BROADMOOR PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

August 30, 2015 10:45 am

The Fourteenth Sunday of Common Time

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

THE PRELUDE

"St. Columba"

arr. Hill

THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS THE GREETING

THE INTROIT: NO. 398 (Vs. 1)

"There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit"

THE CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 111)

<u>Leader</u>: Let us give our whole-hearted thanks to the Lord. Let us sing praise to the great works of our God.

People: God's works are filled with honor and righteousness.

<u>Leader</u>: To stand in awe before the ways of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom, for we know that God is greater than our desires.

<u>People</u>: God has given us an eternal covenant of redemption, which God shares generously with all. Let us sing praise to God!

*THE HYMN OF PRAISE: NO. 455 (Vs. 1-3)

"All Creatures of Our God and King"

*THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

Holy God of life, you gave your holy law to guide us from bloodshed to grace. You watched over us through the ages, caring for and calling to us. You came to us in Jesus Christ to replace the rules of religion with the comfort, peace and freedom of relationship with you. God of life, we must admit that when we become frightened or anxious, we often seek bloodshed to grace and vengeance over forgiveness. Sometimes, we like to tell others how they should live and try to impose our values on others. We call Jesus Lord, O God, yet we are so unwilling to place ourselves in submission to his will and way. We fear that Christ may call us to follow in a way we do not wish to go. Forgive our foolishness and arrogance. Help us to truly make Jesus the Christ and Lord of our lives, that we would give to others the same freedom of heart and mind we desire for ourselves. This we ask in the name of Jesus, our Christ, who gave his life so that we might know the joy, peace and freedom of the life that is everlasting. Amen.

*THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON (Matthew 7)

<u>Leader</u>: Let us not judge, so that we may not be judged. For by the judgment we make, we will be judged. And by the measure we give, either of judgment or of mercy, by that measure we shall receive.

<u>People</u>: If we ask, we will receive, if we knock, the door shall be opened. For it is God's desire to give generously to all the treasure of heaven. This treasure is our inheritance as Christ's sisters and brothers. Thus, we declare that we are forgiven in God's great and gracious love given in Christ Jesus, our Lord. Amen!

*THE RESPONSE: The Gloria in Excelsis

Glo—ri-a in ex-cel-sis De-o; Glo—ri-a in ex-cel-sis De-o.

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

(Please see Insert)

WE LISTEN FOR GOD'S WORD

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

FIRST LESSON: Acts 9:1-19a

<u>Leader</u>: The word of the Lord. <u>People</u>: Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM "The Artist" Chancel Choir

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION THE SECOND LESSON:

Acts 9:19b-31

<u>Leader</u>: The word of the Lord. <u>People</u>: Thanks be to God.

SERMON: The Congregation & Pastoral Relationships Joe Reggin

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S CALL

*THE STATEMENT OF FAITH:

Jesus broadened the definition of neighbor to include those ordinarily despised and excluded. His life, in behalf of others, led to persecution and death. He commanded his disciples to live the same way. We believe Christ gives us and demands of us lives that recognize all people in all cultures as our neighbors on this planet. Christ teaches us to go beyond legal requirements in serving and helping our neighbor, to treat our neighbor's needs as our own, to care passionately for the other's good, to share what we have. It is part of our discipline to live in simplicity, avoiding greed and luxury that threaten our neighbor's survival. We are obligated to speak the truth in love, to listen with patience and openness, to love our enemies, to accept the risk and pain, which love involves. Declaration of Faith (9:\\$4:59-82)

HYMN OF RESPONSE: NO. 384 "O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go"

OFFERING OUR GIFTS AND OURSELVES

The Offering

Offertory "Take My Life" arr. Labenske

Doxology: No 592

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

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, the power and the glory forever. Amen.

SHARING CHRIST'S PEACE

Leader: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

WE GO TO BUILD GOD'S KINGDOM

*HYMN OF PARTING: NO. 455 (Vs. 4-6)

"All Creatures of Our God and King"

*THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

THE POSTLUDE "Festival Postlude" Zipoli

*Those who would like may stand

If you desire to commit or re-commit yourself to Jesus Christ, or to unite with Broadmoor Presbyterian Church, or to share a concern of any kind, please talk to the Pastor or an elder after the service.

PLEASE TURN \underline{OFF} all cell phones and ipads when entering the sanctuary.

SERVING US TODAY: Joe Reggin, Interim ... Marti Kent, Liturgist ... Judy McGehee, Director/Organist ... Ushers: Haywood Bass, Barbara Beckmann, Dan Palmer, Roger Wirth ... Greeter: Susan Ortiz.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS are given today by Dave and Ellen Snyder for Presbyterian Women in appreciation of Kathy Battaglia for making baby blankets for newborn members and the aprons for Presbyterian Women Busy Bees; and in memory of Linda Snyder and Elizabeth Cooper.

CHRISTIAN CONCERNS

THIS WEEK: Annabelle Armstrong, Linda Barrow, Sam Denicola, Dot Ethridge, Mike Felder, Al Hogan, Koen Langheinz, Jill Larson, Jim Lockwood, Jonathan Palmer (2 1/2), Atticus Southall (4), Pat Tessier, Dick Wuensch, for the safety of our community and for our schools, for those who are looking for work, for all Sunday School classes, for people to find hope and power in their lives.

