



**An Order of Worship for the Lord's Day
Stone Presbyterian Church
A Welcoming and Affirming Congregation
June 7, 2026 ~ 2nd Sunday after Pentecost**



We Gather in the Name of Christ

PRELUDE "Duke Street" Richard Wienhorst
(Please listen quietly to the prelude as the community prepares for worship)

POURING OF THE BAPTISMAL WATER AND CHORAL INTROIT

CALL TO WORSHIP (from Psalm 50)

The Mighty One, God, the Lord, speaks and summons the earth from the rising of the sun to where it sets.

**From Zion, perfect in beauty, God shines forth.
Our God comes and will not be silent.**

Listen, my people, and I will speak;

I have no need of a bull from your stall or of goats from your pens,

For every animal of the forest is mine, and the cattle on a thousand hills

I know every bird in the mountains, and the insects in the fields are mine.

Offer to God a sacrifice of thanksgiving, and pay your vows to the Most High.

**Call on me in the day of trouble; I will deliver you,
and you shall glorify me.**

For the Lord is good; his steadfast love endures forever.

Let us worship God.

+HYMN #330 "Deep in the Shadows of the Past" SHEPHERDS' PIPES
(+Those who are able may stand.)

WELCOME

PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(responsively)*

O God, you bring justice to the oppressed and give bread to the hungry.

Forgive us when we do not follow you.

You free the prisoner and restore sight to the blind.

Forgive us when we do not follow you.

You support the downtrodden and protect the stranger.

Forgive us when we do not follow you.

You block evildoers and help orphans and widows.

Forgive us when we do not follow you.

You stand against injustice. You stand with the wronged.

Forgive us when we do not follow you.
You condemn those who seek their own interests, controlling and harming others.
Forgive us when we do not follow you.
You bring about justice and true peace among people.
God, forgive us when we do not follow you. Grant us your grace.
Embolden us that, as your people, we may stand where you stand.
Amen.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

+A DOXOLOGY #578 "Glory Be to the Father" Old Scottish Chant

+THE PEACE OF CHRIST

We Listen for the Word of God

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION
(You are invited to say the "amen" aloud.)

LESSONS FROM THE SCRIPTURES

Genesis 12:1-9 Call of Abram to Canaan.
The Word of the Lord. / **Thanks be to God.**

Romans 4:13-25 Abraham showed righteousness of faith.
The Word of the Lord. / **Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM "All Things Are Yours, My God" Carl Schalk

Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26 Miracles of healing.
The Word of the Lord. / **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON "Healing"

We Respond in Faith with Thanksgiving

HYMN #457 "I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art" TOULON

+AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (from The United Church of Canada, General Council 1968)
(see insert)

LIFE OF THE CHURCH, JOYS & CONCERNS

OFFERTORY "Toulon" Rudolf Moser



Told by Sharon Rankins-Burd

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

THE GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you. / **And also with you.**
Lift up your hearts. / **We lift them up to the Lord.**
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give God thanks and praise.

... who forever sing to the glory of your name: (Singing to Hymn #581)

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.**

... as we declare the great mystery of our faith, singing: (Singing to Hymn #582)

**Dying, You destroyed our death;
Rising, You restored our life,
Lord Jesus, come in glory.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Traditional Version, *Presbyterian Hymnal*, p. 16)

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION AND THE COMMUNION

*(Please come forward by the center aisle to receive the bread and individual cups, then
return to your seat by the side aisles where we will partake together.)*

