SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
THE EIGHTH DAY of JULY, 2018
SUMMER IN THE CITY
THE GATHERING

Carillon Prelude
Sally Westmoreland

Prelude
Scott Atchison, pianist

The Greeting
We welcome each of you to this service! Please register your attendance on the Ritual of Christian Fellowship. Let us know if you are new, would like to become a member, or are interested in more information about Peachtree Road. We pray that this time together will be a blessing in your life.

† At the sound of the bells, please prepare your hearts and minds for worship.

Call to Worship*

To God Be the Glory
William H. Doane, 1875

To God be the glory, great things he hath done! So loved he the world that he gave us his Son, who yielded his life an atonement for sin, and opened the lifegate that all may go in. Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the earth hear his voice! Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the people rejoice! O come to the Father thru Jesus the Son, and give him the glory, great things he hath done!

Fanny J. Crosby, 1875

PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING

Invocation*

Hymns We Love to Sing,*

Hymn 145 Morning Has Broken
Bunessan

Hymn 128 He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought
(stanzas one and four)
William B. Bradbury, 1864

Ritual of Christian Fellowship*

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† The people are seated.
Concerns and Celebrations of the Congregation

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

At the Offertory,

† An offering is collected to support the work of Peachtree Road United Methodist Church sharing God’s love with the world.

Hymn 370 *  
Victory in Jesus  
Hartford

Prayer*

Anthem  
The majesty and glory of Your name  
Tom Fettke  
(Twentieth Century)

When I gaze into the night skies and see the work of your fingers; The moon and stars suspended in space. Oh, what is man that you are mindful of him? You have given man a crown of glory and honor, and have made him a little lower than the angels. You have put him in charge of all creation: beasts of the field, the birds of the air, the fish of the sea. But what is man that you are mindful of him. O Lord, our God the majesty and glory of your name transcends the earth and fills the heavens. O Lord, our God, little children praise You perfectly, and so would we. Alleluia, alleluia!

Linda Lee Johnson, (b. 1947)

based on Psalm 8

The Chancel Choir

At the Presentation*

Hymn 95  
Tune: Old Hundredth

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Gospel Lesson*  
Matthew 5:12-16  
† following the reading

Minister: The Gospel of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God!

Sermon  
You Are Salt and Light
Ministry of Music  

*Deep River*

Deep river; my home is over Jordon. Deep river, Lord, I want to cross over into campground. Don’t you want to go to that Gospel feast; that promise land where all is peace.

William Green, *soloist*

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**RESPONSE TO THE WORD**

**Invitation to Christian Discipleship**

At the Invitation,*

Hymn 206  

*I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light*  

Houston

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**SENDING FORTH**

**Benediction***

**Peace***

Minister:  The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People:  And also with you.

**Response***

May the Lord, Mighty God, bless and keep you forever. Grant you peace; perfect peace, courage in every endeavor. Lift up your eyes and see His face and His grace forever. May the Lord, Mighty God, bless and keep you forever.

Choir and Congregation

**Closing Voluntary**

*The People Respond - Amen!*  

Rubrics  

Dan Locklair  

(b.1949)

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* Stand as you are able.  ** Ushers will seat all those who are waiting.  
Please turn off all mobile and electronic devices while in the Sanctuary.

Hearing devices and large print hymnals are available in the Narthex from any member of our usher team.
The Flowers on the Altar are Given to the Glory of God

In Loving Memory of: Suzanne Brown Latimer by Beth, Hunter and Anderson Ahrenhold.

In Loving Memory of: Dr. Spencer S. Brewer, Jr. by his wife, Nancy, and children, Celia and David Sinclair, Spencer and Virginia Brewer, and Lisa B. McAdams.

Altar Flowers: If you would like to make a donation in honor or in memory of a loved one, please contact Linda Schutte at 770.329.2075.

Preaching: Rev. Julie Schendel, Associate Minister
Matthew 5:12-16

Liturgists: Rev. Carolyn Stephens, Associate Minister, Rev. Julie Wright, Associate Minister,
Rev. Jamie Jenkins, Minister of Visitation, Rev. Darren Hensley, Deacon, Emily Rivers,
Candler Intern

Music: Scott H. Atchison, Director of Music and Organist, Nicole Marane, Associate Director of Music and Associate Organist, The Chancel Choir

Holy Communion Moore Chapel, 9:00 am
Rev. Darren Hensley, Deacon
David R. Thomas, Guest Organist

The Road Heritage Hall, 11:15 am
Rev. Carolyn Stephens,
Associate Minister
Amy Little, Worship Leader

Sundays @ 5
Moore Chapel, 5:00 pm
Rev. Julie Schendel, Associate Minister
Nicole Marane, Worship Leader

For information on upcoming worship services please visit www.prumc.org.
**TODAY**

**Summer in the City Worship Series**
Each Sunday in July we gather together for favorite hymns and a special sermon series on the essence of our Christian faith - the Beatitudes. Be reminded of, and inspired by the teachings of Jesus as we focus on the Sermon on the Mount.

