



The Beckley Presbyterian Church
203 South Kanawha Street
Beckley, West Virginia 25801



Pentecost

June 5, 2022

The mission of Beckley Presbyterian Church is to glorify God through the nurturing and equipping of our congregation to manifest our faith throughout God's creation with love, joy, hope, and open hearts.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

*If you are able, please stand for items marked *
Portions in bold type are for congregational participation.*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

WE GATHER AND CONFESS

PRELUDE

Aria

Solomons

CALL TO WORSHIP *(Responsive, From Psalm 104)*

O LORD, how manifold are your works! In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.

Yonder is the sea, great and wide, creeping things innumerable are there, living things both small and great.

There go the ships, and Leviathan that you formed to sport in it.

These all look to you to give them their food in due season;

When you give to them, they gather it up; when you open your hand, they are filled with good things.

When you hide your face, they are dismayed; when you take away their breath, they die and return to their dust.

When you send forth your spirit, they are created; and you renew the face of the ground.

May the glory of the LORD endure forever; may the LORD rejoice in his works — who looks on the earth and it trembles, who touches the mountains and they smoke.

I will sing to the LORD as long as I live; I will sing praise to my God while I have being.

May my meditation be pleasing to him, for I rejoice in the LORD.

INVOCATION

* HYMN 1

Holy, Holy, Holy!

* CALL TO CONFESSION

* **PRAYER OF CONFESSION** (*Together*)

Holy God, we know that you are always there to lead us, yet we somehow lose our way and fall back into fear. We confess that we have stumbled, and we recognize our need for you to lift us up and help us start again. Forgive us, restore us to strength, and reconcile us with you, ourselves, and each other, through the power of Christ and the gift of your Spirit. Amen.

* **KYRIE**

Lord Have Mercy

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Lord, have mercy; Christ Have mercy;
Lord, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy;
Lord, have mercy upon us.

* **DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS**

* **PASSING OF THE PEACE** Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts. To this peace we were called as members of a single body.
The peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

* **GLORIA**

Glory Be to the Father

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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.

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

ANTHEM

I Will Sing With the Spirit

John Rutter

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Genesis 11:1-9

This is the Word of the Lord.....**Thanks be to God.**

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Acts 2:1-21

This is the Word of the Lord.....**Thanks be to God.**

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

* **AFFIRMATION** The Apostles' Creed (*Traditional; Together*)

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; 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.

* **HYMN 291***Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness***COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE****INVITATION TO THE OFFERING**

OFFERING *I Walked Today Where Jesus Walked* Twobig & O'Hara
Charles McNeel, Soloist

* **DOXOLOGY** *Praise God from Whom All Blessing Flow* **606**

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

* **PRAYER OF DEDICATION*** **HYMN 286***Breathe on Me, Breath of God*

GOD'S PEOPLE ARE SENT INTO THE WORLD

* **BENEDICTION**

* **CHORAL RESPONSE**

POSTLUDE Fanfare and Trumpeting on *Aurella* arr. Paxton

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS - We are so glad that you are here worshipping with us today. If this is your first time worshipping with us, please fill out the blue visitor card available in the pews and place it in the offering plate. If you are participating in Beckley Presbyterian Church and you would like to become a member, please speak with the Pastor after worship.

THANK YOU to Marlene Vance for playing the organ and accompanying the choir while Donna is taking a well-deserved day off. Donna will be back next Sunday.

PENTECOST OFFERING Today we will take up the Pentecost offering. A portion of this offering stays here in our community to support our local ministries. The other goes to supporting young adult volunteers, the Presbyterian Youth Triennium, and to improve education and support for children at-risk.

CHURCH PICNIC Mark your calendars for our annual church picnic to be held next **Sunday, June 12th** at Daniel Vineyard at 11:00 a.m. Worship in the beauty of nature and then enjoy a potluck with fried chicken, rolls, and drinks provided by the church. Divided by the alphabet please bring the following: A-H Desserts, I-P Vegetables, and Q-Z Salads. Please invite a friend or relative to join you...we will have plenty. Sharing our service and fellowship is a wonderful way to introduce someone to our church family -Congregational Care Ministry

UKRAINE RELIEF To help with the church's response to the war in Ukraine, write a check to Beckley Presbyterian Church and in the memo line write, "Disaster Relief – Ukraine," and we'll ensure the money gets to Presbyterian Disaster Assistance to help there.

OUR THANKS to: lay reader Cindy Worley; TWYD Ann Worley, and livestream operators Jennifer Mitchell and Ross Hageman.

OUR PRAYERS go out to these churches today: Old Stone Presbyterian Church, Lewisburg and St. Andrew Presbyterian Church, Pinch in the Presbytery of West Virginia; Riamukurwe parish in the Nyeri Presbytery.

ATTENDANCE

May 01	Worship 55, Facebook 18, Youtube 2
May 08	Worship 56, Facebook 08, Youtube 3
May 15	Worship 40, Facebook 15, Youtube 2
May 22	Worship 45, Facebook 12, Youtube 3
May 29	Worship 35, Facebook 15, Youtube 3

SUNDAY SCHOOL is at 9:00 a.m. and will continue to meet online for the time being. An electronic invitation will be sent out ahead of time.

NURSERY CARE will be provided today in the Educational Building.

RESTROOMS are located on either side of the sanctuary on the landing going downstairs to the Friendship Hall. **Men's Restroom** on the **right landing** and **Ladies** on the **left landing**. **Handicapped Accessible Restrooms** are located in the back of the sanctuary and the parking lot entrance hallway leading to the Friendship Hall.

LECTIONARY READINGS

June 5

Day of Pentecost

Acts 2:1-21 or

Gen. 11:1-9 and

Ps. 104:24-34, 35b;

Rom. 8:14-17 or

Acts 2:1-21; John 14:8-17

(25-27)

June 12

Prov. 8:1-4, 22-31 and Ps. 8;

Rom. 5:1-5; John 16:12-15

June 19

Father's Day

1 Kgs. 19:1-4 (5-7) 8-15a

and Ps. 42 and 43

Isa. 65:1-9 and Ps. 22:19-28;

Gal. 3:23-29; Luke 8:26-39

June 26

2 Kgs. 2:1-2, 6-14 and

Ps. 77:1-2, 11-20;

1 Kgs. 19:15-16, 19-21

and Ps. 16;

Gal. 5:1, 13-25; Luke 9:51-62

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, June 5

9:00 a.m.-Sunday School

11:00 a.m.-Worship

7 p.m. Worship on 99.5 FM

MONDAY, June 6

TUESDAY, June 7

8:00 p.m.-AA Meeting-Ed Bldg.

WEDNESDAY, June 8

6:00 p.m.-Bells

7:00 p.m.-Choir

THURSDAY, June 9

FRIDAY, June 10

8:00 p.m.-AA Meeting-Ed Bldg.

SATURDAY, June 11

SUNDAY, June 12

Church Picnic

11:00 a.m. - Worship at Daniel

Vineyard

7 p.m. Worship on 99.5 FM

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Terry McGill
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