



# Northwest Presbyterian Church

## Service of Worship

Making Disciples • Making Friends • Making a Difference

July 22, 2018

Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

10:00AM

*Let the people on entering God's house, be reverent in silence, fervent in prayer,  
heartily in praise and expectant of the Spirit.*



Please silence cell phones and electronic devices at this time.

**PRELUDE**

*"Prelude"*

G. Mattioli

**CHIMING OF THE HOUR**

**GREETING**

Dr. Timothy Boggess

*One:* The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

***All:* And also with you.**

**CALL TO WORSHIP (PSALM 46)**

*One:* God is our refuge and strength,  
a very present help in trouble.

***All:* Therefore we will not fear,  
though the earth should change,**

*One:* though the mountains shake in the heart of the sea.

***All:* The Lord of hosts is with us;**

*One:* The God of Jacob is our refuge.

\* **HYMN OF PRAISE 35**

*Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty*

\* **PRAYER OF CONFESSION** (*Unison*)

The Rev. Caroline Jinkins

**Most merciful God, forgive us. We imagine that we can live without you, when you give us our very breath. We seek control over others rather than strive to live in unity. We allow fear to overtake us, even though our lives are in your hands. Draw us back into your steadfast love and shape us into the likeness of your Son, Jesus Christ.**

A time of quiet, personal confession.

In your mercy, Lord, hear our prayer, and forgive us.

**Amen.**

\* **ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

*One:* Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel:

***All:* In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!**

\* **SUNG RESPONSE**

GLORY TO GOD

**Glory to God, glory to God, glory in the Highest!  
Glory to God, glory to God, alleluia, alleluia!**

\* **SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

*One:* The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

***All:* And also with you.**

You are invited to share words and signs of greeting and reconciliation.

**TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES**

Children are invited to rejoin their parents for the Worship service.

**CONCERNS AND CELEBRATIONS OF THE CHURCH**

**MOMENT FOR MISSION**

New American Pathways

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER** (*Unison*)

**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.**

## PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

*“Blessings”*  
Margaret McMurray, soprano

Laura Story

\* SUNG RESPONSE

COME SING, O CHURCH, IN JOY

**Come sing, O church in joy! Come join, O church, in song.  
For Christ the Lord has led us through the ages long!  
In bold accord, come celebrate the journey now and praise the Lord!**

\* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

\* HYMN OF PREPARATION 175

*Seek Ye First*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READINGS Num. 13:1-3, 17-20, 25-14:10a, 21-24 Pew Bible, pg. 130 OT

SERMON

*“Undaunted Courage”*  
Road Trips: Stories of Faith on the Move

Dr. Timothy Boggess

\* HYMN OF SERVICE 761

*Called as Partners in Christ's Service*

\* CHARGE AND BLESSING

POSTLUDE

*“Postlude”*

G.B. Polleri

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\* *All who are able are asked to stand.*

*The new silk flower arrangement in the Sanctuary is given to the glory of God  
and in memory of John B. Brown by Anne Brown and family.*

# Welcome

In the name of Jesus Christ, **we welcome you to Northwest**, with the hope that this service of worship will be for you an experience of real communion with God and God's children. If you have not found a church home in Atlanta, we hope you will consider joining with us in worship, study, fellowship, and service. There is a place for you here in which you can both give and receive. ***Come join us!***

## The Ministers

Members of Northwest Presbyterian Congregation

### The Session

#### Class of 2018

Heather McCloskey, **E\***  
Kaye Mulkeen, **F\***  
Henry Quillian, **O\***  
Sandy Simonds, **C\***  
Jeff Upchurch, **W\***  
Ann Vining, **C**

#### Class of 2019

Lisa Bacorn, **F**  
Dan Laney, **S\***  
George Hauptfuhrer, **M\***  
Anne McClatchey, **E**  
Steven Pohl, **W**  
Dick Wilbanks, **S**

#### Class of 2020

Louis Bridges, **E**  
Peggy Lang, **O**  
Bill Matthews, **M**  
Craig Woodward, **W**  
Bryce Burnett, **F**  
Carol Ballance, **O**

**C**=Congregational Care  
**E**=Education  
**F**=Fellowship

**M**=Mission  
**O**=Outreach  
**S**=Stewardship

**W**=Worship  
**\***=Team Leader

Moderator: The Rev. Dr. Timothy T. Boggess  
Clerk: Harriett Kelly  
Treasurer: Karen Taylor

### The Staff

The Rev. Dr. Timothy T. Boggess, Pastor  
The Rev. Caroline Jinkins, Associate Pastor  
Amanda Kemery, Director of Youth Ministries  
Dr. James J. Kohler, Director of Music Ministries  
Mauro Ronca, Organist  
Scott Mize, Administrative Manager  
Monty Johnson, Administrative Assistant  
John Cast, Maintenance



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## Sunday Worship

This Sunday, July 22, 2018 is Ninth Sunday after Pentecost. This week Dr. Timothy Boggess will present the sermon "Undaunted Courage" from the series Road Trips: Stories of Faith on the Move. The scripture readings are Num. 13:1-3, 17-20, 25-14:10a, 21-24. The offertory anthem is "Blessings" by Laura Story.

