

# WELCOME

- A Warm and Cordial Welcome is extended to all who worship with us today! We hope that in this service you will encounter the living Christ and experience the warmth of our caring community of faith. Please take a moment to sign our friendship pad when it is passed to you, so that members and guests may greet one another after the service.
- Guests, if you are in search of a church home, we invite you to consider becoming a part of our community of faith here at Corbin Presbyterian Church. Please indicate your interest on the friendship pad, speaking to the Pastor, or by contacting the church office at 606-528-1444 or churchoffice@corbinpres.org
- Children are always welcome in worship! Children's worship bulletins, clip boards and crayons are available on the table just outside the sanctuary for use by children and the adults who worship with them. During worship, children are invited to join the Pastor on the chancel steps for Young Disciples Time. There is also a special *Prayground* just for them at the rear of the sanctuary where they may continue to interact with the Scriptures and theme of worship for the day.

## CALENDAR

Sunday, August 18 <sup>th</sup> – 10 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost Sunday School – 9am- Library Worship – 10am	Sunday, August 25 <sup>th</sup> – 11 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost Sunday School – 9am -Library Worship – 10am
Monday, August 19 <sup>th</sup> Finance Committee Meeting – 6pm At the Blairs' home	Potluck Luncheon - 11am –Fellowship Hall Book Group - 6pm –Library
Tuesday, August 20 <sup>th</sup> Food Pantry 9am-12pm – Fellowship Hall Transylvania Presbytery Meeting 5-7:30pm At Bayless Memorial Presbyterian Church, Grayson, KY. Welcome Back Cub Scout Pack #488 – 6-8pm	Monday, August 26 <sup>th</sup> Sr Box Truck Delivery – 9:30am
Wednesday, August 21 <sup>st</sup> Women's AA Group 6-7pm	Tuesday, August 27 <sup>th</sup> Food Pantry 9am-12pm – Fellowship Hall Pack Sr Boxes 6-7pm Cub Scouts Pack #488 Recruitment Jamboree -6pm
Thursday, August 22 <sup>nd</sup> Bulletin Deadline – 12pm TOPS Meeting 5-7pm Session Meeting 6-8pm	Wednesday, August 28 <sup>th</sup> Sr Box Pick-Up Day 9am-1pm Women's AA Group 6-7pm
Friday, August 23 <sup>rd</sup> AI Anon 12-1pm	Thursday, August 29 <sup>th</sup> Bulletin Deadline – 12pm TOPS Meeting 5-7pm
	Friday, August 30 <sup>th</sup> AI Anon 12-1pm



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## The Service for the Lord's Day

August 18, 2019  
10<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

## Gathering Around the Word

### Preparing or Worship

*"Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your minds, so that you may discern what is the will of God—what is good and acceptable and perfect." Rom. 12:2*

*O Lord, as we gather to worship you this day, prepare us to receive your Word, unravel in us whatever keeps us from knowing your Word, that we may be transformed and renewed by your Word to live as the body of Christ. Amen.*

### Prelude

*Fugue in C Major*

Dietrich Buxtehude  
1637-1707

### Joys, Concerns, and Announcements

### Opening Prayer

### \*Call to Worship

Who are you?

**I am a child of God.**

Who are we?

**We are children of God, the family of faith.**

What does it mean to be children of God?

**We belong to God, who loves us and calls us God's own.**

**In life and in death we belong to God.**

Who are we?

**We are the church, the people of God.**

What does the Holy Spirit do for the church?

**The Spirit gathers us to worship God,**

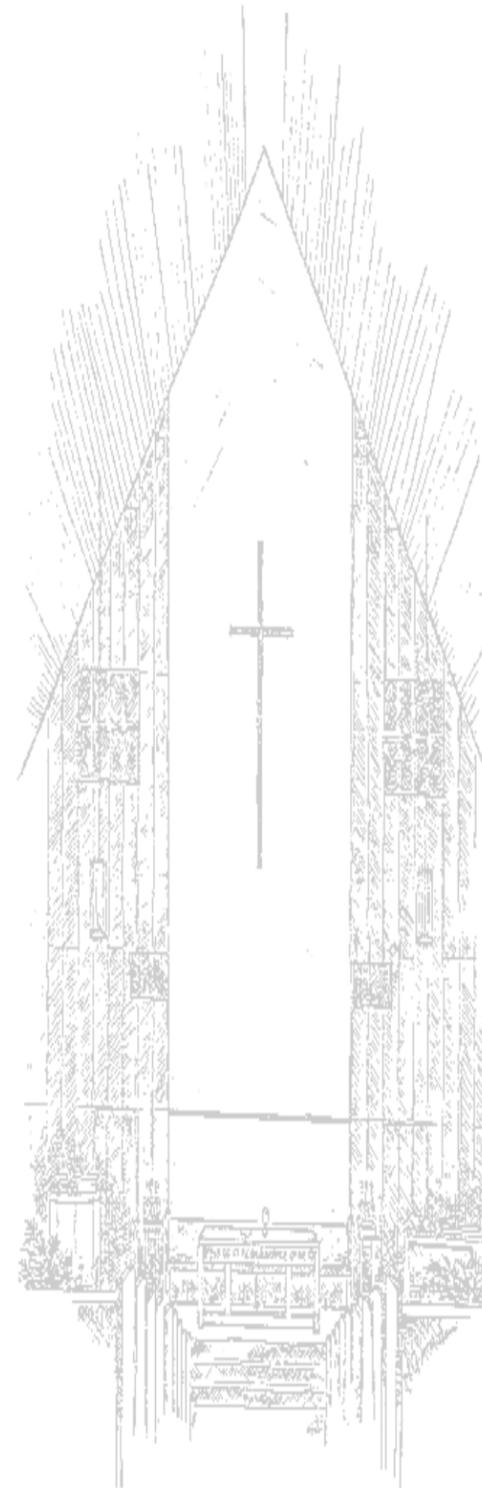
**builds us up in faith, hope, and love,**