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

We Go Out to Serve Our Call

+HYMN #423 "Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun" DUKE STREET

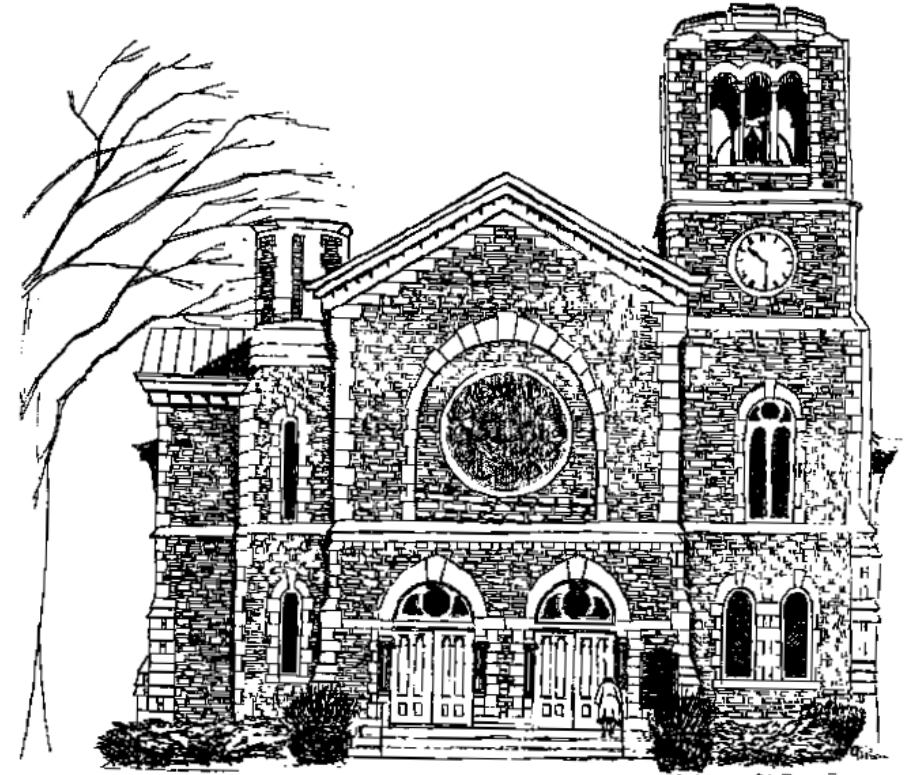
+CHARGE & BENEDICTION

+CHORAL RESPONSE

+POSTLUDE

STONE CHURCH WELCOMES YOU TO WORSHIP

June 7, 2026 ~ The Second Sunday after Pentecost ~ 10:30 a.m.



*The purpose of Stone Church is to be an inviting, spiritual community of Christ,
engaging in worship that inspires and challenges us to learn and grow
as we reach out in caring and service, trusting in the love of God.*

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We are not alone, we live in God's world.

We believe in God:

who has created and is creating,

who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh,

to reconcile and make new,

who works in us and others by the Spirit.

We trust in God.

We are called to be the Church:

to celebrate God's presence,

to live with respect in Creation,

to love and serve others,

to seek justice and resist evil,

to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen,

our judge and our hope.

In life, in death, in life beyond death,

God is with us.

We are not alone.

Thanks be to God Amen.

Deep in the Shadows of the Past

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SHEPHERDS' PIPES CMD

Brian Wren, 1973

Annabeth McClelland Gay, 1952

1. Deep in the shadows of the past, Far out from settled lands,
2. While others bowed to change-less gods They met a mystery:
3. From Abraham to Nazareth The promise changed and grew,
4. For all the writings that survived, For leaders, long ago,

Some nomads traveled with their God Across the desert sands.
God with an un-com-pleted name, "I am what I will be";
While some, remembering the past, Recorded what they knew,
Who sifted, chose, and then preserved The Bible that we know,

The dawn of hope for human-kind Was glimpsed by them alone:
And by their tents, around their fires, In story, song, and law
And some, in letters or laments, In prophecy and praise,
Give thanks, and find its promise yet Our comfort, strength, and call,

A promise calling them ahead, A future yet unknown.
They praised, remembered, handed on A past that promised more.
Re-cov-ered, held, and re-expressed New hope for changing days.
The work-ing model for our faith, A-live with hope for all.

457 I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art

TOULON 10.10.10

Attr. John Calvin
French Psalter, Strassburg, 1545
Trans. Elizabeth Lee Smith, 1868Adapt. from Genevan 124
Genevan Psalter, 1551

1. I greet Thee, who my sure Re - deem - er art,
2. Thou art the King of mer - cy and of grace,
3. Thou art the life, by which a - lone we live,
4. Thou hast the true and per - fect gen - tle - ness,

My on - ly trust and Sav - ior of my heart,
Reign - ing om - nip - o - tent in ev - ery place;
And all our sub - stance and our strength re - ceive;
No harsh - ness hast Thou and no bit - ter - ness:

Who pain didst un - der - go for my poor sake;
So come, O King, and our whole be - ing sway;
Sus - tain us by Thy faith and by Thy power,
O grant to us the grace we find in Thee,

I pray Thee from our hearts all cares to take.
Shine on us with the light of Thy pure day.
And give us strength in ev - ery try - ing hour.
That we may dwell in per - fect u - ni - ty.

5. Our hope is in no other save in Thee;
Our faith is built upon Thy promise free;
Lord, give us peace, and make us calm and sure,
That in Thy strength we evermore endure.

423 Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun

DUKE STREET LM

John Hatton (d. 1793)

Isaac Watts, 1719, alt.

Desc. David McKinley Williams, 1959

5. Let ev - ery crea - ture rise and bring Hon - ors pe -
cu - liar to our King; An - gels de - scend with

1. Je - sus shall reign where - e'er the sun Does its suc -
2. To Him shall end - less prayer be made, And prais - es
3. Peo - ple and realms of ev - ery tongue Dwell on His
4. Bless - ings a - bound wher - e'er He reigns; The pris - oners

ces - sive jour - neys run, His king - dom stretch from
throng to crown His head; His name, like sweet per -
love with sweet - est song, And in - fant voic - es
leap to lose their chains, The wea - ry find e -

songs a - gain, And earth re - peat the loud A - men!
shore to shore, Till moons shall wax and wane no more.
fume, shall rise, With ev - ery morn - ing sac - ri - fice.
shall pro - claim Their ear - ly bless - ings on His name.
ter - nal rest, And all who suf - fer want are blest.

5. Let every creature rise and bring Honors peculiar to our King;
Angels descend with songs again,
And earth repeat the loud Amen!

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