**Lemonade on the Lawn**
Everyone is invited to the front lawn after the service for lemonade, cookies and fellowship!

**Bible Olympics**
*Sundays, 10:00 am, Gym*
Children (completed K - 5th grade) gather each week in the Gym for team games and Bible learning. Join us for a summer of hot competition! 5th graders can be junior coaches.

**Young Adult Summer Series**
*Sundays, 10:00 am, Hospitality Suite*
YA classes combine to explore the lives of those who walked with Jesus, and discuss what we can learn from them. Coffee, fellowship, service opportunities and celebrations included!

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**EDUCATION & ENRICHMENT**

**Summer Yoga at Peachtree**
*Wednesdays, 6:30 pm, Heritage Hall*
Join us for a relaxing yet energizing free weekly yoga class. No experience necessary, open to ages 14 and up. Bring a mat. (Please note: There will be no class on July 18.)

**Spiritual Discussions**
*Wednesday, July 11, 10:30 am, C104*
Continues *July 25*, and *August 8 & 15*
Julie Wright facilitates a thoughtful discussion on how Christians can apply their faith to life. Come any Wednesday - each are stand-alone lessons guided by Rob Bell videos. No homework and no RSVP necessary. All are welcome!

**July Summer Book Club**
*Thursdays, July 12 & 26, 12:00 pm, C104*
Join Julie Schendel to discuss *The Book of Joy: Lasting Happiness in a Changing World* by Dalai Lama and Desmond Tutu. Discover how these faithful men found joy despite exile and oppression. Please bring your lunch. For more information, contact julies@prumc.org.

**The Gospel According to Winnie the Pooh**
*Sunday, August 26, 10:00 am, Moore Chapel*
Explore A. A. Milne's *Winnie the Pooh* series from a Christian perspective with Leslie Watkins. RSVP at prumc.org/events with add-on options of a picnic at PRUMC and a High Museum exhibit tour with Julia Forbes.

**Educational Travel**
Visit prumc.org/travel for details on incredible travel opportunities coming up: Journeys of Paul April 23 - May 3, 2019 - Greece & Turkey. Oberammeragau Passion Play June 3 - 12, 2020 - Austria, Germany, Czech Republic. You may also contact Jamie Jenkins at 404.771.7031 or jamiej@prumc.org.

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**CONGREGATIONAL CARE**

**New! Respite Care Atlanta**
PRUMC has partnered with six other congregations to create a safe weekday place for those with mild cognitive impairment. *Respite Care Atlanta* will provide vital interaction for clients and self-care time to caregivers. We are excited about this wonderful new initiative and volunteers are needed! Contact Julie Wright at 404.240.8203 or juliew@prumc.org.

**Movers and Shakers Parkinson’s Support Group**
*Wednesday, July 11, 12:00 pm, B152*
Join us for lunch, support, fellowship and information on Parkinson’s. We welcome excellent speakers each month to keep us posted on the latest news about research, medications, diet and exercises. All are welcome!
LOCAL OUTREACH

Hollis Volunteers & Notaries Needed
Monday, July 30, 10:00 am - 1:00 pm, Hollis
Hollis Academy needs volunteers to meet and greet in the classrooms for their Open House. Notaries are needed to assist with registration. Contact Beth Spencer at beths@prumc.org.

Agape Lunch Volunteers Needed
Agape needs volunteers to provide lunches for their summer programs of Reading Readiness, Camp Jump Start and Fit/Go-Girl-Go! Contact Dominique Tate at dtate@agapeatlanta.org.

BCM Finance Coaching Volunteers Needed
Buckhead Christian Ministry needs volunteers to coach clients in money management. In the “Budget for Life” program clients are employed full-time and have a lease in their name. Contact Beth Spencer at beths@prumc.org.

BCM Intake & Hospitality Volunteers Needed
Buckhead Christian Ministry needs summertime volunteers to help with Intake and Hospitality during June, July and August. Contact Kevin Pranoto at kevinpranoto@bcmatlanta.org.

MUSIC & ARTS

Atlanta Summer Organ Festival
Wednesday, July 18, 7:30 pm, Sanctuary
Featuring the famous Maestro Hector Olivera! Come hear “one of the greatest organists in the world today.” $15 suggested donation. Dessert reception following recital.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Denim & Diamonds!
UMW’s Southern Summer Sampler
Saturday, August 18, 7:00 pm, The Solarium
Gals and guys - polish up your boots and pull out your fanciest dungarees for our all-out annual fundraiser! Pig roast, live music, fantastic auction and fun beverages. Proceeds benefit a children's library in Kenya and our Christmas Kindness initiative. Tickets at prumc.org/events.

