

# WORSHIP SERVICE

*Northampton Presbyterian Church*

Worship Service

Third Sunday after Pentecost

June 29, 2025

Psalm Sunday

10:00 AM

**PRELUDE**

Trish Conover

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Diana Reingruber

# **RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 15)** Diana Reingruber

One: Lord, who may dwell in your sacred tent?  
Who may live on your holy mountain?

**ALL: The one whose walk is blameless, who does what is righteous,  
who speaks the truth from their heart;**

One: Whose tongue utters no slander, who does no wrong to a neighbor,  
and casts no slur on others;

**ALL: who despises a vile person but honors those who fear  
the Lord;**

ONE: who keeps an oath even when it hurts, and does not change their mind;

**ALL: who lends money to the poor without interest; who does not accept a bribe against the innocent.**

ONE: Whoever does these things will never be shaken.

# Hymn #619: Praise, My Soul, the God of Heaven (Psalm 103)

1. Praise, my soul, the God of heaven,  
Glad of heart your carols raise,  
Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,  
Who like me should sing God's praise?  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise the maker all your days.

2. Praise God for the grace and favor  
Shown our forebearers in distress.  
God is still the same forever,  
Slow to chide, and swift to bless.  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Sing our Maker's faithfulness.

3. Like a loving parent caring, God knows well;  
our feeble frame.

Gladly all our burdens bearing, still to countless years the same.

Alleluia! Alleulia!

All within me praise God's name.

4. Angels teach us adoration;

You behold God face to face;

Sun and moon, all creation,

Dwellers all in time and space.

Alleluia! Alleulia!

Praise with us the God of grace.



# **UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Psalm 25:4-18)**

D. Reingruber

**Show me your ways, Lord, teach me your paths.  
Guide me in your truth and teach me, for you are God my Savior, and  
my hope is in you all day long.**

**Remember, Lord, your great mercy and love, for they are from of old.  
Do not remember the sins of my youth and my rebellious ways;  
according to your love remember me, for you, Lord, are good.**

**Good and upright is the Lord; therefore he instructs sinners in his ways. He guides the humble in what is right and teaches them his way. All the ways of the Lord are loving and faithful toward those who keep the demands of his covenant. For the sake of your name, Lord, forgive my iniquity, though it is great.**

**Who, then, are those who fear the Lord? He will instruct them in the ways they should choose. They will spend their days in prosperity, and their descendants will inherit the land. The Lord confides in those who fear him; he makes his covenant known to them. My eyes are ever on the Lord, for only he will release my feet from the snare.**



**Turn to me and be gracious to me, for I am lonely and afflicted. Relieve the troubles of my heart and free me from my anguish. Look on my affliction and my distress and take away all my sins.**

(We pause for a moment of silent, personal confession).

# **ASSURANCE OF PARDON (Psalm 16)** Barbara Erdmanis

# **Hymn #457: How Happy Are the Saints of God (Psalm 1)**

1. How happy are the saints of God who do not heed the wicked way; delighting in the holy Word they seek God's wisdom night and day.
2. Like deeply rooted trees, they stand beside an ever-flowing stream. Their fruit is plentiful and good; their leaves are always growing green.
3. While wicked ones are whisked away like straw before the driving wind, the saints are firmly planted still, and God will keep them to the end.

# REFLECTIONS

Psalm 18: 1-3 (page 855)

Diana Reingruber

Psalm 19 (page 858)

Submitted by Steve Cocchia  
Read by Andy Chen

Psalm 84 (page 922)

Pam Kemper

Psalm 103 (page 939)

submitted by Cathy Cocchia  
read by Pam Kemper

# Hymn #329: God is Our Refuge and Our Strength (Psalm 46)

1 God is our refuge and our strength,  
our ever-present aid,  
and therefore, though the earth be moved,  
we will not be afraid;

2 Though hills amid the seas be cast,  
though foaming waters roar,  
yea, though the mighty billows shake  
the mountains on the shore.

3 Where God abides a river flows;  
that city will rejoice.  
But nations fear and kingdoms shake  
before God's thundering voice.

4 Since God is in the midst of it,  
the city walls shall stand,  
secure and safe with God's sure help,  
when trouble is at hand.



# INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

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## **Special Music:**

Trish Conover | Jessica Stehr and Andrew Chen

Eagles Wings (Psalm 91)

M. Joncas, arr. D. Wagner

# **DOXOLOGY (#606)**

## **PRAYER OF DEDICATION (Psalm 106:1-5) Diana Reingruber**

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his love endures forever. Who can proclaim the mighty acts of the Lord or fully declare his praise? Blessed are those who act justly, who always do what is right. Remember me, Lord, when you show favor to your people, come to my aid when you save them, that I may enjoy the prosperity of your chosen ones, that I may share in the joy of your nation and join your inheritance in giving praise.

## **UNISON PRAYER (Psalm 24)    Diana Reingruber**

**The earth is the Lord's, and everything in it, the world, and all who live in it; for he founded it on the seas and established it on the waters.**

**Who may ascend the mountain of the Lord? Who may stand in his holy place? The one who has clean hands and a pure heart, who does not trust in an idol or swear by a false god.**

**They will receive blessing from the Lord and vindication from God their Savior. Such is the generation of those who seek him, who seek your face, God of Jacob.**

**Lift up your heads, you gates; be lifted up, you ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. Who is this King of glory? The Lord strong and mighty, the Lord mighty in battle.**

**Lift up your heads, you gates; lift them up, you ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.  
Who is he, this King of glory? The Lord Almighty—he is the King of glory.**

# Hymn #276: Sing a New Song Unto the Lord (Psalm 98)

1. Sing a new song unto the Lord  
Let your song be sung from mountains high  
Sing a new song unto the Lord  
Singing 'alleluia

2. Shout with gladness, dance for joy  
O' come before the Lord  
And play for God on glad tambourines  
And let your trumpet sound

3. Sing a new song unto the Lord  
Let your song be sung from mountains high  
Sing a new song unto the Lord  
Singing 'alleluia

4. Rise, o' children, from your sleep  
Your Savior now has come  
He has turned your sorrow to joy  
And filled your soul with song



5. Sing a new song unto the Lord  
Let your song be sung from mountains high  
Sing a new song unto the Lord  
Singing 'alleluia

6. Glad my soul for I have seen  
The glory of the Lord  
The trumpet sounds, the dead shall be raised  
I know my Savior lives

7. Sing a new song unto the Lord  
Let your song be sung from mountains high  
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## **BENEDICTION (Psalm 121)**     Diana Reingruber

I lift up my eyes to the mountains—where does my help come from? My help comes from the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth.

He will not let your foot slip—he who watches over you will not slumber; indeed, he who watches over Israel will neither slumber nor sleep.

The Lord watches over you— the Lord is your shade at your right hand; the sun will not harm you by day, nor the moon by night. The Lord will keep you from all harm—he will watch over your life; the Lord will watch over your coming and going both now and forevermore.

# POSTLUDE

Trish Conover

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