



THE
GEORGETOWN
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH

WORSHIP

February 5, 2017

Sacrament of The Lord's Supper

11 a.m.

PRELUDE Chorale Prelude on a melody by Orlando Gibbons
Healey Willan (1880-1968)

WELCOME

Leader: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: And also with you.

INTROIT Let Us Worship and Fall Down Healey Willan

CALL TO WORSHIP *from Psalm 85*

Leader: How lovely is your dwelling place, O Lord of hosts!

**All: My soul longs, indeed it faints for the courts of the Lord;
my heart and my flesh sing for joy to the living God.**

Leader: Even the sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for herself, where she may lay her young, at your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God.

All: Happy are those who live in your house, ever singing your praise.

Leader: Happy are those whose strength is in you, in whose heart are the highways to Zion. Let us worship God.

✠HYMN 260 Alleluia! Sing to Jesus *Hyfrydol*



✠*Please stand or sit.*

As a courtesy to others, please no phone, food or flash photography during the service.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Leader: I said I will confess my transgressions to the Lord.

People: **And you forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

Leader: Let us pray:

All: **Lord God, we confess as one body this morning.**
We are a body that has eyes but does not see,
we are a body that has ears but does not hear.
We speak when we should be silent
and we are silent when we should speak.
We claim to be Christ's own body,
yet we cut ourselves off from one another.
In your mercy, mend the wounds we inflict on ourselves,
on you and on our neighbors.
(Silent prayer)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Friends, believe the Good News.

People: **In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.**

✠GLORIA PATRI (*Glory to God*, #581)

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.

TIME WITH CHILDREN

After Time with Children, ages two years through 5th grade recess with leaders up the center aisle to worship. Children are always welcome to remain in the worship service.

✠HYMN 442 Just as I Am, without One Plea *Woodworth*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Elder Matthew Taylor

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Isaiah 58:1-12 (pg.763)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

GOSPEL LESSON Matthew 5:13-20 (pg. 4)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

SERMON

Add a Little Salt

Rev. Dr. Camille Cook Murray

✠HYMN 770 I'm Gonna Eat at the Welcome Table *Welcome Table*

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Healey Willan

✠DOXOLOGY (*Glory to God, #607*)

Old Hundredth

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God all creatures here below; praise God above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

(Children's Church returns to Worship.)

✠PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

✠THE NICENE CREED

I believe in one God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible;

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds; God of God; Light of Light; Very God of Very God; Begotten, not made; Being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; Who for us men, and for our salvation, came down from heaven; And was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, and was made man; And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried; And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures; And ascended into heaven; And sitteth on the right hand of the Father. And He shall come again with glory to judge both the quick and the dead; Whose Kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Ghost; The Lord and Giver of Life; Who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; Who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; Who spake by the prophets. And I believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church. I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins. And I look for the Resurrection of the dead; And the Life of the world to come. Amen.

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

INVITATION AND GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Prayer continues...

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with choirs of angels and with all the faithful of every time and place, who forever sing to the glory of your name: **Holy, holy, holy, Lord, God of power and might, Heaven and earth are full of your glory, Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

Prayer continues...

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.

BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Jesus, Lamb of God,
Have mercy on us.

Jesus, bearer of our sins,
Have mercy on us.

Jesus, redeemer of the world,
Grant us peace.

DISTRIBUTION OF THE ELEMENTS

ANTHEM O Sacred Feast Healey Willan

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

✘HYMN 625 How Great Thou Art *How Great Thou Art*

✘BENEDICTION (Please be seated after the Benediction)

RESPONSE The Aaronic Benediction Healey Willan

POSTLUDE Chorale Prelude on a melody by Melchior Vulpus
Healey Willan

About today's music: The organ voluntaries and choral responses are from the pen of Healey Willan. Born in England where he also received his musical training, Willan moved to Canada at age 33 to become organist-choirmaster of Toronto's largest church, St. Paul's Bloor Street. His English roots show through in compositions that are grand yet refined.

The flowers in the Chancel today are given to the glory of God.

The ushers for February are Robert Bell, Captain; Matthew Banks, Sharon Brooke, Margaret Carvin, Matthew Espie, Christine Rales, Gibbs Rehlen and Berry Trimble.

Today after the service visitors and members are cordially invited to join us in the Georgetown Room for Lunch Bunch.

Assisted listening devices may be found at the back of the sanctuary. Each device comes with a headset, but you may bring your own from home to plug in. Please let the ushers know if you have any problems.

Readings are from the New Revised Standard Version translation of the Bible unless otherwise indicated. Blue Bibles are located at the end of each pew.

Children's Ministries

During the service, Children's Worship continues after *Time with Children*.

- 2s-Kindergarten, escorted by leader upstairs to the West Worship Room for *Young Children & Worship*
- 1st-5th grades, to Chapel for *Children's Church*

YCW children should be collected upstairs by their parents immediately after the service. Children's Church dismisses into the Georgetown Room. All children are welcome to remain with their families in the service and age-appropriate worship bags are available in the narthex.

Nametag Sunday

Remember, Communion Sundays are Nametag Sundays. Please pick one up when you come in! -The Deacons

WELCOME

Our congregation has been welcoming members and visitors to worship on the Lord's Day since March 16, 1780.

