

GATHERING MUSIC

Michael Parker

TRINITY CHIMES**GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Rev. Dr. Charlie Lee

Please take a moment to sign the welcome pad located at the end of the pew, and pass it to the person next to you.

PRELUDE**CALL TO WORSHIP Isaiah 58**

If you offer your food to the hungry,
The Lord will guide you continually and satisfy your needs.
 If you satisfy the needs of the afflicted,
You shall be like a watered garden, whose waters never fail.
 Let us rise up the foundations of God's Kingdom.
Come let us worship the God of resurrection.

***HYMN 182** "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say"

***CALL TO CONFESSION** Rev. Dr. Kathryn G. N. Campbell

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)**

Holy God, we confess that we have strayed from your paths and wandered from your ways. We have ignored your call to love and serve others. We have forgotten that our wellbeing is tied together with the wellbeing of others. We have overlooked and disregarded our brothers and sisters who are in need. Forgive us we pray, and bring new life to our calling. Revive us in strength and spirit so that we may live as your faithful disciples.
 In the name of Christ, we pray. (silent prayers of confession)

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS**CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE, HYMN 696, verse 1 (Psalm 63)**

"O God, You Are My God Alone"

**O God, you are my God alone, whom eagerly I seek,
 though longing fills my soul with thirst and leaves my body weak.
 Just as a dry and barren land awaits a freshening shower,
 I long within your house to see your glory and your power.**

***PASSING THE PEACE**

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.
And also with you.

CONVERSATION WITH CHILDREN

Cindy Lee

After the Children's Conversation, teachers lead children to Children's Worship: age 3 - 4 in room 216; K - 2nd graders in Room 204. Professional childcare for Infants - 2 years is in room 212.

PENNIES FOR HUNGER

*Those who are able may stand.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING Isaiah 58:6-9a, page 647, pew Bible
 This is the word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING Acts 9:36-43, page 120, pew Bible
 This is the word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

SERMON "Unexpected: Rise Up" Rev. Dr. Charlie Lee

***HYMN 300** "We Are One in the Spirit" (Favorite Hymn)

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** Responsive Apostle's Creed
 Do you believe in God, the Father almighty?
I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.
 Do you believe in Jesus Christ?
I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.
 Do you believe in the Holy Spirit?
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.

SHARING OF CONCERNS AND CELEBRATIONS**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE****OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS AND TITHES**

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *Change My Heart/Lord, Be Glorified*
 choral setting by John F. Wilson

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE, HYMN 612, verse 1**

"We Praise You, O God"

We praise you, O God, our Redeemer, Creator; in grateful devotion our tribute we bring. We lay it before you; we kneel and adore you; we bless your holy name; glad praises we sing.

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING & 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 and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

***HYMN 69** "Here I Am, Lord" (Favorite Hymn)

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

***BENEDICTION RESPONSE** "Help Us, Lord" (reprise) Ruth Elaine Schram

POSTLUDE

Please be seated for the Postlude or leave quietly so others might hear.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

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FLOWERS ARE GIVEN TODAY TO THE GLORY OF GOD by Mark, Kaye, Izzy, Kathryn and Caroline Brassfield in memory of their fathers and grandfathers, W.C. Gable and H.C. Brassfield.

Acolyte: Caroline Starrett **Scripture Reader:** Drake Dowler

Door Greeters: Jason, Libbi, and Matt Gundaker

Parking Lot Greeter: Steve Blackwood

Welcome Desk: Vicki Winters

Church Opener: Parks Williams **Church Closer:** Stan Dixon

Sound: Youth **Video:** Youth

Breakfast Set-up/Clean-up: Barb Newbauer

Collection Counters: Joy Kronenfeld and Jack Barry

Ushers: Brad Smith, Ginger Walton, Steve Walton, Stan Dixon, Anna Lewis

PRAYER CONCERNS AND CELEBRATIONS OF THE CONGREGATION

- **Susan Klaiber** is at WhiteStone recovering from injuries sustained in a recent car accident.
- **Debbie Stubbs' cousin, Linda**, is battling breast cancer.
- Continued prayers for **UNC-Charlotte campus community**.
- Pat Hall celebrates the kick-off of **Habitat for Humanity Women's Build**.