**and sends us into the world to proclaim the gospel**

**and to work for justice and peace.**

Come, people of God, let us worship the God who loves us, calls us, and sends us out.

**Let us worship God!**



*"God, make the door of this place of worship wide enough to receive all who need human love, friendship and the Father's care; narrow enough to shut out all pride, envy and hatred; and smooth enough for the feet of little children."*

*\*Please stand as you are able.*

\*Hymn #464 Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee HYMN TO JOY

\*Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (unison)

Forgiving God, we confess that we are conformed to this world. We conform to this world’s frantic pace, too hectic to notice all the blessings you provide. We conform to this world’s reckless waste, exploiting what you entrust to our care. We conform to this world’s shallow values, oblivious to the giftedness of people different from us. We conform to this world’s impatient attitudes, preferring the latest instead of the lasting. We conform to this world’s tolerance of hatred and violence, fearful of trusting in your promise of reconciliation and peace. Forgive our conformity and transform us, O God. We pray in Jesus’ name. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

Hear and believe the Good News:  
There is no chasm that cannot be bridged, no loss that cannot be recovered,  
no mistake that cannot be forgiven, no life that cannot be redeemed  
by the grace of God in Christ Jesus!  
Put your confidence in the grace of God:  
know with assurance that you are forgiven.  
**Glory be to God who makes all things new! Alleluia!**

\*The Gloria #579 Glory Be to the Father

\*The Peace

As those who have been forgiven:  
Lead a life worthy of your calling—with humility, gentleness, and patience, bearing with one another in love, making every effort to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.  
The peace of Christ be with you.  
**And also with you.**

*Signs of peace may be shared with those near you.*

## Hearing and Proclaiming the Word

Prayer for Illumination (unison)

**Eternal God, in the reading of Scripture, may your Word be heard;  
in the meditation of our hearts,  
may your Word be known;  
and in the faithfulness of our lives, may your Word be shown. Amen.**

Scripture Lesson Romans 12:2

Solo In The Garden Medley C. Austin Miles  
Betty H. Gaddis - Alto 1868-1946

Young Disciples

Scripture Lesson Exodus 1:22-2:10

The Word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God**

Sermon A Mother, a Baby, and Two Daughters: Risk, Vulnerability and a New Life. The Rev. Lisa R. Eye

## Responding to the Word

\*Hymn (insert) A Fearful, Desperate Mother AURELIA

\*Affirmation of Faith The Apostle’s Creed (Presbyterian Hymnal, p. 14)

Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer (Traditional, Presbyterian Hymnal, p. 16)

Offering

Offertory Quietude Felix Mendelssohn  
Songs Without Words Opus 16, No. 1 1809-1847

\*Doxology #592 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

\*Prayer of Dedication (unison)

**Almighty God, you took a baby from the Nile and used him to lead your people to the promised land.  
Take our offerings and use them for your people in this land and throughout your world. In Jesus’  
name we pray. Amen.**

## Following the Word into the World

\*Hymn #539 Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name We Raise ELLERS

\*Charge & Benediction

\*Congregational Response #535 Go with Us, Lord TALLIS’ CANON

\*Postlude Allegro Vivace George Frideric Handel  
Water Suite 1685-1758

*\*\*Notice the round tapestry that is taking shape in the front of the sanctuary. The torn pieces of fabric represent our hopes and dreams unraveled, the way life and plans sometimes disintegrate under our feet, leaving us scrambling for the footing God is leading us toward. Throughout this worship series, we will take the fabric strips and weave them into the tapestry to remind us of the ways God is present in our moments of unraveling as well as the promise that God hems us in—  
behind and before.*

*When our plans fall apart, may God weave us together with love. You are invited to write your prayers on the ribbons or fabric strips found in the basket or on the table in the fellowship hall. They will be woven into the tapestry each week.*