

10:30AM, JUNE 8, 2025

DAY OF PENTECOST

**Indicates please stand as you are able.*

***Bold** text is read in unison.*

WE GATHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE

GATHERING MUSIC & CHIMES

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Keli Shipley Cooper

PRELUDE

"Adagio"

Bach

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.

God's steadfast love endures forever.

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts;

the earth is full of the glory of God.

We have peace with God through Jesus Christ;

we have love from God through the Holy Spirit. Let us worship God together.

*HYMN OF PRAISE

"Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!"

No. 1

CALL TO CONFESSION

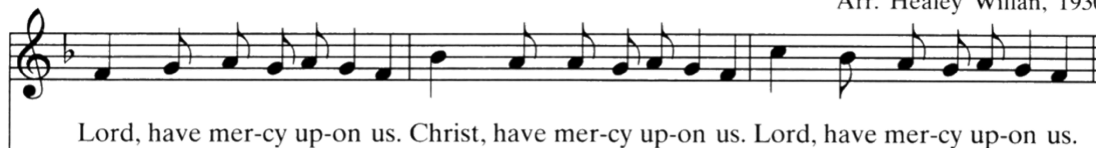
PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of grace, love, and communion, we confess that we have failed to love you with all our heart, soul, and mind; and to love our neighbors as ourselves. Have mercy on us and forgive us today and each day, now and forever.

...Continuing in Silent Prayer...

KYRIE ELEISON (seated)

Arr. Healey Willan, 1930



ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORY TO GOD

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.

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of our LORD Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you!

SPECIAL MUSIC

"Come, Thou Fount"

arr. Larson

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

Jillian Gatewood

We invite children ages 4-11 to attend our "Little Lights" Bible study in Room 100 following the Time with Young Disciples. We ask parents to please meet their children following worship.

Our church nursery is located down the hall in Room 104 for children under four.

Our ushers can guide you to either location if needed.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Holy, Holy, Holy One, guide us by the Spirit of truth to hear the Word of life you speak, and to give all glory, honor, and praise to your threefold name, through Jesus Christ. Amen.

FIRST READING

Acts 2:1-21

pg. 119

The wisdom of God for all people; the call of God to all who live. **Thanks be to God.**

SECOND READING

John 14:8-17, 25-27; pg. 108

Dr. Rexford Asare

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SERMON

"Vortexes"

Rev. Keli Shipley Cooper

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*CONGREGATIONAL HYMN

"Spirit of the Living God"

No. 288

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH – THE APOSTLES' CREED

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.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER (pg. 35)

Christina Appiah-Yeboah

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

DEDICATION OF OURSELVES, OUR TITHES, AND OUR OFFERINGS

*DOXOLOGY

No. 606

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Holy Spirit, giver of life: we thank you for your abiding presence. We pray we use these gifts to be good stewards of all that we have and all that we are. Amen.

*COMMENDATION OF BETTY ELIZABETH DUNN AND MCLIN "MAC" CHOATE JR.

In sure and certain hope of the resurrection to eternal life, through our Lord Jesus Christ, we commend to Almighty God Betty Elizabeth Dunn and McLin "Mac" Shedd Choate, Jr., and we commit their body to their final resting places. Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord, says the Spirit. They rest from their labors, and their works follow them.

WE GO TO LOVE AND SERVE THE WORLD

*HYMN

"In Christ There Is No East or West"

No. 317

*CHARGE AND BLESSING

*POSTLUDE

"Rejoice the Lord is King"

Herry

During the postlude, we invite you to move to Duntreath Hall to join us for fellowship time.

Liturgy adapted from the Presbyterian (USA) Book of Common Worship.

WORSHIP LEADERS

Rev. Keli Shipley Cooper, *Pastor*; Jillian Gatewood, *Director of Christian Formation*;
Sarah Cothorn, *Organist/Accompanist*; Faith John, *Flautist*; Chris Gatewood, Dr. Rexford Asare, and
Christina Appiah-Yeboah, *Liturgists*; Tate Wilson, *Livestream and Sound Operator*

*The flowers are given by the former New Covenant Class to the glory of God and in
loving memory of Don Virgin.*

WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS

Welcome to Tuckahoe Presbyterian Church! We're glad you're with us today. If you want to learn more about our church and ways to engage, please fill out the visitor card in the pew cardholder. Place the completed card in the offering plate in the foyer or hand to an usher. If you have questions, please look for someone with a purple ribbon on their nametag. We invite you to join us after the service in the Fellowship Hall for refreshments and a time to get to know each other!

