

# SHALLOWFORD PRESBYTERIAN



INVITING ALL PEOPLE TO A FAITHFUL WAY OF LIFE IN CHRIST AND IN COMMUNITY

## A Service for the Lord's Day

September 15, 2019

11:00 a.m.

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

### WE GATHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE

#### OPENING VOLUNTARY

*Trumpet Rondo a la Gigue*

–Lani Smith

#### GATHERING WORDS

The Lord be with you.  
**And also with you.**

#### INTROIT

*Partita No. 2 in G*  
Rebecca Testerman, oboe

–George Telemann

#### ✠CALL TO WORSHIP

Our God gently leads us as a shepherd leads the flock.  
**Our God gathers us safely in the fold.**  
Our God searches for the lost,  
**and restores to us the joy of salvation.**  
May the praise of God always be on our lips!  
**Let us worship God!**

#### ✠HYMN No. 802

*The King of Love My Shepherd Is (Verses 1, 2, 3 & 6)*  
Keren Barr, flute  
Rebecca Testerman, oboe

ST. COLUMBIA

#### ✠CALL TO CONFESSION

#### ✠PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, we confess that we are like sheep who have gone astray. We stumble and go astray. We get distracted. We look elsewhere for love and acceptance. We betray our core values, and devalue the gifts you have given us. We follow the voices of selfish power but do not listen to your voice. We grumble and complain, and miss the joy that you give. Have mercy upon us. Seek us out, and bring us back to our Great Shepherd, Jesus Christ. Amen.

#### ✠KYRIE

Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us.  
Lord, have mercy upon us.



## 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 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.

## CALL FOR OFFERTORY

### OFFERTORY

*My Shepherd Will Supply My Need*  
Keren Barr, flute  
Rebecca Testerman, oboe

–arr. Mack Wilberg

### ✠DOXOLOGY

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow,  
Praise him all creatures here below,  
Praise him above ye heavenly host,  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

OLD HUNDREDTH

### ✠PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION

## WE ARE SENT TO SERVE

### ✠HYMN No. 12

*Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*  
Rebecca Testerman, oboe

ST. DENIO

### ✠CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

### ✠BENEDICTION RESPONSE

*The Lord Bless You*  
Chancel Choir

–Douglas E. Wagner

### POSTLUDE

*Postlude on "Old 113<sup>th</sup>"*

–Stephen Walters

**This church welcomes you** no matter who you are, where you come from, or why you are here. We are Christ's people, and this is Christ's place with its doors open wide. If you are passing through, Godspeed; if you are looking for a home, stay here; if you need instruction, learn from us as we learn from you. We invite visitors to join us, but most of all, to return often.

**Our liturgist** this morning is Grant Wright, Acting Director of Children's Ministries & Seminary Intern.

**The cradle crosses** at the baptismal font celebrate the birth of **Ava Elizabeth Hunter**, born on August 14th to Josh and Kate Hunter. Proud grandparents are SPC members Shirley and Cleve Hunter. We also celebrate the birth of **Brooks David Moynihan**, born August 16 to Ashley and Jay Moynihan. Additionally, we celebrate the birth of **Lillian Virginia Simonds**, born August 22 to Sara and Cam Simonds.

**The flowers in worship** are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Charles L. Shepherd by his wife, Anchor, and by Rick, Elizabeth, Scott, Tristan, and Cole.

**Child Care is available during both services** in the nursery. From the atrium, enter the nursery through the double doors to the right of the Sanctuary. **Worship clipboards for children** are available in the Atrium.

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September 15 – September 22

Sunday, September 15 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

- 8:45 a.m. First Worship
- 9:30 a.m. Discovering Shallowford
- 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
- 11:00 a.m. Worship
- 11:15 a.m. Cherub Choir Rehearsal
- 12:00 p.m. Worship Committee Meeting
- 12:30 p.m. Darkness to Light Training
- 4:30 p.m. Chapel Choir Rehearsal
- 6:00 p.m. Youth Fellowship
- 6:00 p.m. Adult Small Group (off campus)

Tuesday, September 17

- 10:00 a.m. Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group
- 10:30 a.m. Daytime Choir
- 6:30 p.m. Multi-Family Addiction Support Group
- 7:00 p.m. Kay Stewart Summer Mindfulness Series

Wednesday, September 18

- 6:30 a.m. High School Breakfast
- 11:00 a.m. Wednesday Bible Study
- 5:15 p.m. Yoga with Laurel
- 5:15 p.m. Westminster Bell Choir (grades 3-5)
- 5:15 p.m. Trinity Choir (grades 1-2)
- 6:30 p.m. Shallowford Bell Choir (grades 6-12)
- 6:30 p.m. Westminster Choir (grades 3-5)
- 6:30 p.m. NAMI Connection
- 6:30 p.m. Yoga with Laurel
- 7:00 p.m. Stated Session Meeting

Thursday, September 19

- 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast
- 10:00 a.m. Fitness, Fun and Fellowship
- 7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Friday, September 20

Church Office Closed

Saturday, September 21

- 8:00 a.m. High School Girls & Moms Overnight

Sunday, September 22 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

- 8:45 a.m. First Worship
- 9:30 a.m. Discovering Shallowford
- 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
- 11:00 a.m. Worship
- 11:15 a.m. Cherub Choir Rehearsal
- 12:15 p.m. Care Ministers Training
- 4:30 p.m. Chapel Choir Rehearsal
- 5:30 p.m. Shally Eats
- 6:00 p.m. Youth Fellowship

WORSHIP SEPTEMBER 22  
15<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

PREACHING

Rev. John Semmes

SCRIPTURE

Luke 16:1-13

MUSIC

Chancel Choir  
Chapel Choir

Dr. David Fairchild, trumpet



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