

JULY 4, 2021

MORNING WORSHIP
6TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

10:30 A.M.

GREETING THE GATHERED: The Love of Jesus Christ be with you!
ALL: And also with you!

THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *The Prelude marks the beginning of worship.
Please observe silence as the Prelude begins.*

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

To you I lift up my eyes, O you who are enthroned in the heavens!
As the eyes of servants look to the hand of their master, as the eyes of a maid
to the hand of her mistress, so our eyes look to the LORD our God, until he has mercy upon us.
---Psalm 123: 1-2

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

**Dear Heavenly Father, we lower our heads before You
and we confess that we have too often forgotten that we are Yours.
Sometimes we carry on our lives as if there was no God, and we fall short of being a credible
witness to You. For these things we ask Your forgiveness and we also ask for Your strength.
Give us clear minds and open hearts so we may witness to You in our world.
Remind us to be who You would have us to be, regardless of what we are doing
or who we are with. Hold us to You and build our relationship with You
and with those You have given us on earth. Amen.**

THE SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION FOR OUR INDIVIDUAL SIN

THE DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God
through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access
to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God.
---Romans 5: 1 -2

Friends, believe the good news of the gospel: In Jesus Christ you are forgiven.
ALL: Thanks be to God!

THE FIRST READING: 2 Samuel 5: 1-5, 9-10

THE PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

THE LESSON: Mark 6: 1-13

THE SERMON: “Preaching, Teaching, Healing”

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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.**

THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*THE POSTLUDE

PRAYER LIST FOR IMMEDIATE NEEDS

Preston Owens, Jesse Wilbanks, Beth Medford, Herb Hellums, Kacey McBride, Elizabeth Elliott,
Stanley & Lane Young, William & Regan (Gaillard) Rutledge, Gail Allensworth, Brenna Ratzlaff,
James Hendricks, Tony Hollis, Ali Rae Barkley, David Quinn, Frank Gay, Jodi Rush (MTS
seminary), Adrienne Phillips (wife of Pastor Nick Phillips), Jamie Wall, Helen Beavers, Judy Hines
Hopper, Lynn Daniel Mynatt, Tate Daniel, Leon Bailey, Maxine Tomlinson, Elliott Bailey, Danny
Wilbanks, Calvin Austin, Ticer Brown, Bradley Childs, Anne Elliott, Leah & Miles Harrell.

Our Deepest Sympathies to...

The family of Mary John Dill
The family of Brent Huddleston

Our Homebound, Assisted Living & Nursing Home Residents

Jean Ketchum, Carolyn Caviness, Johnny Cappleman, Billie Pickens.

RPC Weekly Financial Update
RPC Weekly 2021 Budget: \$2,710.97 Offering Received 6/27/21: \$ 1,963.00

WELCOME & INVITATION

This church welcomes you, no matter who you are,
where you come from, or why you are here.

We are Christ's people,
and this is Christ's place with its doors open wide.

If you are passing through, Godspeed;
if you are looking for a home, stay here;
if you need instruction, learn from us as we learn from you.
We invite visitors to join us, but most of all, to return often.

We are so glad you are here.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION: The RPC Office is open Monday through Wednesday,
9:00 AM – 4:00 PM, & Thursday, 9:00 AM – 12:00 Noon

