

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

July 2, 2017

4th Sunday after Pentecost

Good morning! We wish God's grace and peace to you as we worship this morning. During the welcome, please sign the registration pads. If you are a first time visitor, we welcome you this morning and pray you have a meaningful worship time with us. (CCLI 1765953)

### WORSHIP THE LORD IN THE BEAUTY OF HOLINESS

Ministers – The Congregation  
Pastor – Mark Chow

#### GATHERING FOR CELEBRATION

WORSHIP CHIMES

GREETING

Be not afraid! **God is with us!**

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PRELUDE "A Prayer for the Protection of Our Armed Forces"

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

Tony Merry  
Pastor Mark

R. Powell

#### CALL TO WORSHIP

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

**And also with you.**

The Risen Christ is with us.

**Praise the Lord!**

#### CELEBRATION THROUGH PRAISE

\*HYMN 710 "Faith of Our Fathers"

\*OPENING PRAYER

**Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your Holy Name, through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

RESPONSIVE READING 746 "Psalm 13" (sing response)

MINISTRY OF MUSIC "Where the Roses Never Fade" E. Osborn/J. Osborn/J. Miller  
Mary Mason - Soloist

(As the children come forward and depart the sanctuary, the congregation may sing "We Are the Church" - 558 - refrain)

#### CHILDREN'S MOMENT

(Children will go downstairs for KidsOwnWorship)

#### CELEBRATION THROUGH GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE Genesis 22:1-14

The Word of God for the People of God.

**Thanks be to God.**

MESSAGE

Pastor Mark Chow

THE LORD WILL PROVIDE

#### CELEBRATION THROUGH OUR GIFTS

INVITATION – p. 12

CONFESSION & PARDON – p. 12

OFFERING

OFFERTORY "Meditation on 'America'"

J. Linker

#### CELEBRATION THROUGH THE SACRAMENT

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING – p. 13-15

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us.**

**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 THE BREAD

GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

(The Sacrament of Communion will be received by intinction this morning. You may come down the center aisles and receive a piece of bread, dip it in the cup, and return to your seat by the outside aisles. For those wishing to receive the elements in the pews, simply remain seated and the communion stewards will come to you.)

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

**Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the Name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

#### GOING FORTH TO CELEBRATE

\*CLOSING HYMN 593 "Here I Am, Lord"

\*BENEDICTION

\*CHORAL BENEDICTION 664 "Sent Forth by God's Blessing" [vs. 1]

POSTLUDE "Ashokan Farewell" J. Ungar / arr. J. Welch

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ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY -- Sunday School – 16

Worship – 28, 57

## BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

July 2 Karly Bruns, Scott McCollister, Judy Schumacher  
July 3 Pam Kirst  
July 4 Zach Fellers  
July 6 Mary Ruth Mock  
July 7 Marcie Butterfield  
July 8 Kate Chapman, Austin Lucas, A. J. Sidwell, Susan Tyson

## THIS WEEK AT GRACE

Sunday, July 2 7:00 p.m. Memorial Band Concert – Secrest Auditorium  
Monday, July 3  
Tuesday, July 4 *HAPPY 4TH – OFFICE CLOSED*  
Wednesday, July 5 11:30 a.m. OWLS – Fellowship Hall  
Thursday, July 6 6:30 p.m. Book Study – Classroom  
6:30 p.m. Staff-Parish Relations Committee – Parlor  
Friday, July 7 6:30 a.m. Bible Study – Parlor  
Saturday, July 8  
Sunday, July 9 8:15 a.m. Early Service – Fellowship Hall  
9:00-10:15 Fellowship Time – Fellowship Hall  
9:15-10:15 Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Worship Service

## VISION STATEMENT for Grace Church

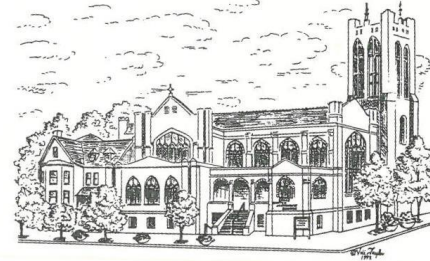
GRACE WILL Gather to worship God — Grow spiritually — Go serve and make disciples

### Thanks to our worship leaders this morning

Greeters –  
Ushers –  
Elevator Attendants –  
Acolytes –  
Children's Moment –  
Communion Stewards – Wendy Cochran, Linda Friel, Janet Hill, Tom Swan  
Nursery Care Provider – Julie McAllister, Sarah Burris, Cindy Lawyer  
Sound Technician – Craig Hill

### Staff

Admin. Asst. – Judy Cranz  
Custodian – Tracie Moss  
Parish Visitor – Judy McAllister



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### ***God Is With Us***

Today is the fourth Sunday after Pentecost. This morning we are reminded that even during our darkest moments, God is with us providing all that we need.

### 8:15 a.m. Worship Celebration

*Thank you to Joyce Cooper, Tony Merry, Mary Mason and our praise team for leading in worship.*

### **Gathering for Celebration**

### **Celebration Through Praise**

### **Celebration Through God's Word**

Scripture – Genesis 22:1-14

The Word of God for the People of God.

**Thanks be to God.**

Message – *The Lord Will Provide* — Pastor Mark Chow

### **Celebration Through Our Gifts**

Invitation, Confession and Pardon

Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts to God

Offertory

Sacrament of Holy Communion

### **Going Forth to Celebrate**