## Prayers

### For those who are ill or recovering:

Chris Henry  
Ginger Sifford  
Liz Hendricks  
Anne Brown  
Lucy Garvey  
Peggy Dudley  
Crystal Allen  
Campbell Fretz  
Betzi Allsop  
Ann McClurkin  
Elmarie and Scott Parker  
Cindy Conn  
Tim Criswell

Suzy Milner  
Paula Powell  
Jim Edwards  
The Ahmad family  
(NWPC sponsored refugee family)

### For our Renovation Team:

Martha Greenway  
Rebecca Holderread  
Bill Matthews (facilitator)  
Steven Pohl

### For our Young Families Task Force:

Nate Bayer  
Jennifer McCabe  
Noah Wasmer

*To have a name placed on the prayer list, please call 404-237-5539. Hospitals no longer notify churches when a member is a patient. Therefore, we depend on family and friends to let us know when a congregant has been admitted.*

## Serving This Week

**Worship Coordinator:** Craig Woodward

**Breakfast Volunteers:** Jeff Upchurch, Steven Pohl, Craig Woodward

**Greeters:** Curt and Barbara Thompson

**Ushers:** Dan Laney, Craig Camp, Penn McClatchey, Chad Fleming

## Weekly Lectionary

### Sunday, July 22

Josh. 1:1-18  
Acts 21:3-15  
Mark 1:21-27

### Monday, July 23

Josh. 2:1-14  
Rom. 11:1-12  
Matt. 25:1-13

### Tuesday, July 24

Josh. 2:15-24  
Rom. 11:13-24  
Matt. 25:14-30

### Wednesday, July 25

Josh. 3:1-13  
Rom. 11:25-36  
Matt. 25:31-46

### Thursday, July 26

Josh. 3:14-4:7  
Rom. 12:1-8  
Matt. 26:1-16

### Friday, July 27

Josh. 4:19-5:1, 10-15  
Rom. 12:9-21  
Matt. 26:17-25

### Saturday, July 28

Josh. 6:1-14  
Rom. 13:1-7  
Matt. 26:26-35

**Sound and Light:** Michael Weaver

## Moment for Mission - New American Pathway

Paedia Mixon is a recognized leader in the refugee service community. She led the merger that created New American Pathways, implementing the vision for a comprehensive service model that guides a refugee's journey — from arrival in the U.S. through swear-in as a U.S. citizen.

Under Paedia's leadership, New American Pathways' resettlement program has been recognized nationally as one of the most successful in the country, placing more than 90% of refugees in jobs within their first six months of resettling in the U.S. Among her many accolades, Paedia is a graduate of Leadership Atlanta (2016) and Leadership DeKalb (2012), and she received a prestigious scholarship to attend the Harvard Business School's Executive Nonprofit Leadership Program for "Strategic Perspectives in Nonprofit Management" (2013).

## Presbyterian Women - Christmas in July

Presbyterian Women are celebrating **Christmas in July** for the **next two Sundays**. Donations are now being accepted for ditty bags to be distributed in December. The bags provide gifts of toiletries, warm socks, hats and gloves to our brothers and sisters in need. A gift of **\$20.00** is all it takes to fill a bag with these necessities. The bags will be delivered to the visitors at **Central Presbyterian Night Shelter, Shrine Night Shelter, and Clifton Presbyterian Church**. Please make your **checks payable to Presbyterian Women** marked **"ditty bags"** in the memo line, and drop in the offering plate.

### Summer Sermon Series

July 22 - **"Undaunted Courage"** (Stephen Ambrose) - Num. 13:1-3, 17-20, 25-14:10a, 21-24

July 29 - **Youth Mission Sharing**

August 5 - **"In a Sunburned Country"** (Bill Bryson) - 1 Kings 19:1-16

August 12 - **"The Places in Between"** (Rory Stewart) - 2 Kings 2:1-14

August 19 - **"The Worst Journey in the World"** (Apsley Cherry-Garrard) - Jonah, selected verses

August 26 - **"Lost in My Own Backyard"** (Tim Cahill) - Acts 9:1-22

## Northwest Youth Summer Schedule

### Lunch, Our Treat

Youth are invited to meet after worship and head to lunch with us; it's the church's treat!

We will go to a local restaurant and return to the church by 12:30.

**July 22, 29; All Sundays in August**

## Church Calendar

Sunday, July 22	9:30AM	Fellowship in the Courtyard
	10:00AM	Worship
	11:00AM	Youth-Lunch, Our Treat
Sunday, July 29	9:15AM	Called Session Meeting
	9:30AM	Fellowship in the Courtyard
	10:00AM	Worship-Elder Ordination/Installation
	11:00AM	Youth-Lunch, Our Treat
Wednesday, August 1	7:00PM	Choir Rehearsal
Sunday, August 5	9:30AM	Fellowship in the Courtyard
	10:00AM	Worship
	11:00AM	Youth-Lunch, Our Treat

## July Birthdays

18th	John Pinkerton
20th	Joan Cook
25th	Charles Davis
	Paige Fleming
26th	Bryce Burnett
	Emily Amos
28th	Heather Boggess

## August Birthdays

1st	Luise Allison
3rd	Rebecca Burnett
	Andrew Milton