Session Members - Committee Assignments**Class of 2019**

Drake Dowler
 Building & Grounds
Elaine Gustafson
 Endowment/Evangelism
 & Membership
Barbara Newbauer
 Clerk of Session
 Admin/Preschool
Mary Overman
 Stewardship
Matt Winters
 Worship & Music/
 Fellowship
Susan Porter
 Faith Formation

Class of 2020

Jack Barry
 Finance
Martha Bursey
 Youth
Cathy Ingram
 Mission
Cuyler McKnight
 Stewardship/
 Cong. Nominating
Ginger Walton
 Faith Formation

Class of 2021

Donna Bailey
 Personnel/Mission
Joy Kronenfeld
 Endowment/
 Congregational Nom
Stade Lewis
 Personnel/Admin
Kevin Shoffner
 Evangelism &
 Membership
May Williams
 Caring

- **CALLED CONGREGATIONAL MEETING TODAY** immediately following worship to elect the following proposed members to serve on the 2019 Congregational Nominating Committee:
Cuyler McKnight, Chair, **Joy Kronenfeld**, Co-Chair, **Betty Wade**, **Debbie Stubbs**, **Betsy Bullard**, **Joel Ritter**, **Isabelle Gustafson**-Youth Representative
- **SPY! (Starmount Presbyterian Youth):** Meeting tonight and **Saturday, May 18 at 9am** we'll work in the community garden.
- **ONE CHURCH, ONE BOOK:** Join the discussion on *The Jane Austen Project*, by Kathleen A. Flynn, on **Tuesday, May 14 at 7pm or Wednesday, May 15 at noon**. Books are available to check out in the Gathering Space.
- **SENTIMENTAL JOURNEY: Sunday, May 19, 11:15-1:00** - Complete insert in bulletin, call the church, or go online to register **by tomorrow morning, May 13**. See the May newsletter for more details.
- **ATTENTION GRADUATES (high school, college & graduate school):** Plan to come to worship on **Sunday, June 2** when we will celebrate your accomplishments. Make sure to get your information to Laura Roberson (resident@starmountpres.org) by Sunday, May 26.
- **PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN BIRTHDAY DINNER:** Come One, Come All (men, women, children of all ages!) Save the date—**Monday, June 3 at 6pm** for the annual PW Birthday Dinner. Cost is \$12. Sign up on the insert or online at www.starmountpres.org.
- **PASTORAL CARE:** The pastoral care team at Starmount wants to be there for you in your times of greatest need. If you or someone you know is in the hospital and would like a pastoral visit, or have other joys and concerns to share, please contact the church office to let us know.
- **OPEN FLOWER DATES: 7/21; 9/1, 8, 15, 22, 29; 10/13, 27; 11/3, 10, 24; 12/1, 8, 15.** If you are interested in giving flowers for one of these Sundays, please contact Jinny Buchanan at jinnybug@mindspring.com or 336-549-4674/336-662-8402.
- **BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS** are due on **Tuesday prior to the Sunday** to be included in the bulletin. Please email to: brenda@starmountpres.org and copy becky@starmountpres.org for pre-worship slides.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

(See "Volunteer Opportunities" Notebook in the Narthex)

- **LEMONADE ON THE PORCH:** One of Starmount's favorite fellowship activities starts Memorial Day weekend, May 26 and runs through Labor Day weekend. Two volunteers are needed each Sunday. Sign-up sheets are available at the Information Desk in the Narthex or online.
- **YWCA FAMILY SHELTER DINNER:** Starmount hosts a dinner at the YWCA family shelter on the second Monday of each month. Sign up in the Narthex to help with or organize a dinner in 2019.
- **TUTORING: Wednesdays, 4:45-6:15 p.m.** Help students in grades K-12 at Starmount with homework, projects, reading, math (such as multiplication), transporting them in the church bus, or feeding them a pre-homework snack or dinner.

SUNDAY, May 12

9-9:45am

New Member Class, Rm 414
Sunday School & Small Groups

10:00am

Worship

11am

Called Congregational Meeting

11:10-11:30am

Children's Choir Rehearsal

5:18-7pm

SPY!

