean Olson, the Hartsell family, the Goldsmith/Smith family

CONTINUING: Tony Abbott, Margo Adams, Ed Brown, Pastor Reid, Nick Cosford, Doris Dixon, Carol Forehand, Anne Freeland, Mary Gordon, Anna Jones, Lee Masters, Chris Meek, Marty Reed, Joan Scherer, Marilyn Schubert, Myrt Shoemaker, Marge Smith.

HOMEBOUND: Darol Keefer, Georgie Krobetzky, Gordon Merkel, Julie Reith, Model Richardson, Bertie Shuster, Alan Stone, Barbara VonNyvenheim, Millie Miller.

WE PREPARE AND SHARE THE MEAL

P/ The Lord be with you. **C/** And also with you.

P/ Lift up your hearts. **C/** We lift them up to the Lord.

P/ Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C/ It is right to give our thanks and praise.

P/ Holy, mighty, and merciful Lord, heaven and earth are full of your glory. In great love you sent to us Jesus, your Son, who reached out to heal the sick and suffering, who preached good news to the poor, and who, on the cross, opened his arms to all.

Choir and People Sing:

Holy, holy, holy, Lord. God of power and might.

Holy, holy, Lord. God of power and might.

Heaven and earth are full, full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.

P/In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me. Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me. Remembering, therefore, his death, resurrection, and ascension, we await his coming in glory. Pour out upon us the Spirit of your love, O Lord, and unite the wills of all who share this heavenly food, the body and blood of Jesus Christ, our Lord; to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and forever. **C/ Amen**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

P/ As this bread is Christ's body for us, send us out to be the body of Christ in the world.

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: Refrain

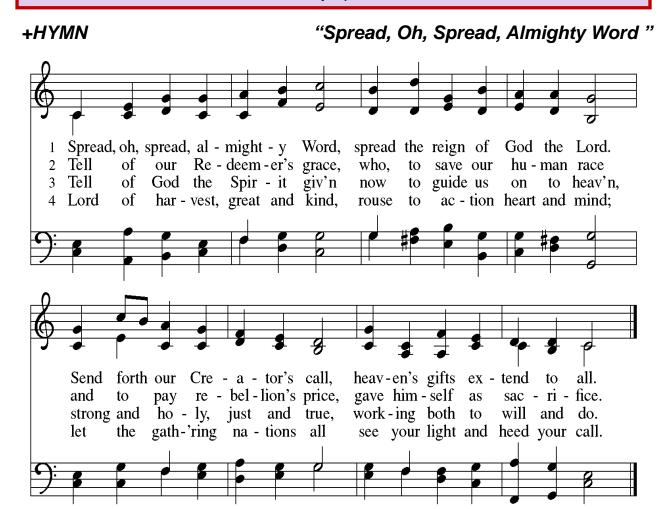
you break the chains of hatred and fear: Refrain you are the way of justice and peace: Refrain you are the way of mercy and love: Refrain

Refrain: Have mercy on us, mercy on us, mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace, grant us peace, grant us peace

BLESSING

Go out into the world in peace; have courage; hold onto what is good; return no one evil for evil; strengthen the fainthearted; support the weak, and help the suffering; honor all people; love and serve the Lord, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Scripture Thoughts

We can hear more clearly the words Matthew relayed to first believers: "Remember, I am with you all days until the end of the time of the world" (literally translated). No matter what else, these are words that soothe, comfort, and engage. Two things about them: first, coupled with Genesis 1, these last words of the gospel span beginning to end of time as we know it—with no breaks; second, Jesus is the one who places himself as the span, being present to the church, bearing the authority of God. To the eleven, desperately trying to figure out next steps, these words came as pure, welcomed promise, albeit without much clarity. They were just beginning to figure out that they too were resurrected, peppered with recollections of things learned in Jesus' school. How, exactly, would Jesus be "with" them and us?