If you are visiting this morning, we extend a special welcome to you and invite you to introduce yourself to one of the pastors or speak with an usher if you have any questions.

If you are looking for a church home and would like to talk with one of the pastors, please fill out the fellowship pad in the pew today or call the church office.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

New Member Conference

Saturday, February 11, 9 a.m. – noon

Join us at our next New Member Conference to review the basics of Christianity and the Reformed Tradition, discuss what Presbyterians believe, and learn how this all comes together at GPC. New members will be introduced to the congregation on **Sunday, February 19**. For more information or to sign up, please email the church office at mec@gtownpres.org.

Adult Issues

Sundays at 9:45 a.m.

Washington Room

February 12-26

Adrian Vaagenes, Princeton Seminary grad, will speak on the Bible and Flannery O'Connor in a three-week series.

Call for Shelter Volunteers Dinner or Knitting!

The floating Winter Shelter will be at GPC from **February 19 to March 12**. Sign up on our website to provide one of the nightly meals for this important ministry and have some fellowship with our unhoused neighbors. Also if you crochet, knit, quilt, or sew, we invite you to make a scarf or hat to give to one of our shelter guests. It's a one-time commitment, and can be done together or in your own home. Contact: Shelley at shelleycjennings@gmail.com.

2017 Chancel Flower Donations

There are many available openings in the flower schedule in the coming months. If you would like to remember or honor a loved one by contributing to the Chancel Flowers, please fill out a donation sheet (located in the narthex) and place it in the offering plate or return it to the church office.

Birth Announcement

Congratulations to Ashley and Alex Berrang on the birth of their son, Charles "Charlie" Bernard Berrang on January 27, 2017.

**Guest Preacher on
Resurrection
Sunday, March 5**

The Rev. Dr. Brian Blount will be our latest Distinguished Guest Preacher. Dr. Blount, President of Union Presbyterian Seminary in Richmond, will deliver a lecture at 9:30 a.m. on “Resurrection and the Walking Dead,” followed by the sermon at the 11 a.m. service. Copies of his book, *Invasion of the Dead: Preaching Resurrection*, will be sold for \$10 in the narthex on February 5, 12, and 26.

**Georgetown Saturday Suppers
and Sunday Dinners**

Each meal serves about 70 of our DC neighbors struggling with homelessness and food insecurity. Our next meal to host at GPC is on Sunday, February 12. Please sign up on our website.

Happy Birthday

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| February 5 | Alexander Scott
John Scott |
| February 6 | Stokley Voltmer |
| February 7 | Phil Fleming
Christopher Howe |
| February 8 | Patty Jo Divers
Laine Holman
Nadia McAtee |
| February 9 | Bill Massa
Sophia Welch |
| February 10 | Richard Bennett
Katy Brandenburg |
| February 11 | Brian Stocker |
| February 12 | Lauren Craft
Julie Goffe
Susan Page |

Young Adult (20s and 30s) Events

Fat Tuesday Feast

Tuesday, February 28 6:30 p.m.

3881 Porter S., NW, #D298

Washington, DC 20016

Join the feast and discussion about Lent. Gumbo/jambalaya, New Orleans drinks and King cake for dessert! RSVP to margaret.mataovich@gmail.com.

**Dinner and Discussion with visiting
preacher Dr. Brian Blount
President, Union Seminary
Saturday, March 4**

At the home of Tracy Davis and Ralph Voltmer (1815 24th St. NW). RSVPs to zoe.ellen.williams@gmail.com.

Crying Room and Nursery

If your baby needs a place to make a bit of noise and stretch out, we have a professionally-staffed nursery upstairs or, if you prefer, the crying room is located adjacent to the narthex where the service can be viewed on a TV screen. A bottle warmer and toys are available and changing stations are in both restrooms. If you have questions, the ushers will be glad to help you.

In Our Father’s House

**Long-time Member and Elder
Mary Kay Spink** died February 3.
Arrangements are pending.

**Former Member and Elder Allen
Cross** died January 31 at his home
in Atlanta.

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, February 5

- 11am Worship – Lord’s Supper
11:15am Young Children & Worship
11:15am Children’s Church
12:15 pm Lunch Bunch
4pm Yoga
4pm G’town Sunday Dinner
5pm Youth Group
5pm ART (Adults Raising Teens)

Tuesday, February 7

- 9:30am Staff meeting
6:30pm Deacons meeting

Wednesday, February 8

- 7pm Officer Training

Saturday, February 11

- 9am New Members Conference

Sunday, February 12

- 9am Choir rehearsal
9:15am Nursery opens
9:45am Children’s Music in Chapel
9:45am Adult Issues
10am Sunday Morning Bible
11am Worship – Knapp Baptism
11:15am Young Children & Worship
11:15am Children’s Church
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Daily Readings

Sunday	John 1:29-42
Monday	Isaiah 2:2-4
Tuesday	Psalm 4
Wednesday	2 Corinthians 4:1-6
Thursday	Isaiah 58:1-9
Friday	Psalm 112:1-10
Saturday	1 Cor. 2:1-13
Sunday	Matthew 5:21-37

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