



# Carrollton Presbyterian Church

*A Heart In The City*

## **A SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY**

**19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 7, 2022—11:00 AM**



## **PREPARING TO WORSHIP GOD**

We welcome you to Carrollton Presbyterian Church. Let the Musical Meditation be a call to reverent silence in which all may become aware of His presence.

### **CENTERING PRAYER**

Eternal God, you have called us to be members of one body. Join us with those who in all times and places have praised your name, that, with one heart and mind, we may show the unity of your church, and bring honor to our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

**MUSICAL MEDITATIONS**

There's Something About That Name

Bill & Gloria Gaither

# GATHERING AROUND GOD'S WORD

## OPENING SENTENCES

Pat Sheffield

Leader: This is the day that the Lord has made!  
People: Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pat Sheffield

## PRELUDE

Come, Christians, Join to Sing!

Mary McDonald

## \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Pat Sheffield

Leader: The mighty One summons us from sunrise to sunset.

People: **Out of perfect beauty, God shines forth.**

Leader: God calls to heaven and earth: "gather my faithful ones who made a covenant with me."

People: **The heavens declare the righteousness of God, the judge of the people and nations.**

Leader: Let us not forget God, but with thanksgiving as our sacrifice, let us be people of justice.

People: **We worship the God of our salvation!**

## \*HYMN

O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing

GTG # 610

## \*CALL TO CONFESSION

Pat Sheffield

The proof of God's amazing love is this: while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us. In faith and penitence, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

## \*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Pat Sheffield

Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our sinfulness, our shortcomings, and our offenses against you. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love. Have mercy on us, O Lord, for we are ashamed and sorry for all we have done to displease you. Forgive our sins, and help us to live in your light, and walk in your ways, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior.

## \*ASSURANCE OF GOD'S GRACE

Pat Sheffield

Leader: Hear the good news! The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.

People: **He himself bore our sins in his body on the cross, that we might be dead to sin, and alive to all that is good!**

Leader: Therefore, believe the Good News:

People: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! Amen.**

## \*PASSING OF THE PEACE

Pat Sheffield

Leader: Since God has forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive and be at peace with another. The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: **And also with you!**

Leader: Let us share the peace of Christ with one another.

## \*GLORIA PATRI

GTG # 581

*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! A-men. A-men.*

# LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

## PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Rev. Chip Blankinship

## OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

II Kings 5:1-4

Pew Bible OT Page # 336

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord!

People: **Thanks be to God!**

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

SERMON

"Little Miracles"

Rev. Chip Blankinship

## RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

\*HYMN

Lord, You Give The Great Commission

GTG # 298

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH- THE APOSTLES' CREED

Rev. Chip Blankinship

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 PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Pat Sheffield

Every good and perfect gift comes from above. Trusting in God's mighty and gracious works, let us return a portion of what God has so richly blessed us with. Let us present our tithes and offerings.

OFFERTORY

We Are One In The Spirit

*(You are invited to bring your offering to the plate on the Communion Table)*

\*THE DOXOLOGY

Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow

GTG # 606

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise God all creatures here below. Praise God above ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Rev. Chip Blankinship

## CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

\*HYMN

Break Thou the Bread of Life

GTG # 460

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

Rev. Chip Blankinship

GREAT THANKSGIVING

Rev. Chip Blankinship

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We Lift them to the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks and praise to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Leader: ... therefore with all creation, we sing your praise:

SUNG RESPONSE

Holy, Holy, Holy

GTG # 552

*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.*

Leader: ...Great is the mystery of our faith:

SUNG RESPONSE

Christ Has Died; Christ Has Risen

GTG # 553

*Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.*

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Rev. Chip Blankinship

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, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

## **BREAKING OF THE BREAD- THE COMMUNION OF GOD'S PEOPLE**

*Communion will be received by intinction. Please walk down the two center aisles which lead from the two entrances of the church. Once you have received communion, please return to your seat using the two side aisles.*

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

Rev, Chip Blankinship

**SUNG RESPONSE**

Amen  
*A-men, a-men, a-men.*

GTG # 554

## **FOLLOWING GOD INTO THE WORLD**

**\*HYMN**

The Church's One Foundation

GTG # 321

**\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

Rev, Chip Blankinship

**\*POSTLUDE**

On Eagle's Wings  
The livestream does not end until the conclusion of the Postlude.  
Please refrain from talking until after the Postlude.

Michael Joncas

\* You are invited to stand, if able

We are live streaming this service so people can join us wherever they are; therefore, your image may show up on our broadcast. Thanks to everyone who is viewing from home. You are as much a part of this service as anyone attending in person. You add power to our congregation's prayer and praise.

### **WORSHIP LEADERSHIP**

Guest Minister: Rev. Chip Blankinship

Music Director: Julie Lowry

Organist: Bryant Hand

Pianist: Leslie Goldsmith

Music Meditations: Bryant Hand

Liturgist: Pat Sheffield

Acolyte: Elliot Snyder

Virtual Worship Technicians: Keith and Robin Ellison, Stephen Gross, Jared Price, & Jane Taylor



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We welcome the Rev. Chip Blankinship to lead us in worship today. Chip works as the Director of Operations and a Congregational Consultant for the Presbytery of Greater Atlanta. Chip serves as our church's Congregational Consultant and has served as Moderator of our Session Meetings during this time of transition without a Pastor.