

Feed us, Lord. Feed us, Lord. In the broken bread, be revealed again. Come and feed our hearts, O Lord.

Fill us, Lord. Fill us, Lord, with the bread and wine of the risen Christ. Come and fill our hearts, O Lord.

Lead us, Lord. Lead us, Lord, nourished here by Christ, given strength for life. Come and lead our hearts, O Lord.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Rev. Jana Creighton

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 34:18
Hebrews 9:11-14
Luke 22:7-23

MESSAGE

Broken

*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

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SPECIAL MUSIC

Just As I Am

Gordon Young

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Elder Janna Simon

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.

*HYMN # 792

There Is a Balm in Gilead

Sometimes I feel discouraged, and think my work's in vain, but then the Holy spirit revives my soul again. There is a balm in Gilead to make the wounded whole; there is a balm in Gilead to heal the sin sick soul.

Don't ever feel discouraged for Jesus is your friend, and if you lack for knowledge, he'll not refuse to lend. There is a balm in Gilead to make the wounded whole; there is a balm in Gilead to heal the sin sick soul.

If you cannot preach like Peter, if you cannot pray like Paul, you can tell the love of Jesus and say, "He died for all." There is a balm in Gilead to make the wounded whole; there is a balm in Gilead to heal the sin sick soul.

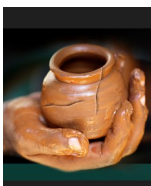
*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

Rev. Jana Creighton

POSTLUDE:

Jesus Christ, My Sure Defense

Paul Manz



Broken is our Word for today's service. To be blessed, is to recover our true identity and calling. To be broken, is to be opened up to the grace of God. To be given, is to discover our mission for the life of the world. This sermon series is a journey for us to see our lives as bread that Jesus takes in His hands, blesses, breaks, and gives for the life of the world in discipleship.

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SEVEN OAKS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

August 21, 2022
11:00 am

Welcome! We pray that you will truly experience
God's love and grace as you worship!



STRIKING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Jana Creighton

MINUTE FOR MISSION

Presbyterian Women

Elder Mary Johnson

MOMENT FOR SIGNING IN

PRELUDE:

Brother James Air

Dale Wood

GATHERING OF OUR HEARTS

Rev. Jana Creighton/Elder Janna Simon

One: We come in faith to worship God

Congregation on left: Who proclaims good news to the poor, binds up the broken-hearted,

One: We come in thanksgiving to worship God

Congregation on right side: Who frees the prisoner and comforts those who mourn

One: We come in promise to worship the God of presence

Congregation on left side: Who bestows a crown of beauty instead of ashes,

One: We come in rejoicing to worship God

Congregation on right side: Who anoints the oil of joy instead of mourning, and a garment of praise instead of a spirit of despair.

One: We come in hope to worship our God.

All: Who rebuilds ancient ruins and restores broken places.

*HYMN # 216

Beneath the Cross of Jesus

Beneath the cross of Jesus I fain would take my stand, the shadow of a mighty rock within a weary land; a home within the wilderness, a rest upon the way, from burning of the noontide heart, and the burden of the day.

Upon the cross of Jesus mine eye at times can see the very dying form of One who suffered there for me; and from my stricken heart with tears two wonders I confess: the wonders of redeeming love and my unworthiness.

I take, O cross, thy shadow for my abiding place; I ask no other sunshine than the sunshine of his face; content to let the world go by, to know no gain or loss, my sinful self my only shame, my glory all the cross.

*CALL TO CONFESSION

Elder Janna Simon

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Creator God, You created the earth, whole and round; You created us to be whole people. But we have become fragmented, cracked and broken. We have been broken by false promises, lost relationships, shattered trust. We have become cracked with the experience of systemic oppression and fear. Forgive us when we have done the breaking, heal us where we have been hurt. Let Your light shine through our cracks and scars so that we might bring light to the world, showing that in You we are made whole. In You we find healing. In You we find renewed life. Help us to forgive, to love, to mend. (Moment of silent confession) Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE:

Elder Janna Simon

We invite children ages 4k - 4th grade to sit in the "Children's Corner" after the "Children's Message." One Adult will be sitting with the children, and age appropriate activities will be provided for children that go along with worship. Parents will pick up their children after the service.

*Please stand in body or in spirit.

Sunday, August 21

Counters: Fred Holbrook, Julie Bussells
 Usher: Guy San Fratello
 Greeters: Brenda Turner, Jim Wilhide
 Acolyte: Kaelin Pilkington
 Children's Message: Janna Simon
 Children's Corner: Mary Johnson

Next Sunday, August 28

Counters: Karan Bundrick, Sharon Watkins
 Usher: Fred Holbrook
 Greeters: Richard Brinkley
 Acolyte: Hadessah Wright
 Children's Message: Janice Holbrook
 Children's Corner: Julie Bussells

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 Banks Robinson - Fellowship*
 Mark Wishart - Fellowship

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Hal Bowman - Administration/Reshape
 Richard Brinkley - Building & Grounds
 Guy San Fratello - Buildings & Grounds*

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 Sharon Staton - Missions*
 Sharon Watkins - Missions

