



Fountain Inn Presbyterian Church

“A church home for all, glorifying God through worship, fellowship, and service.”

FOUNTAIN INN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

20th Sunday after Pentecost

October 10, 2021

Welcome and Announcements

Donna Ricard

Prelude

*Call to Worship

This is God's day, and we are God's people.

Let us come into God's house with thanksgiving.

Let us lift up our hearts with gladness.

Let us sing praises to God's name forever and ever.

*Hymn No. 726

Will You Come and Follow Me

KELVINGROVE

“Will you come and follow me if I but call your name?
Will you go where you don't know and never be the same?
Will you let my love be shown; will you let my name be known;
will you let my life be grown in you and you in me?”

“Will you leave yourself behind if I but call your name?
Will you care for cruel and kind and never be the same?
Will you risk the hostile stare should your life attract or scare?
Will you let me answer prayer in you and you in me?”

“Will you let the blinded see if I but call your name?
Will you set the prisoners free and never be the same?
Will you kiss the leper clean, and do such as this unseen,
and admit to what I mean in you and you in me?”

“Will you love the ‘you’ you hide if I but call your name?
Will you quell the fear inside and never be the same?
Will you use the faith you’ve found to reshape the world around,
through my sight and touch and sound in you and you in me?”

Lord, your summons echoes true when you but call my name.
Let me turn and follow you and never be the same.
In your company I’ll go where your love and footsteps show.
Thus I’ll move and live and grow in you and you in me.

*Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession

O God, our transgressions are many. We have sinned against you and done evil in your sight. We have wandered far from your truth. You alone know the extent of our guilt. You are justified to pass judgment on us. But, Loving God, we plead for mercy. Forgive us and put a new and right spirit in us. Help us to lead lives worthy of your call to us. For we make this prayer in Jesus’ name. Amen

*Assurance of Pardon

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven
and freed to try again.
Thanks be to God.

*Response Hymn No. 441

Hear the Good News of Salvation

NETTLETON

Hear the good news of salvation: Jesus died to show God’s love.
Such great kindness! Such great mercy! Come to us from heaven above.
Jesus Christ, how much I love you! Jesus Christ, you save from sin!
How I love you! Look upon me. Love me still and cleanse within.

Moment with Children

Scripture Reading

Mark 10:17-31

Sermon

“Being a Disciple Is Hard!”

Dr. Tom Malone

Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles’ 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.

Anthem

Prayers of the People

Reception of Tithes and Offerings

Prayer of Thanksgiving 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.

Hymn No.720

Jesus Calls Us

GALILEE

Jesus calls us: o’er the tumult of our life’s wild, restless sea;
day by day his sweet voice soundeth saying, "Christian, follow me."

Jesus calls us from the worship of the vain world’s golden store,
from each idol that would keep us, saying, "Christian, love me more."

In our joys and in our sorrows, days of toil and hours of ease,
still he calls, in cares and pleasures, "Christian, love me more than these."

Jesus calls us: by thy mercies, Savior, may we hear thy call,
give our hearts to thy obedience, serve and love thee best of all.

Charge and Benediction

Postlude

**Those who are able are invited to stand.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Joys and Concerns- We remember in our prayers: Bob and Shirley Holland, Louise Penn, Amanda Bell's grandmother, and our at home members.

We welcome Rev. Dr. Tom Malone to the pulpit this morning. Dr. Malone served as a former Associate Pastor here at Fountain Inn Presbyterian, and has a wonderful legacy of serving the Presbyterian Church as pastor, church educator, curriculum writer, keynote and retreat leader. We give thanks to God for Tom and his ministry, and for his leadership while Whitney is away today.

PYC will meet tonight from 5:30-7:30pm in the CFC. Join us for a meal and program. Please contact Shannon Weinel with any questions.

Let's meet at Steam All ladies of the church are invited to join Circle 1 on Tuesday, October 12th at 9:30am at Steam, 113-A South Main Street, Fountain Inn for breakfast and fellowship. Reservations must be made so please RSVP to Sara Looney at (864) 862-2461 no later than today.

Thanks to your tithes, offerings and time, last Sunday we were able to pack over 10,000 meals for Rise Against Hunger. Your support of our church budget and the sharing of your time made it possible for us to work together to provide meals which will be sent to Haiti.



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