

Welcome to Grace Presbyterian Church. We are pleased that you are here and look forward to discovering ways that we can grow in faith and service together. We pray that you will be blessed in worship today. If you have any questions, we encourage you to contact the church office at (337) 984-6400 or [gracpreb@lusfiber.net](mailto:gracpreb@lusfiber.net). For Pastoral Care, please contact Rev. Pat at 337-781-1806 or at [wadp1@msn.com](mailto:wadp1@msn.com).

**Nursery provided in Room 4 on Sunday Mornings.**

**THIS WEEK IN OUR CHURCH:**

**Sunday, June 27**

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:30 a.m. – Worship in Sanctuary

**Sunday, July 4**

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School

10:30 a.m. – Worship in Sanctuary

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**AFTER CHURCH REFRESHMENTS** – Everyone is invited to join us today after worship in the Fellowship Hall as we resume after church refreshments. Today we are honoring Dr. Donna Wadsworth on her retirement from UL Lafayette where she served as “*Kathy Authement-Prouet Endowed Professor in Special Education and Graduate Special Education Coordinator*”. Thank you to Margaret Boone & Lynne Castle for providing and setting up refreshments today!

**SIGN UP SHEET** – There is a sheet located on the table just outside of the church office to sign up to bring church refreshments on Sundays. Please stop by after worship and sign up or call the church office during the week to add your name. We need volunteers!

**VINEYARD SUNDAY SCHOOL** – Sunday Mornings at 9:30am in the Chapel. Please consider joining us on Sunday Mornings for Bible Study.

**UNITED CHRISTIAN OUTREACH** – **Next Sunday, July 4th** will be our monthly collection of non-perishables and paper products. The Presbyterian Women collect these items on the 1st Sunday of each month to be donated to UCO.

**Grace Presbyterian Prays for.....(New Requests in Bold)**

Katharine Schendel  
Nick Manzo  
Pam Fontenot  
Catherine Sarwar  
Ellyn Macpherson  
Mary Ann Daigle  
Ray Montgomery  
Elaine Hamm  
Scott Dore (Donna Causey)  
Family of Ken Bourg (Katharine Schendel)  
Troy & Melanie Lillie (Sarah Gaspard)  
John Hebert (Sarah Gaspard)  
Mildred & Maryann Baker (William Baker)  
John Baker (Sandy Stewart)  
Joyce Sorbet (Nick Manzo)  
Peggy Taylor (Linda Griffis-Smart)  
Claire Guidry (Lana Gaspard)  
Norma White (Terry Wolford)  
Cherry Taylor (Betty Couch)  
David Stelly  
Michelle Shipley (Betty Couch)  
The Boyette Family (Montgomery)  
Calen Rodgers Aultman (Carol Rodgers)



**Grace Presbyterian Staff**

Pat Wadsworth  
Sarah Gaspard  
Gray Guillot  
Katharine Schendel  
Nick Manzo

Interim Pastor  
Administrator  
Custodian  
Organist/Pianist  
Music Director

# Grace Presbyterian Church of Lafayette

Unashamed in  
Jesus' Name, we will

**Gather,  
Grow,  
and  
Go**

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# Celebration of Worship

June 27, 2021

10:30 a.m. Worship Service

## Gather - Assemble in God's Name

Prelude Katharine Schendel

Silent Meditation

Announcements

Call to Worship

Leader: With all my heart, I am waiting, Lord, for you!

**People: I trust your promises.**

\*Opening Song "Spirit" Blue #319

Opening Prayer (in unison)

**O God, light of the minds that know you, life of the souls that love you, strength of the thoughts that seek you: Help us so to know you that we may truly love you, so to love you that we may fully serve you, whose service is perfect freedom; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

Call to Confession

Leader: From a sea of troubles I call out to you, Lord.

**People: Won't you please listen as I beg for mercy?**

Leader: Our Lord is always listening, so let us confess our sin together.

Prayer of Confession (in unison)

**Judge of all the earth, we know that your laws are good, and that you will not allow evil in your sight; yet we stand before you guilty. Over and over we have broken your laws and disobeyed your commands. We appeal to you for mercy, and pray that by your grace we might yet be forgiven. Loose**

**the bonds of evil that keep us enslaved, and permit us to enter again into your presence, in the name of Jesus our Savior, amen.**

Silent Prayers of Personal Confession

Declaration of Forgiveness

Leader: Trust in the Lord! He is always merciful,

**People: and he has the power to save us.**

Leader: In the name of Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

**All: Thanks be to God!**

\*Praise Response

**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.**

\*Passing of the Peace

## Grow - Proclaim God's Word

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament Reading 2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27

Special Music

Epistle Reading 2 Corinthians 8:7-15

New Testament Reading Mark 5:21-43

Message Rev. Pat Wadsworth

\*Affirmation of Faith (in unison) 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.**

## Give Thanks to God

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer ("debts and debtors")

Offering

\*Doxology

\*Prayer of Dedication

## Go- In God's Name

\*Closing Song "Help Us Accept Each Other" Blue #358

\*Benediction Rev. Pat Wadsworth

\*Postlude Katharine Schendel



\*Those who are able, please stand.

\*\*Please silence cell phones.

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**VISITOR CARDS** – if you are a visitor today, please fill out a "welcome card" which is located on the table as you leave the sanctuary. Please place the completed card in the offering plate (*located on the same table*) so we can have a record of you joining us today.