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Treasurer: Hal Bowman

Presbyterian Women Moderator (SOPW) -
 Kathy Keane

Summer Office Hours:
Monday - Thursday - 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

This week at SOPC:

Sunday, August 21, 2022

9:30 am - Roads to Faith Adult SS Class
 Session Room or zoom
 9:45 am - Fellowship Adult SS Class-in-person
 Fellowship Classroom
 11:20 am - Liberty Worship Service
 Fellowship Hall
 2:00 pm - Martha Hallbick Memorial Service
 3:30 - 5:30 pm - Love Revolution
 6:00 pm - Chin Church

Monday, August 22, 2022

5:30 pm PW CT Meeting
 7:30 pm - NANA

Tuesday, August 23, 2022

9:30 am - Staff meeting
 7:30 pm - NANA

Wednesday, August 24, 2022

5:45 pm - NAMI - Pavilion
 7:30 pm - NANA

Thursday, August 25, 2022

Friday, August 26, 2022
 6:45 am - Lanterns
 7:00 pm - Liberty Church Celebration

Saturday, August 27, 2022

Stay connected! If you would like to receive emails and/or texts from SOPC, please text the letters SOPC to the number 84576.

If you have information to be included in the weekly bulletin or newsletter, please have it to the church office (sopc@sopc.net) no later than 10:00 am

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Announcements

Masked and Socially distanced seating: There are two pews marked as reserved in the sanctuary to the far right front close to the side exit for those preferring masking and social distancing. If you need assistance please ask an usher.

Covid cases are on the rise in Lexington and Richland counties. We strongly recommend the use of masks, especially during the hymns.

Hearing impaired equipment available in the narthex. Please ask an usher for assistance.

Nursery: A nursery is available in Building A during Worship for ages 0 - 4. If you have any questions please see any of our volunteers with a name badge in the Narthex.

Worship bags: Parents can pick up worship bags in the Children's Corner before the worship service, for ages 3 - 5th grades. (sanctuary near the restrooms).

Guests are invited to stop by the Guest Table in the narthex. Please leave your information, when you take a goody bag, as a reminder of God's love.

Flowers: The beautiful silk flower arrangements in the sanctuary today were donated for use when the church does not have fresh flowers.

Music Notes: *Brother James Air* is a setting of Psalm 23. The postlude comes from a hymn sung by Christians for over three centuries. It highlights the confidence we have in our living Lord: "Jesus, my Redeemer, lives; I, too, unto life shall waken. Endless joy my Savior gives; shall my courage then be shaken? Even death now cannot part from its Lord the trusting heart."



In our continued prayers...

John Anderson	Edith Blanchett
Al Charles	Joe Gause Jo Groce
Ed Keelen	Jim Mullins
Sarah Paschal	Rebecca Taylor
Patricia Williams	Kirk Wirth
Family of Martha Hallbick	
Family of Carolyn "Buck" Bethea	
Tara and John Whitfield	
Our Ukraine Family	
Daniel and Elizabeth Turk (missionaries)	
Iglesia Presbiteriana de Nueva Paz	

If you would like someone to be added to the prayer list please contact the church office.

Welcome!

Please let us know you are here today by scanning the QR code using your phone's camera and include your name and those who attended with you in the link.



Love Revolution: Today, SOPC will host Love Revolution. Please bring a dish to share or just join us to show your love & fellowship, from 3:30 - 5:30 pm. The Love Revolution provides food, love and hope to our community along with fellowship to anyone who would like to attend.

Children who are 2nd graders and older are invited to join our Acolyte team. Acolytes serve a very important part in our worship service. Please contact Janice Holbrook, janice.holbrook@hotmail.com or the church office if your child is interested.

Christian Education Committee is offering a few good men (and women) a chance to participate in the spiritual development of our children by serving on our Time with Children team. (A great big THANK YOU! to current members on our team). You will be provided with the information for the message and will usually chat with the children once every 2-3 months. Please contact Janice Holbrook, Janice.holbrook@hotmail.com, or the church office if you are interested.

Sharing God's Love for August: Items especially needed are: Grocery Bags, Grits, Oatmeal, Pancake Syrup, Jelly, Ravioli, SpaghettiOs (Lunch Can), Elbow Pasta, and Pasta sauce.

ReShape - Session has approved a ReShape Action Plan that assigns responsibility for all the ReShape recommendations to one or more ministries. The ministries have designated one person as the ReShape point of contact. A progress report will be made to the Session monthly. If you have questions, contact Hal Bowman.

Our Music Ministry is preparing for the start of a new season and invites everyone interested in singing, ringing or playing an instrument to talk with Lloyd after worship today and next Sunday, August 28, or please email him at SOPCMUSIC@gmail.com. We look forward to speaking with you!

The Ladies' Luncheon will be at Outback, 252 Harbison Blvd., September 19th, noon. If attending, please notify Margaret Royals, 803 957 0430 or mroyals052@gmail.com.

Rally Day, a celebration of Sunday School is Sunday, September 11! Join your church family to celebrate church & Sunday School. Let's break our attendance record. See the August 18 Leaf for more details.