

10:00 AM

4th Sunday after Pentecost

July 6th, 2025

² Lord my God, I called to you for help, and you healed me ³ You, Lord, brought me up from the realm of the dead; you spared me from going down to the pit. Psalm 30:2-3

PRELUDE

Debbe Picerno

CALL TO WORSHIP (In Unison)
Praise the Lord, my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name. Praise the Lord, my soul, and forget not all his benefits.

*OPENING PRAYER

*HYMN

“Christ the Sure and Steady Anchor”

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION
God of mercy, You call us to live by faith, but we often trust only what we can see and control. You call us to courage, but we avoid risk and seek what feels safe. You invite us to choose what is eternal, but we chase after what is temporary. Forgive us, Lord. Strengthen our faith to walk in hope, even when the path is not clear. In Jesus’ name we pray. Amen. (Silent Confession)

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON
L: Believe the good news of the Gospel
P: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

*CONFESSION RESPONSE:

“He is Exalted”

No. 36

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

“Be Thou My Vision”

By: Lori McCann & Sarah Murtha

*OFFERING RESPONSE:

“We Give Thee But Thine Own”

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDREN’S SERMON

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON

Psalm 103:8-12

ANTHEM

“Patriotic Medley”

By: Lori McCann & Sarah Murtha

SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON

John 8:1-11

SERMON

“Has No One Condemned You?”

Rev. Dr. Stephen Franklin

INVITATION TO THE LORD’S TABLE

*HYMN

“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”

No. 324

COMMUNION

*CONFESSION OF FAITH

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*HYMN

“Amazing Grace”

No. 343

POSTLUDE

Debbe Picerno

*Those who are able please stand.

Ushers: Deacons

Welcome Desk: Sue Freund

Liturgist: Cora Murtha

Greeters: BJ McKean

Fellowship Hour: Sarah Tarr

Child Care: Autumn Moore

<i><u>THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR</u></i>		
Sunday:	10 AM	Worship & Communion
Monday-Friday		Summer Blast
Tuesday:	1 PM	Quilting
Wednesday:	9 AM	Coffee & Conversation
Saturday:	9 AM	Men's Breakfast @ Mac's Cafe
Sunday:	10 AM	Worship

CHURCH SURVEY- Please fill out the church survey sent by our discernment team by July 15th. This is a vitally important step in our process to plan for the future of our church. **Paper copies are available on the signup table for those who cannot complete the survey online. Please turn surveys into the secretary's mailbox.**

YOUTH GROUP-Youth Group will meet after church next Sunday, July 13th for lunch and mini golf. Please let Pastor Mike know if you plan on attending.

FISHBONE MINISTRY DONATIONS- Tonya Reynolds will be collecting new and gently used clothing for the boys and girls at Fishbone Ministries grades kindergarten through 12th. A list of additional items needed coming soon. We will be collecting from now until July 25th in the rear narthex. We will be meeting on Friday, July 25th at 10 AM for a time of fellowship, packing, and praying.

VACTION BIBLE SCHOOL SNACK DONATIONS- There is a signup sheet on the table for supplies needed for this year's VBS. Please see Laura Franklin with any questions. We will also need volunteers to help decorate after church on July 20th.

SAVE THE DATE- Church picnic will be Sunday, August 10th at the Slear's property.



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