

Prelude
Welcome and Announcements Rev. H. Neely Gaston, D. D.

Call to Worship
Lift praises to the name of our God; bless God's name forever!
How great is our God!
From generation to generation we will sing your praises and speak of your goodness!
Great is our God and worthy of praise!
God, you are just and kind in all your doings!
Great is our God and worthy of praise!
God, you watch over us in love and hear the desperate cries of those who call to you!
How great is our God! How great is our God! Bless God's name forever!

**Trinity Hymnal*, 34 "The God of Abraham Praise" (v. 1, 2, 6) LEONI

*Invocation

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.

Trinity Hymnal, 727 "Lead Me, Lord, Lead Me in Thy Righteousness" LEAD ME, LORD

Psalter Reading Psalm 99 (*Trinity Hymnal*, pages 820 - 821)

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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary; suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; and 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 Ghost, the holy catholic* Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.
*universal or world-wide

Gloria Patri "Glory Be to the Father" [TH 734] MEINEKE

Children's Sermon

Silent Prayer

Prayer

Offertory

*Doxology "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" [TH 731] OLD HUNDREDTH

*Prayer

Scripture 1 Kings 18:36 – 40 ESV

³⁶And at the time of the offering of the oblation, Elijah the prophet came near and said, "O LORD, God of Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, let it be known this day that you are God in Israel, and that I am your servant, and that I have done all these things at your word. ³⁷Answer me, O LORD, answer me, that this people may know that you, O LORD, are God, and that you have turned their hearts back." ³⁸Then the fire of the LORD fell and consumed the burnt offering and the wood and the stones and the dust, and licked up the water that was in the trench. ³⁹And when all the people saw it, they fell on their faces and said, "The LORD, he is God; the LORD, he is God." ⁴⁰And Elijah said to them, "Seize the prophets of Baal; let not one of them escape." And they seized them. And Elijah brought them down to the brook Kishon and slaughtered them there.

Sermon "The Lord, He Is God"

Prayer

**Trinity Hymnal*, 51 "O Jehovah, Hear My Words" (v. 1, 2, 5) ABERSTWYTH

*Prayer

*Benediction

*Postlude

Announcements for Sunday, July 28, 2024

We welcome Janet Morris as our guest musician today.

Our Women’s Ministry will have a guest speaker on Sunday, August 25th from 3 p.m. Her topic will be Women of the Bible. Feel free to invite a friend. There will be a sign-up sheet to get a count for refreshments.

Thank you for the prayers, cards, phone calls, and food while I was recovering from my surgery. I am blessed to have such wonderful friends. I appreciate your kindness and thank you for thinking of me. My Warmest Thanks, Connie Agee

Special Offering:

- In Appreciation to the church for the words, cards, visits, and food by Jerry & Carolyn Locke (Kitchen renovation)
- In Memory of Joe Simpson by David G. Anderson

Upcoming Events

Wednesday, July 31

No Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, August 4

- 10:00 a.m. – Child/Adult Bible Study
- 11:00 a.m. - Worship

Wednesday, August 7

6:30 p.m. – Choir Rehearsal

Birthdays and Anniversaries

August 5 – Dee Gordon	August 19 – Roger Lakatos
August 10 – Michelle O'Donnell	August 19 – Allen Derrick
August 11 – Hannah Sharpe	August 20 – Augusta McCallister
August 13 – Neely Gaston	August 22 – Daniel Williams
August 13 – Phyllis Lakatos	August 26 – Martha Morgan
August 14 – Gary Shepherd	August 30 – Mark Delmar
August 14 – David & Jane McCain	August 31 – Susan Howell Wilder
August 15 – Joe & Dee Gordon	August 31 – James G. Knox III
August 16 – Kyle Agee	
August 17 – David Simpson	

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Order of Worship
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Welcome in the name of Christ to all who gather for worship at Union Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. As you join us for worship, we hope that you will sense God’s presence, be caught up in joyful praise, be challenged by God’s Word, and leave strengthened to live for Christ in the world. If you do not have a church home in this community, we encourage you to consider uniting with us in our work and worship.