

Invitation to Worship Lauren Jones Mayfield

Prelude Norman Warren
Jubilate

HAIL THE DAY THAT SEES HIM RISE, ALLELUIA!

Opening Words † Renee Purtlebaugh (9:30)
Perry Dixon (11:00)

The Gospel Lesson – Luke 24:44-53

Then Christ said to them, “These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you–

that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled.”

Then Christ opened their minds to understand the scriptures, and said to them,

“Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem.

You are witnesses of these things.

And see, I am sending upon you what my Creator promised; so stay here in the city until you have been clothed with power from on high.”

Then Jesus led them out as far as Bethany, and, lifting up his hands, Christ blessed them. While he was blessing them, he withdrew from them and was carried up into heaven.

And they worshiped him, and returned to Jerusalem with great joy; and they were continually in the temple blessing God.

Processional Hymn (219) † LLANFAIR
Hail the Day That Sees Him Rise

Prayer of Praise Denee Walsh

Gloria Patri MEINEKE
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.

Anthem—Psalm 47 Alfred V. Fedak
Clap Your Hands

Clap your hands O faithful people! Shout to God a song of praise! From the dust of conquered nations, God a realm of grace shall raise. In appointed courts of glory faithful to God’s name always. May we prosper all our days. With a shout and blast of trumpet, God shall mount a throne on high; Let our praise, as finest incense, rise to meet God in the sky. Fill the world with glad rejoicing, heaven shall sing and earth reply. All God’s work to glorify. Let your hearts be filled with gladness, as the Lord your life shall bless. Live as heirs of God’s great justice, wear the cloak of righteousness. God will grant us earth’s dominion. All things good and nothing less. All things good for our gift of faithfulness.

CHRIST, THE LAMB FOR SINNERS GIVEN

Prayer of Confession Lauren Jones Mayfield

Forgive us, God of mercy, for our insistence that American ways are sometimes more important than the gospel. Forgive our neglect of those whose needs differ from our own. Forgive the ways that our proud traditions tend to carry more influence than the love of God in our daily lives. We repent of our manifest destiny understandings of faithfulness. Plant your hope and love in our heart that we may be bold enough to see that all people are blessed in your sight. Amen.

Words of Assurance – from Ephesians 1

With the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which God has called you.

God put this power to work in Christ when God raised Jesus from the dead and seated him at God’s right hand in the heavenly places,

And God has put all things under God’s feet and has made him the head over all things for the church,

which is Christ’s body, the fullness of Christ who fills all in all.

Hymn (662) † NYLAND
The Mission God Has Given

HARK! HIS GRACIOUS LIPS BESTOW

The Epistle Lesson Scarlette Jasper
Philippians 4:4-7 (Pew Bible page 195 – NT)

Sermon Scarlette Jasper
Rejoice

The Celebration of Holy Communion Carol Harston and
Renee Purtlebaugh (9:30)
Perry Dixon (11:00)

Invitation to the Table
Exchange of Peace
Prayer of Thanksgiving
The Lord’s Prayer
Words of Institution
Reception of the Bread and Cup

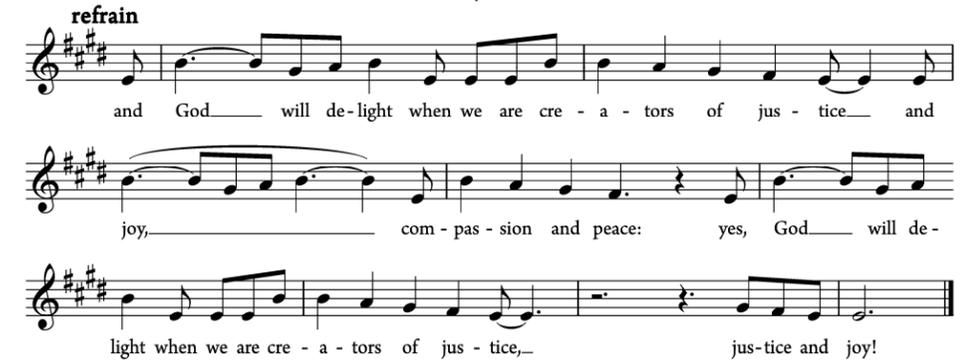
All bread served is gluten free.