5:30-6:30pm

Yoga Class, Rm 321

6:45-7:45pm

Deep Stretch Yoga Class, Rm 321

MONDAY, May 13

10:30 am

Sarah Circle, Parlor

5 pm

YWCA Family Shelter Dinner

TUESDAY, May 14

10 - 11am

Staff Meeting, Rm 414

11:30am-12:30pm

Chair Yoga Class, Rm 321

1:30pm

Caring Ministries, Rm 319

3-4pm

Ruth Circle, Parlor

5pm

Admin. Committee, Rm 414

6-7:30pm

Martha Circle at Cilie Sutton's home

6-7pm

Worship & Music Committee,
Rm 414

7-8 pm

Building & Grounds, Rm 414

One Church, One Book, Library

Personnel Committee, Rm 319

WEDNESDAY, May 15

12-1pm

One Church, One Book, Library

4:45-6:15 pm

Children's Tutoring

6pm

Mission Committee, Rm 319

THURSDAY, May 16

7:30-8:30am

Men's Faith Exploration Study

11:30am

Higher Ground Ministry

11:30 am - 12:30 pm

Yoga Class: Out of the Chair

2-3pm

Bible Study at River Landing

5 pm

June Star Press Deadline

6-6:45 pm

Handbell Rehearsal, Rm 326

6 pm

Finance Committee, Rm 414

7-8:30 pm

Chancel Choir Rehearsal

FRIDAY, May 17

Men's Golfing Retreat

9:30-10:30am

Yoga Class, Rm 321

11:30am-12:30pm

Chair Yoga Class, Rm 321

SATURDAY, May 18

Men's Golfing Retreat

9-10 am

Community Garden

SPY! Garden Workday

LOOKING AHEAD - May 19

8:45-9:45am

Confirmation Class, Rm 319

9-9:45am

Sunday School & Small Groups

10am

Worship

11:15-12:45pm

Sentimental Journey, Fellowship Hall

5:18-7pm

SPY! & SPY Kids!

5:30 pm

Yoga Class, Rm 321

6-7:30 pm

Stated Session Meeting, Rm 319

6:45 - 7:45 pm

Deep Stretch Yoga, Rm 321

Starmount Church Program Staff

Rev. Dr. Charlie Lee, Pastor

Rev. Dr. Kathryn G. N. Campbell,

Associate Pastor

Robert Overman, Director of Worship Arts

Michael Parker, Organist

Cindy Lee, Director of Children's
Ministry

Laura Roberson, Lillian Steele

Resident for Youth & Young Adult

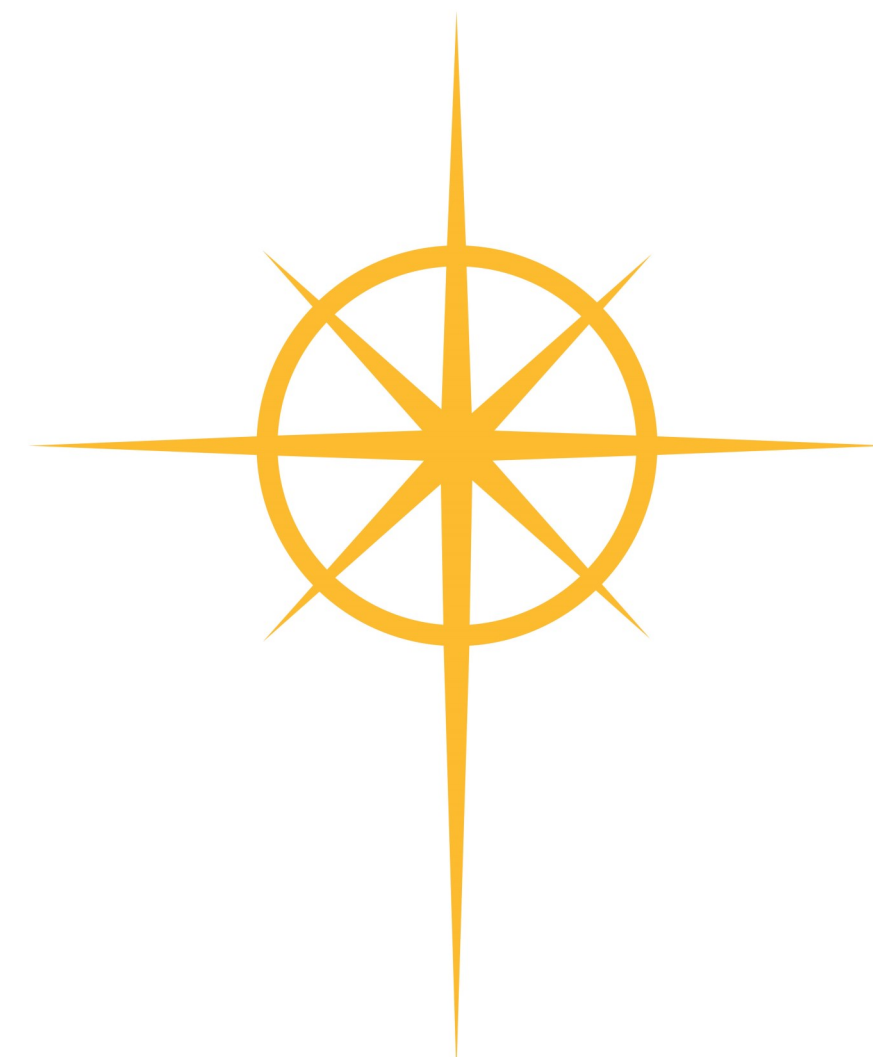
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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Starmount's vision is to build a church family which:
Invites and welcomes all who seek to know and serve God;
Discovers and develops individual and collective gifts and talents;
Equips individuals for service in our church, community, and world.

Called to Worship. Empowered to Serve.