FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
THE TWENTY-SIXTH DAY of AUGUST, 2018
THE GATHERING

Carillon Prelude
Sally Westmoreland

Opening Voluntary  *Pastorale, Sonata No. 1, Op 42*  Alexandre Guilmant (1837-1911)

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.

The Choral Introit

Rise up in early morning; Sing of the risen Savior. Sing tidings of salvation with alleluias ringing:  *In cymbalis bene sonantibus.*

*St. John Damascene*  
(676-749)

PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING

At the Procession,*

Hymn 731  *Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken*  Austria

Invocation*

Affirmation of Faith*

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 Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at 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 Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*The Apostles' Creed*

Gloria Patri*

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.

*Charles Meineke
**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  701*  
When We All Get to Heaven  
Emily D. Wilson, 1861

Prayer*

Anthem  
The Kingdom  
André J. Thomas (b. 1952)

Righteousness, peace and joy in the Holy Ghost, that’s the Kingdom of God. Don’t you want to be a part of the Kingdom? Come on everybody. There’s joy in the Kingdom. There’s peace in the Kingdom. There’s love in the Kingdom. The earth is the Lord’s and the fullness thereof. We are part of the earth, and it is part of us. The perfumed flowers are our sisters. The deer, the horse, the great eagle. These are our brothers. All things are connected. Rivers our brothers, earth our mother. The earth is the Lord’s.  

based on Romans 14:17

The Chancel Choir  
Ryan Holder and Nicole Lewis, percussion
At the Presentation*
Hymn 95

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 Lesson  
I Chronicles 29:26-28
† following the reading

Minister: The Word of God for the people of God.
People: Thanks be to God!

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
(A Liturgical Suite for Organ)  
Dan Locklair  
(b. 1949)

* 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.

Following the service, Stephen Ministers are available in the chapel for prayer and support.

Please Welcome to our Church Community These Children Being Baptized Today:
William Hudson Anderson, born June 20, 2018, son of Cynthia and Rob Anderson; Emmie Sue Cho, born August 26, 2017, daughter of Leah and Rocky Cho; Stella Kate DuBose, born April 9, 2018, daughter of Lucretia and Matt DuBose; James Thomas Harmon, born April 19, 2018, son of Sarah and Bo Harmon; Nishant Oommen Thomas, born March 14, 2018, son of Esha Oommen and Rahul Thomas; and Wilson Anne Womack, born January 9, 2018, daughter of Meredith and John Womack.

The Flowers on the Altar are Given to the Glory of God

In Loving Memory of: Valerie Fleming honoring her August 25th birthday by Adam and Jana Fleming and her granddaughters, Emerson and Hollis.

In Honor of: Roy States’ 90th birthday by her daughter, Debbie States.

In Celebration of the Wedding of: Rebecca Shoemaker and Blake Callaway.

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. Bill Britt, Senior Minister
I Chronicles 29:26-28

Liturgists: Rev. Julie Schendel, Associate Minister, Rev. Carolyn Stephens, Associate Minister, Rev. Julie Wright, Associate Minister, Rev. Jamie Jenkins, Minister of Visitation, Rev. Elizabeth Byrd, Associate Minister, Rev. Darren Hensley, Deacon

Music: Nicole Marane, Associate Director of Music and Associate Organist, Kathy Fletcher, Director of Youth and Children’s Music, The Chancel Choir

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

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

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

For information on upcoming worship services please visit www.prumc.org.
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Complete details at www.prumc.org. Join us on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram.
Sign up to receive our weekly E.newsletter by using the red pads in your row.

TODAY

Promotion Sunday
All children birth through fifth grade move to new classes, meet new teachers, and experience God’s presence through our awesome Children's Ministries offerings!

On Campus Choir Registration
Today, 9:00 am - 12:30 pm, Harp Center
Children, youth and parents - come sign up for an amazing new season of music-making, friendship, worship, service and adventure! If you are unable to register in person today, visit prumc.org/events for online registration.