Please place your tithes and offerings in the offering plates as you return to your pew.

STILL HE CALLS THE WORLD HIS OWN

Hymn of Response † FOR EVERYONE BORN
text, Shirley Erena Murray

For Everyone Born



Offertory Prayer Marilyn Sanders (9:30)
Roy Fuller (11:00)

Recognition of Graduates Lauren Jones Mayfield and Perry Dixon

We celebrate your graduation with you! We give thanks for your life as a student and all that you have learned. We look forward to the ways that we will continue to discover new ideas and practices together on the journey of life. Your accomplishment blesses this church family. Receive our joy and know God’s love as we give thanks for you and the gift of learning. Amen!

News for the Community Lauren Jones Mayfield

Doxology † LASST UNS ERFREUEN
**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below; Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God for all that love has done;
Creator, Christ, and Spirit, One. Alleluia! Amen.**

Benediction Scarlette Jasper

Postlude J. K. F. Fischer
Prelude in D

† *For those who are able, we invite you to stand.*

We ask worshipers to read the lines in **bold** in today’s litanies and printed scriptures.

Today in Worship

Please extend a warm Highland welcome to Rev. Scarlette Jasper, Cooperative Baptist Fellowship field personnel. Jasper's presence with us supports our annual emphasis on Global Missions Offering of the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship (CBF), Highland's primary Baptist affiliation. Throughout this month, we are sharing about ways that CBF is making an impact in our world in the name of Christ. On the leading edge of the modern missionary movement, Baptists have been forming together, making disciples of all nations. The Cooperative Baptist Fellowship engages in three primary contexts: Global Poverty, Global Migration and the Global Church, and participates in God's mission with and among the most marginalized and least evangelized people on Earth. Commissioned as a missionary by the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship in 2014, Scarlette Jasper serves with Olive Branch Ministries in areas of persistent poverty in South Central and Southeastern Kentucky and Scott County Tennessee. She serves among the homeless population and working poor, families in medical crisis, survivors of domestic violence, the elderly and disabled, and families in financial crisis. Scarlette's ministry interfaces with Cooperative Baptist Fellowship's Together for Hope Initiative.

Following worship, deacons will be at each exit to collect contributions to the church's Fellowship Fund, which helps those in need in our community. Highland's deacons (wearing identification name tags) are available at various locations for prayer, questions or information. Deacons are lay ministers of the church who have been called to a ministry of service.

Listening Assist Devices are available. Please see our sound technician or an usher for assistance.

Phrases from our processional hymn, "Hail the Day that Sees Him Rise," guide us toward images of our worship service—praise, confession, proclamation and response.

Prayers of the People

Ongoing Concerns

Dick and Jane Allison, health issues
Bojangles Blanchard, surgery recovery
Kim Clark, surgery recovery
Bob Elliott, home, heart surgery recovery
David French, eye surgery recovery
Jim Hawkins, surgery recovery
Tracy Holladay, knee replacement recovery
Jackson Huse, surgery recovery
Lou Ann Iler, hip replacement recovery
Nancy Jurgeovich, surgery recovery
Reece Little, leukemia

Ongoing Concerns (continued)

Sam Newland, home
Alison Schureck, surgery recovery
Lisa Shaffer, back pain
Alison Stabler, home
Gene Streible, tests
Frank Tupper, surgery recovery
David Wells, back pain
Paul Whiteley, heart surgery recovery

Christian Sympathy

Becki Streif, death of uncle, Sonny

This Week at Highland

Sunday, June 2

9:30 a.m. Worship
 Bible Study
 10:30 a.m. Community Gathering
 11:00 a.m. Worship
 Bible Study
 12:00 p.m. Worship Ministry Group (103)
 Youth Ministry Banquet (Fellowship Hall)
 12:15 p.m. Personnel Ministry Group (Pastor's Study)

