

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

11:00 A.M.

**Rev. Mark Piedmonte, Pastor**  
**Music Director – Gregory Fraser**  
**\* Congregation will stand**

PRELUDE with SILENT PRAYERS: Gymnopedie 3

GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS – (Hymns that do not appear in the Presbyterian Hymnal are included on an insert in the bulletin – Singing WITH MASKS ON will be allowed in worship)

JUNE MISSION MOMENT: Grace Center

INTROIT: “Forty Days and Forty Nights” (vs. 1, See insert)

\*CALL TO WORSHIP:

Leader: A voice cries in the wilderness,

All: **“Prepare the way of the Lord; make God’s way clear.**

Leader: Lift up every valley; lower every mountain.

All: **For the glory of the Lord shall be revealed!”**

\*OPENING PRAYER:

Leader: Let us pray:

All: **All-powerful God, in Jesus Christ you turned death into life, and defeat into victory. Increase our faith and trust in him, that we may triumph over all evil, in the strength of the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

\*OPENING HYMN: “I Will Come to You” (See insert)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Leader: With confidence in God, our creator and redeemer, let us confess our sin.

All: **Almighty God, you love us, but we have not loved you. You call, but we have not listened. We walk away from neighbors in need, wrapped in our own concerns. We condone evil, prejudice, warfare, and greed. God of grace, help us to admit our sin, so that as you come to us in mercy, we may repent, turn to you, and receive forgiveness; through Jesus Christ our redeemer.**

MOMENT OF SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Do not fear, says the Lord, for I have redeemed you. I have called you by name; you are mine. The good news is this: By the grace of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

All: **Thanks be to God! Amen.**

\*RESPONSE: GLORIA PATRI

**Glorry 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.**

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE:

Leader: May the Peace of Christ be with all of you.

All: **And also with you.**

YOUTH MESSAGE: Take a Breathe!

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SONG OF PRAISE: “In Moments Like These” (See insert)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (Sung)

**Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path; Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path - When I feel afraid, Think I've lost my way, Still you're there right beside me. And nothing will I fear, As long as you are near, Please be near me to the end**

SCRIPTURE READING:

Mark 1:9-39

**Response (Sung)**

**Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path; Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path - I will not forget, Your love for me and yet, My heart forever is wandering. Jesus be my guide, And hold me to your side, I will love you to the end**

SERMON: Yes, Nap You!

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\*HYMN: “We Are One in the Spirit” (See insert)

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: 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.**

PRAYERS FOR JOYS AND CONCERNS / PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

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.

OFFERING / OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY / DEDICATION

\*CLOSING HYMN: “Shout to the Lord” (See insert)

\*BENEDICTION / RESPONSE: “Go Now in Peace”

**Go now in peace. Never be afraid. God will go with you each hour of every day. Go now in faith, steadfast, strong, and true. Know He will guide you in all you do. Go now in love, and show you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see. God will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith, and in love. Amen. Amen. Amen.**

POSTLUDE: Ravel Le Tombeau de Couperin – Rigaudon

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Tuesday, June 15	Pastor Hrs. 3-5pm;
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Saturday, June 19	June Dinner – Pick-up, Delivery, or Picnic 4-5:30pm – more info below

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Sunday, July 4	Lemonade on the Lawn 10:10 – 10:50am on the front lawn or in Taylor Hall
Tue-Thu, July 6-8	WYFS Summer Camp at BPC 9am – 4pm
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**Special Offerings:** Deacons Fund \$85.00

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Forty days and forty nights you were fasting in the wild;  
Forty days and forty nights tempted, and yet undefiled.

## **OPENING HYMN: I WILL COME TO YOU**

I will come to you in the silence  
I will lift you from all your fear  
You will hear My voice  
I claim you as My choice  
Be still, and know I am near.

I am hope for all who are hopeless  
I am eyes for all who long to see  
In the shadows of the night,  
I will be your light  
Come and rest in Me

**Refrain:** Do not be afraid, I am with you  
I have called you each by name  
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All the blind will see, the lame will all run free  
And all will know My name. **Refrain**  
I am the Word that leads all to freedom  
I am the peace the world cannot give  
I will call your name, embracing all your pain  
Stand up, now, walk, and live. **Refrain**

### **SONG OF PRAISE: IN MOMENTS LIKE THESE**

In moments like these I sing out a song  
I sing out a love song to Jesus  
In moments like these I lift up my hands  
I lift up my hands to the Lord

Singing I love You, Lord  
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### **SECOND HYMN: WE ARE ONE IN THE SPIRIT**

We Are One In The Spirit  
We Are One In The Lord [2] And We Pray That All Unity  
May One Day Be Restored:

**Refrain:** And They'll Know We Are  
Christians By Our Love, By Our Love;  
Yes, They'll Know We Are Christians  
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