RPC Staff

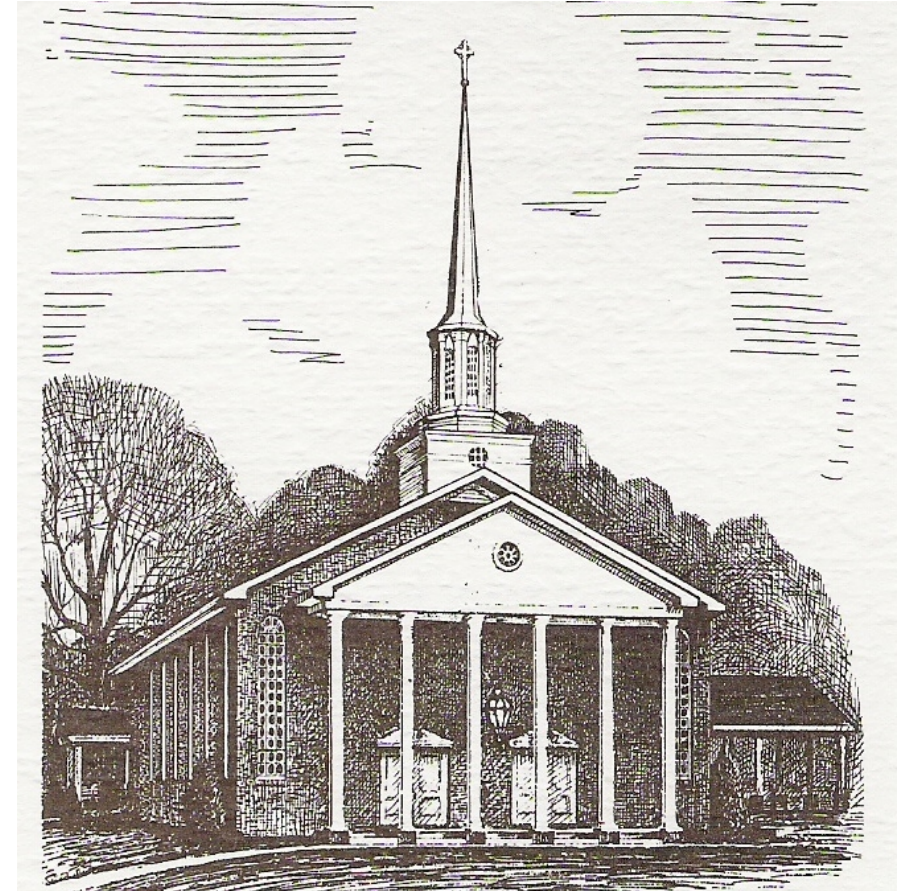
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Jennifer Huddleston | Choir Director

B.J. Horton | Christian Education Director

Lynn Hill | Administrator & Pianist

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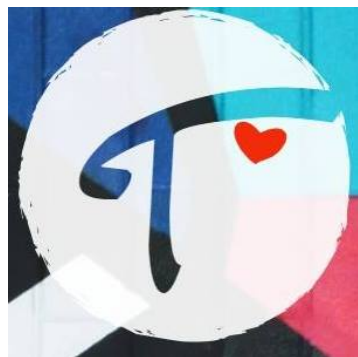
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JUNE MISSION | Living Waters for the World

Goal: \$500 | Final Total received: \$750.00 Thank you, THANK YOU!!

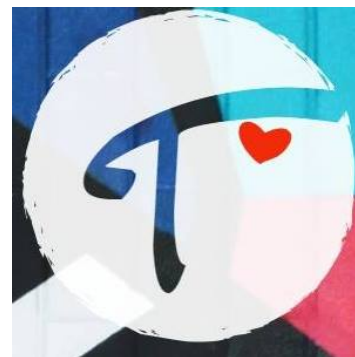


JULY MISSION FOCUS | Together For Tippah

Goal: \$500

Director Dianne Hollman has also submitted a list of needs for all our “savvy shoppers” out there. You can drop off these items during the week at the RPC office and Dianne will schedule a pickup with Lynn Hill.

- 1. Socks (from Kindergarten through 12th grade, all sizes)**
- 2. Backpacks**
- 3. Pencil pouches w/rings (for binders)**
- 4. Pencils**



Together for Tippah is an organization that was founded in June 2015 by Tippah County Residents whose goal is to provide help to those who are in need in our community.

School Supplies / Backpacks Project

In August 2015, we began our school supplies & backpack project. We worked with our school faculty members to provide school supplies and backpacks that were donated to us during our drive, to 50 Tippah County Students. We were also able to help some teachers with their classroom needs & cleaning supplies.

We now have closets located in Tippah County Schools for teachers to access for students in need of supplies.

Please contact us if you wish to donate to or help with this project.

Together for Christmas

Beginning in Christmas 2015, we partnered with other local charities ‘Toys for Tippah Tots’, ‘Ashley’s Angels’, along with several others, to broaden the ability to help those in need and also streamline our lists of individuals receiving help. Since 2015, hundreds of children have received Christmas gifts through Together for Tippah and their unfailing supporters.