ADULTS

Salem Camp Meeting - Covington, GA
Thursday, July 19, 9:30 am departure, $12
Take part in an American tradition with music and inspirational message! Self-pay fried chicken lunch at Salem Hotel. RSVP to Julie Wright at 404.240.8203 or juliew@prumc.org.

Seasoned Saints - Firecracker Bingo!
Wednesday, July 11, 12:00 pm, C104
Please bring a $5 gift and a brown bag lunch.

Seasoned Saints - John Wayne Movie
Wednesday, July 25, 12:00 pm, C104
$8 lunch provided with reservation. RSVP by July 22 to 404.240.8203 or juliew@prumc.org.

CHILDERN & FAMILIES

Summer Family Worship
Summer Sundays, 8:45 & 11:15 am
During the summer, our 1st - 5th grade children join their families in worship. Traditional worship in the sanctuary at 8:45 and 11:15 am. The Road worship in Heritage Hall at 11:15 am.

Preschool Summer Sunday School
Sundays, 10:00 am, Children’s Bldg
Join us for an awesome summer series with energy, music and fun! We hope to see you each week that your family is in town.

Choir Registration Coming August 1
We’re so excited to welcome your children and youth for another great year in music! Our plans include a few “firsts” as well as efforts to make it easier for busy families to participate! Complete details and registration coming to prumc.org/events starting August 1, 2018.

SPORTS & RECREATION

Sign Up Now for Youth Soccer Leagues
Registration now online at prumcsports.org for Fall Youth Soccer Leagues. Teams for ages 4-11.
Aug 23 Registration Deadline
Sep 10 Practices Begin
Sep 15 Games Begin
WELCOME!

Welcome to Peachtree Road United Methodist
Thank you for worshiping with us today! We are grateful for your presence and invite you to participate in our worship, program and service life here at Peachtree Road. Our hope is to make a warm, caring community that you can call home. To keep up with PRUMC events, services and more, we invite you to visit us at www.prumc.org or download the PRUMC App on your mobile device.

Traditional Worship
8:45 & 11:15 am, Sanctuary
Traditional liturgy, familiar hymns and prayers.

Holy Communion
9:00 am, Moore Chapel
Traditional service of Holy Communion.

The Road
11:15 am, Heritage Hall
Fresh music, engaging message & atmosphere.

Sundays @ 5
5:00 pm, Moore Chapel
Come-as-you-are evening worship.

ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

MEN

Men’s Morning Coffee
Wednesdays, 7:00 am, C105
Come be encouraged in your faith! Topical discussion, no preparation necessary. Contact Geoff Beakley at geoffb@prumc.org.

Men’s Bible Study with Ken Boa
Fridays, 7:00 am, C106
Uncover the timeless wisdom of Christ and apply it to your daily life. Come as you are, no preparation necessary.

Men’s Volunteer Team
The Men’s Ministry of PRUMC is compiling a list of those open to volunteer service work. We’ll contact men for potential projects throughout the year. Email your contact info to Geoff Beakley at geoffb@prumc.org.

YOUNG ADULTS

July Happy Hour
Thursday, July 19, 6:00 pm, Fado Buckhead
Cool off with your friends! Appetizers and soft drinks provided. Contact Mason Brannon for more information at mmbbrannon@gmail.com.

Shoot the Hooch!
Saturday, July 21, 10:00 am, PRUMC Back Lot
Carpool from the church to spend a day on the river! Inner tubes provided but bring your own food and beverages. RSVP at prumc.org/events. Questions? Contact Mason Brannon at mmbbrannon@gmail.com.

IF YOU ARE NEW

Methodism 101
Sunday, August 12, 10:00 am, Hospitality Suite
Explore the history and traditions of our Methodist faith. Led by Carolyn Stephens and Julie Schendel. A light breakfast will be served. RSVP to Mimi Brunson at mimib@prumc.org.

Fall Programming Kick Off
Sunday, August 26, 10:00 am, Hospitality Suite
Learn about the many ways to connect and grow with the PRUMC community in Fall 2018. Meet staff, ministers, and members who will share exciting opportunities for our church family.

Joining Peachtree Road
New Members are welcomed into the congregation during our Sunday morning worship services at 8:45 or 11:15 am. You may transfer from another Methodist church, transfer from another denomination or join for the first time on Profession of Faith. For more information please contact Mimi Brunson at 404.240.8221 or mimib@prumc.org.