

CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

July 4, 2021

Prelude “God of Our Fathers” Warren

**Welcome and Announcements
Opening Ourselves to God**

Call to Worship

***Hymn # 802 “Star Spangled Banner”**

Confession of Sin

Merciful God, We confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy, forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name.

***Affirmation of Faith (The Apostle 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

***Gloria Patri “Glory Be to the Father”**

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, Amen.

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory “My Country ‘tis of Thee “ Carey

***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

***Hymn # 799 “America the Beautiful”**

Hearing God’s Word

Scripture Readings:

**Old Testament “Proverbs 14:34; Psalm 33:12”
NRSV Pgs. # 734 & 624**

Sermon “Stand Up America” Rev. Dr. Morris Denman

***Hymn # 804 “Battle Hymn of the Republic”**

Prayers of the People

Benediction

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.

Postlude “God Bless America” Slade

***Congregation Stands (All who are able may stand)**

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Sunday School: 9:30
Worship: 11:00
Lunch Bunch: (TBA) - All are welcome!

We welcome all visitors who are worshipping with us today. Please fill out the Welcome card located in the pew and place it in the offering plate. Thanks for visiting with us and we invite you to make this your church home. If you are interested in joining this congregation, you may do so by 1) profession of faith, 2) transfer of letter of membership from any Christian congregation, or 3) re-affirmation of faith when you meet with the Session. Please ask our Pastor or one of our Elders for additional information.

Nursery Provided, Please ask an Usher.

LET US JOIN IN PRAYER FOR

Church Members: Maureen Wade, Reba Love, Sid Jenkins, Rose Stallins, Rose Owens, Sally Teer, and continued prayers for Dixie and Leroy Retherford, Jimmy and Jennifer Whisenant.
St. Andrew's Friends: Morris and Sue Denman, Judy Burd, Patsy Moates, Mary Lou Douglas, Mary Ann Riddle, Marsha Lucas, Peder and Jan Carlson, James and Fleta Dean.

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