Monday, June 3

4:00 p.m. Emma Leachman Group (103)
 6:00 p.m. Ministry Council (200)

Tuesday, June 4

5:30 p.m. Hope for a Brighter Day (Fellowship Hall)
 6:00 p.m. G.R.O.W. (103)
 10:00 p.m. Alcoholics Anonymous (Fellowship Hall)

Wednesday, June 5

No Evening Supper/Activities
 6:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir rehearsal (Choir Room)

Thursday, June 6

6:00 p.m. Theology on Tap (Off-site)
 7:00 p.m. Alcoholics Anonymous (Fellowship Hall)
 Prayer Shawl Group (Off-site)

Friday, June 7

8:00 a.m. Men's Fellowship Gathering (Fireside)
 5:00 p.m. Wedding rehearsal (Sanctuary)
 7:00 p.m. Friday Church (Sanctuary)
 8:00 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous (Fellowship Hall)

Saturday, June 8

2:30 p.m. Wedding (Sanctuary/Commons/Fireside)

News and Notes for the Community of Faith

Welcome to Highland! If you are visiting with us, we are honored that you are here. Please find a minister or deacon for more information about the ministries of Highland Baptist Church.

This morning kicks off our **Global Mission Offering** emphasis for the month of June. We welcome to the pulpit Rev. Scarlette Jasper, one of CBF's field personnel. Our church goal is \$12,000. Consider how you might give toward global needs and opportunities for hope.

Table Talk is a relaxed time to eat together, meet new people, strengthen bonds with friends, and enjoy meaningful conversations on topics of collective or individual interest. Join us on **Thursday, June 13**, 6:30 p.m., at North End Café (1722 Frankfort Ave.). Inquiries may be directed to Marc Dowell, Earl Shelp, and Jim Shelton.

The Immigration Ministry Team is **collecting the following items** for "Grannies Respond Kentucky Action Group": bottles of Children's Tylenol and Motrin (generic is fine), fleece throws, men's belts, shoelaces, socks (all sizes), cough drops, size 3 diapers, squeezable applesauce, and bottled water. Please deliver all donation to Lauren Jones Mayfield's office.

Join us on **Sunday, June 16**, for our **PRIDE worship service**, with Rev. Bojangles Blanchard preaching the Gospel and LGBTQ affirmation woven throughout our liturgy. *Wear bright colors to worship!* All those marching in the parade will be commissioned in worship next Sunday, June 9.

We continue our **Summer Sunday Schedule** where we will have **two morning worship services (9:30 and 11:00)** and two Bible study hours (9:30 and 11:00) through August 18. We recognize that this will be an inconvenience for those 8:30 worshippers, but we appreciate your patience as we take this time of summer pause to renew our energy before beginning another school year. We will go back to our regular Sunday morning schedule beginning August 25.

Mark Your Calendars

June 2: Youth Ministry Banquet; Summer Sunday Schedule begins
 June 5: No evening activities/supper
 June 12: No evening activities/supper
 June 13: Table Talk
 June 14-15: Annual Pride Festival and Parade
 June 16: Pride Worship Service
 June 16-22: Youth PASSPORT Camp
 June 19: No evening activities/supper



Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, 'Rejoice!'"

~ Philippians 4:4

"The light of the Great Spirit is upon my people; It is making the whole earth bright. My people are now happy! All beings that move are rejoicing!"

~ Sun Dance Song of the Native American Dakota Tribe

HIGHLAND BAPTIST CHURCH

ASCENSION SUNDAY
 GLOBAL MISSIONS SUNDAY

JUNE 2, 2019



Our Mission... God's Love compels us to cultivate a safe, welcoming community of faith where all are challenged to discover, grow, and serve, as together we boldly live out the worship that is our very lives.

Our Vision... We dream of being an engaging, vibrant Christian church, where transformed people are joining the work of God, creating a world where justice and Love are abundant.

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