PW meeting will be held at Carol Forehand house on Monday at 7PM. You can call her for details (850)303-3063

Household Prayer: Morning

God of the living, from whom all blessings flow, I welcome a new day with thanksgiving because you have cared for me through the night. Wherever you send me today, whomsoever I meet, be in my going and my meeting. Grant me wisdom to cherish what you give me and generosity to share what I receive. Fill me with the Spirit so that I may show courage, kindness, and a sense of humor in the face of the day's hardships. In Christ's peace, may I withhold harsh judgment against those who would do me harm. Show me ways that I may serve you throughout the day and into the night so that, waking or sleeping, I live for you; in the name of the Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Household Prayer: Evening

Ancient of days, these hours of light are passing into darkness. Thank you for being with me. Let me not forget the joys you put in my life today. Send your Spirit to fill my memories with comfort and peace as I prepare for the night. Where I have failed to please you, forgive me for the sake of your Son. If I have been of help to others, let them give thanks to you. May all night songs praise you; may we evening singers rejoice in your eternal glory. And I will celebrate with your whole creation in the name of Jesus Christ when the new day that you are bringing dawns. Amen.

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SCRIPTURES TO CONTEMPLATE FOR NEXT SUNDAY:

Exodus 19:2-8a - The covenant with Israel at Sinai

Psalm 100 - We are God's people and the sheep of God's pasture. (Ps. 100:3)

Romans 5:1-8 - While we were sinners, Christ died for us

Matthew 9:35--10:8 [9-23] - The sending of the Twelve

OUR FOOD PANTRY will be collecting canned fruit for the month of June. Please bring your cans of fruit and place them at the wooden cross in the narthex. We also are in need of

THE FOOD PANTRY will have a YARD SALE coming up on June 30th and July 1st. You may bring items for the Yard Sale and place them in the Fellowship Hall. This will help us to fund our Food Pantry. There is a sign up sheet on the bulletin board for those who would like to help organizing it.

A LOOK AT OUR OFFERINGS: MAY

Operating – \$ 9,054

diapers.

Pantry - \$5,545 (5,000 – grant)

2 cents- \$ 45.58 Flowers - \$ 110 PW Thank - \$ 305 Sign - \$ 30 Youth - \$ 5 Presbytery Special - \$ 275



A SPECIAL THANK YOU to all those who helped with the Betty Hartsell Funeral this past Wednesday. We will have a Service of the Resurrection for Jacob Wayne Smith, brother of Hope Goldsmith on this Tuesday at 1:00 PM here at the church. Thanks to all who will help with this upcoming funeral. Parkway is a special place for comfort, kindness and welcoming in witness for Jesus Christ.

Our Staff Pastoral Ministry—

The Rev. Dr. Richard M. Connor, Sr

Administrative Assistant—Ksenia (KC)
Hay

Director of Music—Cathy Connor

Organist—Lanelle Alford

Director of Youth—Angie Worcester &

Stu Guilford

Office Hours:

Tuesday: 2-4 Friday: 8-4



This Week's Ministry Calendar at Parkway

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9:00 AM Sunday School For All Ages

10:00 AM Worship Service11:15 AM Fellowship

Monday:

7:00 PM PW Meeting

7:00 PM AA in Skipper's Nest

Wednesday:

11:30 AM Wednesday Workers

5:30 PM Bells 6:30 PM Choir

7:00 PM AA in Skipper's Nest

Thursday:

6:00 PM Hooks and Needles

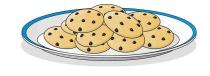
Saturday:

7:00 PM AA in Skipper's Nest

%ext Sunday— Father's Day

9:00 AM Sunday School For All Ages

10:00 AM Worship Service11:15 AM Fellowship



Fellowship Time is important to the life of the congregation. We always want to provide wonderful treats during this time. If your last name begins with **J-M** would you please bring goodies for next Sunday's fellowship.

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Birthdays:

6-11 Shannon

Anniversaries:

6-14 Brown

Ed & Becky

ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY:

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Daily Devotionals are available on the Welcome Table.

Our **Saints** Serving This Sunday

Elder of the Day: Mitch Connor Lay Assistant: Kathy Riley Children's Church Teachers:

Angie Worcester and Hope Goldsmith

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HEARING DEVICES are available for those who need hearing assistance in our worship service. Please see Jean at the control desk in the back of the sanctuary to procure one for use during the worship service.

If you don't see your birthday or anniversary please call the office @ (850) 785-7081, so KC can update correct information.