



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



**July 7, 2024**

**7th Sunday after Pentecost**

*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.*



\* 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*

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, Amen.**

## WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

ANTHEM

*Christ, Everlasting Source of Light* David von Kampen  
Jason Hogie, soloist

**TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES**

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

**OLD TESTAMENT LESSON** 2 Samuel 5:1-10 page 279

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

**NEW TESTAMENT LESSON** Mark 6:1-13 page 40

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**SERMON**

God's Holy Mountain

## 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 498** Loaves Were Broken, Words Were Spoken

### SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

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.**

It is always good that we give you thanks, O God, for you sent your Holy Spirit into our midst, the Spirit of wisdom and might, who brings us into communion with you and with one another. And so, with all the people of God in every age, we praise you for the power of the Resurrection to set us free from divisions and strife, and with angels and archangels, with earth, water, fire, and air, and with all your creatures, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

**(Sung) 552 Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might.**

**Heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

We remember that on the night he was betrayed, having gathered his friends at the table, 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.



## 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.

**SERVICE COMMITTEE** will meet in the Witherspoon Room following worship.

**CHURCH COOKOUT** hosted by the Service committee will be held immediately following worship on Sunday, July 21. Please make plans to attend.

**OUR PRAYERS** go out to these churches today: Canyon Community Church, Morgantown; First Presbyterian Church, Colcord; First Presbyterian Church, Fairmont, all in the Presbytery of West Virginia; and Rev. Naman Githenya Mem. Church in the Riamukurwe Parish in the Nyeri Presbytery.

**OUR THANKS** to: Linda Seldomridge, lay reader; Monte Mitchell, TWYD; and Jennifer Mitchell and Ross Hageman, livestream operators.

**ONLINE SUNDAY SCHOOL** meets at 9:00 a.m. An electronic invitation is sent out ahead of time.

**IN PERSON SUNDAY SCHOOL** meets at 9:45 the Witherspoon Room

**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

### July 7

2 Sam. 5:1-5, 9-10; and Ps. 48;  
Ezek. 2:1-5 and Ps. 123; 2 Cor  
12:2-10; Mark 6:1-13

### July 14

2 Sam. 6:1-5, 12b-19;  
and Ps. 24;  
Amos 7:7-15 and Ps. 85:8-13;  
Eph. 1:3-14; Mark 6:14-29

### July 21

2 Sam 7:1-14a; and Ps. 89:20-37;  
Jer. 23:1-6 and Ps. 23;  
Eph 2:11-22;  
Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

### July 28

2 Sam 1:1-15; and Ps. 14; 2  
Kings 4:42-44 and Ps. 145:10-18;  
Eph 3:14-21; John 6:1-21

## CALENDAR

### SUNDAY, July 7

9 a.m. Online Sunday school  
11:00 a.m.- Worship  
Noon-Service Meeting in WR  
6:30 p.m.-AA Men's Mtg.  
7 p.m. Worship on 99.5 FM

### MONDAY, July 8

### TUESDAY, July 9

7:00 p.m.-AA Meeting-Ed Bldg.

### WEDNESDAY, July 10

### THURSDAY, July 11

### FRIDAY, July 12

7:00 p.m.-AA Meeting-Ed Bldg.

### SATURDAY, July 13

### SUNDAY, July 14

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7 p.m. Worship on 99.5 FM

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## SESSION

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Ann Worley

**Class of 2025**

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