

June 20, 2021

Order of Worship
Father's Day

10:15 AM

Greeting and Announcements

Prelude

• Call to Worship

The winds and the waves are no match for our God.

Christ speaks peace to the chaos and calm to the storm.

In the midst of the storms of our lives,

let us calm our minds and worship God with gladness.

• Sounds of Faith – Faith of Our Fathers (see insert)

• Prayer of Confession

It is only by the power of God that we are able to stand against evil.

Trusting in God's grace, let us confess our sin.

O Christ whose voice brought peace to the waves,

we pray for a glimpse of your peace in our lives.

When all around us has given way to chaos, ground us in your presence.

When the struggle for justice seems endless and we grow tired,

refresh us by your mercy.

Help us to see that you are in the boat with us, even when we are certain that it is sinking.

Forgive us when we doubt the power of your grace, O Lord,

and make us agents of your reign.

Now stand firm in your faith, covered by the saving grace of God and ready to proclaim the gospel of peace. In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

• Congregational Response - #581 Glory Be to the Father

Children's Message

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture: Psalm 9:9-11

*The LORD is a stronghold for the oppressed,
a stronghold in times of trouble.*

*And those who know your name put their trust in you,
for you, O LORD, have not forsaken those who seek you.*

Sing praises to the LORD, who dwells in Zion.

*Declare his deeds among the peoples. The word of the Lord; **Thanks be to God.***

Choir Anthem - Father, We Adore Thee

Gracious God, we worship Thee for salvation full and free

Jesus Christ, our only plea, Father, we adore Thee

For Thy love so vast and wide, shown to us by Him who died

Holy justice satisfied, Father, we adore Thee

Now we bow before Thy face, let Thy presence fill this place

Oh, the wonders of Your grace, Father, we adore Thee

Now again our song we raise, sound of deep adoring praise

Soon we'll sing through endless days, Father we adore Thee

Jesus Christ, our only plea

Father, we adore Thee

Scripture: Ephesians 6:1-4

*Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. "Honor your father and mother"—this is the first commandment with a promise: "so that it may be well with you and you may live long on the earth." And, fathers, do not provoke your children to anger, but bring them up in the discipline and instruction of the Lord. The Word of the Lord; **Thanks be to God.***

Meditation

• Sounds of Hope - # 169 Dear Lord and Father of Mankind

• Affirmation of Faith (Based on I Peter 1:3-9)

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! By his great mercy he has given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. Through Christ, we are being protected by the power of God for salvation. In this we rejoice with an indescribable and glorious joy! Amen.

Giving and Offertory – Good, Good Father (Carol Battle, soloist)

Pastoral Prayer and 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.

• Sounds of Love - #370 This is My Father's World

• Benediction

• **Postlude**

The (●) dot in the order of worship invites you to stand as you are able. Text in **bold** indicates unison reading.



Join us for an ice cream social

When: Sunday, June 27th, immediately after worship

Where: on the front lawn of the church

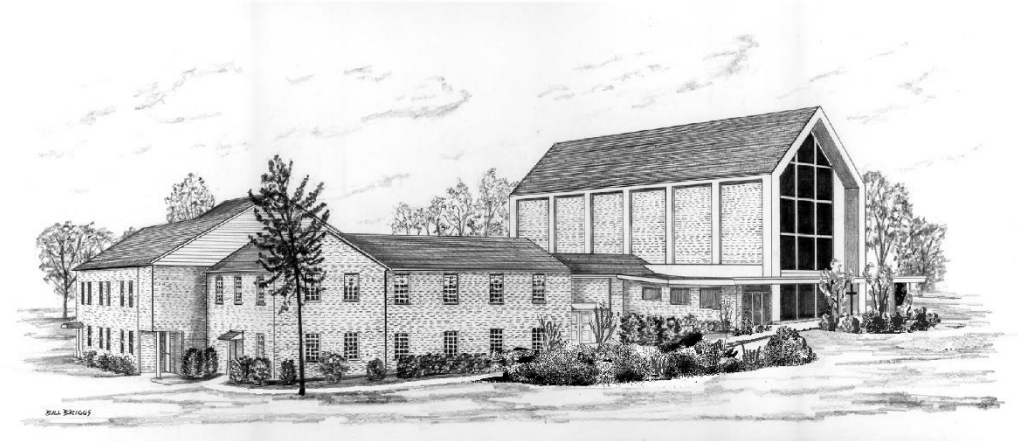
What's included: ice cream treats provided by the church and games for adults and children

What to bring: lawn chairs and a freezer of homemade ice cream (if you feel called to make one!)

Questions? Contact Katie Baker, Janet Smith, or Laura Piper

Donelson Presbyterian Church

Sharing the Love of Christ



We warmly welcome all who have come to worship with us today. If you are a guest at Donelson Presbyterian Church, we encourage you to fill out a yellow visitor card which you will find in the pew.

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