Youth/Parent Fall Open House
Today, 10:00 am, Harp Center
6th-12th grade students and their parents learn what’s in store for the youth this year. Coffee and light breakfast will be served.

Fall Programming: PRUMC's Top 10!
Today, 10:00 am, Hospitality Suite
Learn about the many ways to connect and grow within the PRUMC community this fall. Meet staff, ministers, and members who will share exciting opportunities for our church family.

Journeys of Paul Information Meetings
Today, 12:30 pm, C105, or Tuesday, August 28, 6:30 pm, C105
Jamie Jenkins details our exciting trip following the footsteps of the Apostle Paul in Athens, Corinth, Ephesus, and more!

Fall Bible Studies
As disciples of Christ, we commit to service, worship, and prayer. We know these practices bring us closer to God and loving others. But do we commit to study? To be a follower of Christ, we must study His teachings deeply and with consistency. Only then can we know and interpret God’s words in ways that help us act them out in our daily lives. Don’t let the opportunity to deepen your discipleship pass you by this fall. Course options may be reduced if minimum numbers are not met, so please register today! Visit prumc.org/bible-studies for class information and to sign up.

SPORTS & RECREATION

Fall Soccer, After School Programs and More!
Registration now online at prumcsports.org for Soccer, After School Programs and more. Be sure to check out our newest programs - Atlanta Youth Rugby, and Strength from the Core with PRUMC member Rahul Thomas!

Sep 5  After School Registration Deadline

WORSHIP

Fruitful Worship Series
Sundays, September 2 - October 28
Join us each Sunday this fall to consider the fruits of the Spirit (Galatians 5). How can we cultivate these characteristics in ourselves to bless the lives of others? We hope you will join us.

PRAYER

New! Midweek Prayer Service
Wednesdays, starting September 12
12:00 pm, Moore Chapel
Each Wednesday we invite you to join us for special moments of reflection and devotion. Lunch will be available immediately afterward.

Prayer: The Essentials
Practical Theologians on Prayer
Sundays, Sanctuary & Moore Chapel
Candler School of Theology faculty share about the importance of prayer on the journey of life.

Sep 16  10:00 am  -  Bishop Larry Goodpaster
Sep 23  6:30 pm  -  Rev. Ellen Shepard
Sep 30  6:30 pm  -  Rev. Tom Elliott
Oct 14  6:30 pm  -  Bishop Woodie White

Fall Intercessory Prayer Ministry
September 9 - November 17
Share one hour of your week praying for the needs of others. Volunteers pray for each request and write notes of encouragement, hope, and support. ContactBrittany Charron at 404.240.8260 or brittanyc@prumc.org.
LOCAL OUTREACH

Agape Tutoring Opportunities
2210 Marietta Blvd, Atlanta, 30318
Hear program highlights, meet the staff and complete necessary paperwork. To tutor, you must attend orientation and the “Darkness to Light” training. RSVP to dtate@agapeatlanta.org.

Aug 28   Darkness to Light Training
Aug 28/29  Homework Buddies Training
Sep 10  CUPP Reader Training

September Outreach Drives
Bring items here, or order and deliver via Amazon, using the links at prumc.org/outreach-drive.

- Donate diapers and formula to the Children’s Lobby bin for families in need.
- Donate new, white underwear and socks to Rollins or Grace Hall bins for Hollis boys and girls ages 6-8.

GLOBAL MISSIONS

Kenya Team Meeting
Sunday, September 9, 10:00 am, B153
Information session about our March 7 - 17, 2019 adult mission trip.

DOGWOOD SHOP

Fall Grand Opening!
Sunday, September 9, 9:30 am - 1:30 pm
We are excited to bring you new, beautiful and intentional gifts this fall. Sales and stock volunteers are needed! To volunteer contact Tracy Noble at tracyn@prumc.org.

IF YOU ARE NEW

Fall Kickoff Special Joining Day
Sunday, September 9, 8:45 or 11:15 am service
We look forward to welcoming a great group of new members on our Fall Kickoff. For information, contact Mimi Brunson at 404.240.8221 or mimib@prumc.org.