Childcare is available for children 5 and under in the nursery (ushers can guide you if needed). We also have **children's bulletins** and crayons in the hallway.

Livestream during the service can be found in *The Commons* down the main hall if the need arises. Ushers can guide you.

Get Connected: See our Small Groups Flyer in the Resource Center (between the Sanctuary and the Fellowship Hall) for ways to connect with others with similar interests or to join a Small Group.

ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

We are grateful Holy Trinity (Ghanaian) Church is worshipping and leading worship with us today! We worship together quarterly throughout the year and are particularly excited to worship together on Pentecost, a celebration of the church's birthday.

We invite you to sign in using the Friendship Pad located at the end of each pew. This is optional; however, it is a helpful way for us to know how many people attend each week. Please fill out as much or as little information as you would like and pass the pad down your row.

If you have **prayer requests**, you can list them on the prayer cards tucked in the cover of the friendship pads. Please place the completed card in the prayer box in the Narthex. You can also email prayer requests directly to Pastor Keli at kcooper@tuckahoepres.org.

For the collection of the Offering, the Plates will be located at the entrances to the Sanctuary, in the Narthex. As you enter the Sanctuary, you can place your offering in the plate. Thank you for your faithful giving.

Today, and again next Sunday, you have the opportunity to give to the Pentecost Special Offering. Each year on Pentecost Sunday, we celebrate the gift of the Holy Spirit and the birthday of the church. The Holy Spirit remains with us still, connecting us with the church of the past, continuing to inspire the church of today, and pointing us to the church of the future, specifically for Youth Ministry. Each year, this celebration is marked by receiving the Pentecost Offering, which nurtures the faith of those who are the church to come. We will not be passing the plates today. **If you would like to give to today's Special Offering, place your envelope in the Offering Plates in the Narthex on your way out.**

A reminder that our children's Little Lights will be once a month in the summer. The dates are today, June 8th, and again on July 13th and August 10th.

A heartfelt thank you to our incredible Youth who led us in Worship last Sunday. Your voices, creativity, and leadership were a gift to our congregation. We are grateful for your faith, your preparation, and the joy you brought to our community. Thank you also to our youth advisors and families for supporting them along the way!

The Fellowship Committee will be hosting The Richmond Pops at a FREE Concert and Picnic TODAY, June 8th on the church lawn from 4:30-6:30 pm. Renowned as “*Central Virginia's Finest Community Concert Band*”, the Pops will be starting their concert at 5:00 pm. Invite a friend and bring your own picnic and chairs/blanket. The Fellowship Committee will be providing beverages and desserts. A limited number of tables and chairs will be set up as well. Questions? Please contact Jeanne Webster at jeanne@webster777.com or Kit Crawford at kmcrawford03@hotmail.com.

Join us on Sunday, June 29th to celebrate God's earth! This service will focus on our mission as an Earth Care Congregation to care for the Earth and its people. Flowers in the sanctuary will be from pesticide-free gardens near the church. The TPC Earth Care Team will host the Fellowship Hour with cookies, pitchers of iced tea and lemonade, and carafes of fair-trade coffee. In addition, the library's Earth Care book cart will be available for patrons to peruse and check out books, along with displays featuring readily available plastic-free alternatives for common household items and suggestions for non-toxic cleaners. We look forward to seeing you all on the 29th!

Also on Sunday, June 29th, during the service – and again during Fellowship Time on the plaza – we will joyfully **dedicate and give thanks for the completion of Phase II of our Campus Exterior Master Plan.** This is a special moment to celebrate the generosity of Tuckahoe's members and friends, and to honor the faithful work of the Task Force and Capital Campaign Committee. Come be a part of this meaningful and celebratory Sunday!

Please consider checking the After Church Fellowship Host calendar and signing up for a summer Sunday! Our After-Church Fellowship time in the summer will be simple and lighter fare. Hosting is easy – just choose a few items to set out from our well-stocked kitchen pantry, and \$25 gift cards are also available if you would like to supplement the offerings with fresh foods. The Fellowship Committee keeps it supplied with snacks and paper products to make things as convenient as possible. If you're interested in hosting, you can sign up online at www.tinyurl.com/TPCFellowshipHost or reach out to **Kit Crawford** or **Jeanne Webster**. If you've never hosted before, don't worry – we're happy to guide you through it!

SAVE THE DATE! The Fellowship Committee will be hosting another Dinner and Games Night on Sunday, July 20th from 6:00-7:30pm in Duntreath. We will be providing dinner and fun games with prizes. More details to come!

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