ON-GOING: Doris Atteberry, Peggy Berry, Sue Berry, Wally Bounds, Bonnie Boyter, Brian Coles, Mildred Dodson, Mildred Feldman, Margaret Fletcher, Joe and JoAnn Glass, Rick Grider, Susan Gross, Rev. Joe Hahn, Al Haefner, Megan Iturralde, Don Kirk, Della Lane, Dorthea Lee, Marie McAdams, Ruth McGregor, Weldon McInnis, Rev. Bill O'Neal, Susan Potter, Ted and Judy Roeling, Tina Rhoads, Sherra Ruegg, Odette Sallinger, Cindy Seguin, Sam Seidel, Elizabeth Sierichs, Tim and Amelia Tircuit, Mike Weinstein, Janet and Paul Witherow, for health, strength, and vision to serve; for a spirit of generosity and love; for our BPC Children, Family, and Youth Ministries; for the PSL, and PCUSA; for MITC School in Mexico, for America's leaders, and service personnel in the Middle East; for the peace of Jerusalem, and the world.

HOSPITAL VISITORS: The Elders visiting, beginning today and each day this week, are Ellen Snyder, Haywood Bass, Carol Taylor, OPEN, Pabby Arnold, Ann Smith and Pat Robertson.

REQUEST FROM REV. JOE REGGIN: If you would like to make contact with our Interim Pastor, Joe Reggin, by **phone**, please call him directly at: (225) 315-8434. If you would like to contact Joe via **E-mail**, his address is: ipjoe1147@gmail.com.

OPPORTUNITIES AT BROADMOOR

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Max and Tina Chenevert are presenting their three children for baptism this morning. They are Alex Joseph (10), Eve Mimi (5) and Aiden Thomas (5-months). Tommy and Susan Chenevert are their proud grandparents.

5TH SUNDAY OFFERING will be taken during worship today. Please consider giving an extra gift to the ministries of our church. Special Offering envelopes are in the pew racks.

CHILDREN'S BACK TO SCHOOL PARTY: All children are invited to a swim and ice cream party today at 3:00 p.m. at the home of Marcy Lyon, 17023 Sharpsburg.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMENS CIRCLE MEETINGS will resume on Tuesday, September 1. See the calendar for dates, times and locations. All ladies are invited to join one of the circles.

CHOIR REHEARSALS: This year our choir is trying something new! Instead of having rehearsals every week, we will only rehearse every OTHER Wednesday night at 7:00 p.m. (until we begin preparation for our Christmas music). So, it will be easier than ever to come to choir practice! Of course, we will still sing EVERY Sunday morning. Here are our rehearsal dates for the fall: September 9-23, October 7-21, November 4-11-18, December 2-9. We would love to have YOU join the choir!

SOUTHEAST MINISTRIES: Soup is the requested item this week. Please bring to Sunday School, or the office.

HURRICANE KATRINA REMEMBRANCES written by Pat Freshney are on the table in the narthex. Please feel free to take a copy.

LOOK FORWARD TO:

NEW ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES meet at 9:30 a.m. each Sunday morning. Everyone is invited to join one of these classes:

- ► Holt-Allen Class will meet in the Parlor. Annabelle Armstrong and E. J. McCune will lead this class. They will study the book of Acts.
- ▶ Seeker's Class: Sam Haase and Mike Zobrist are co-teaching the book of Acts. This class meets in Naylor Hall: N-6.
- ► Walking in Faith, led by Lilian Hahn and Marion Forbes, are studying the book of Romans. They meet in Naylor Hall: N-8.
- ► Youth Sunday School (grades 6-12) led by David Bradford in the Activities Building.
- ▶ Children: Preschool-Kindergarten, led by Ellen Snyder, in the Education Building. 1st-5th graders, led by Joanne Bradford, Emily Clark and Peggy Wescott, meet in Living Water in Naylor Hall. Extended Session for preschool and elementary age school children: Peggy Wescott, Julia Palmer, Elizabeth Thornton.

TUTORING will resume on Tuesday, September 8, in Naylor Hall.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUNDAY,	AUGUST 30, 2015 5TH	SUNDAY OFFERING
9:30	Church School	
10:45	Worship/Rev. Joe Reggin	Sanctuary
3:00	Children's Swim & Ice Cream Party	Marcy Lyon's Home
MONDAY	7, AUGUST 31, 201 <u>5</u>	
6:30		Naylor Hall
7:00	Caledonian Society Dancers	AB
7:00	AA	Fellowship Hall
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2015		
	PW Circle 2-3	Barbara Waugh's Home
5:30	PW Circle 6	La Madeleine's
6:30	PW Circle 5	Barbara Long's Home
7:00	Claymore Club	AB
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2015		
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2015		
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2015		
SATURDA	AY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2015	
8:00	Men of Broadmoor Breakfast	Frank's
SUNDAY,	SEPTEMBER 6, 2015	
9:30	Church School	
10:45	Worship/Communion/Rev. Joe Reggi	n Sanctuary
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2015 LABOR DAY		
	Church Office Closed	
	EBRP Schools Closed	
7:00	Caledonian Society Dancers	AB

Fellowship Hall

7.00

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THE STAFF

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Director of Early Childhood Center
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The Whole Congregation
Rev. Joe Reggin
Peggy Hammond
Susan Ortiz
Al Haefner
Judy McGehee
Joanne Bradford
Sherry Beard

<u>MISSION STATEMENT</u>: The mission of Broadmoor Presbyterian Church is to lead people to become fully devoted followers of Christ.

THE SESSION

The Reverend Joe Reggin, Moderator Mr. Roger Wirth, Clerk of the Session Mr. Bob Schmidt, Mr. George Thompson Charitable Giving Consultants

(* Denotes Chair of Ministry Area)

Virginia Holloway* (Session Train) Joanne Bradford* (Children)
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