Coffee with the Clergy
Sunday, Sep 30, 10:00 am, Hospitality Suite
Meet ministers and staff, as well as long-time and new members. Ask any question and learn ways to connect in the church community!

CHILDREN & FAMILIES

Third Grade Bible Sunday
Sunday, September 16
8:45 am, Bible presentation, Sanctuary
9:45 am, Parent meeting, Moore Chapel

Fall Family Picnic!
Sunday, September 30, 4:30 - 6:30 pm
At the home of Bob and Becky Hill
Children and Youth families are invited for a casual Sunday afternoon of fun, fellowship and BBQ! Details coming soon to prumc.org/events.

YOUTH

Parents of 6th Graders!
As we begin a new school year, we want to make sure you are receiving emails from us. If you have not received any information regarding the 6th grade Confirmation Class this year, please contact Grace Nadeau at gracen@prumc.org.

Young Professionals Class Kickoff
Sunday, September 9, 10:00 am, C102
We’ll begin Max Lucado’s “The Story.” Coffee and light breakfast served. All are welcome.

Bible & Brews
Sunday, September 9, 6:00 pm, Ann Lassiter’s
A fun Bible study with pizza and local brews! RSVP at prumc.org/events.

Top Golf
Sunday, September 30, 1:00 pm, Top Golf Atlanta
No golfing ability? No problem! Everyone plays and wins at this fun outing. RSVP at prumc.org/events.

ADULTS

Wednesday Seasoned Saints
12:00 pm Lunch, 1:00 pm Program, C104
On Bingo days, please bring a $5 wrapped gift/prize. Movies begin at 12:30 pm.

Sep 5  School Days Bingo
Sep 12  Marian Scopa, Canine Companions
Sep 19  Service Project
Sep 26  Movie: Forever Young
MEN

Men’s Breakfast with Charlie Paparelli
Tuesday, September 25, 7:00 am, Heritage Hall
As an entrepreneur, father, angel investor, and disciple of Christ, Charlie Paparelli does not compromise any of his roles. In this demanding age, learn how he thrives in faith, business and life. RSVP at prumc.org/events.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

Pastoral Care
For the most current information, please visit our Pastoral Care page at prumc.org/pastoral-care.

Congratulations To
Terilyn and Eric Johnson on the birth of their child.

Sympathy To
Carroll O’Brien on the death of her mother, Dene Branham McCullough.

New! Respite Care Atlanta
Respite Care Atlanta is a safe weekday place for those with mild cognitive impairment. We provide vital interaction for clients and self-care time to caregivers, and are now accepting participant applications. Visit our new website at www.respitecareatlanta.org. For more information, contact Julie Wright at 404.240.8203 or juliew@prumc.org.

FOOD & FELLOWSHIP

Wednesday Meals Begin
Wednesday, September 12
Lunch - 11:30 am - 1:00 pm, Grace Hall
Dinner - 5:00 to 7:00 pm, Grace Hall
Kick off a great new season of food and fellowship with church friends. Visit prumc.org/food-fellowship for menus.

MUSIC & ARTS

American Harp Society - Georgia Chapter
Sunday, September 16, 7:00 pm, Sanctuary

Peter and the Wolf
Sunday, September 23, 4:00 pm, Sanctuary
Nicole Marane, John Lemley and John Lawless present a delightful concert for all ages telling the classic tale of young Peter through orchestral instruments. $10 adults / $5 ages 5-12 (under 5 free) / Family max/$20. Tickets at prumc.org/events.

Coro Vocati: To the Field of Stars
Sunday, September 30, 3:00 pm, Moore Chapel
This ensemble of professional singers presents Gabriel Jackson’s “To the Field of Stars” featuring Atlanta cellist, Guang Wang. $15 suggested donation / $5 students. Visit corovocati.com.

WELCOME!

Welcome to Peachtree Road United Methodist Church
Thank you for worshipping 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.

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