

J.J. White Memorial Presbyterian Church
McComb, Mississippi
The Service for the Lord's Day
Sunday, June 5, 2022, 10:30 a.m.
Day of Pentecost

Welcome and Announcements

We Gather in God's Name

Prelude

"I'd Rather Have Jesus"

Miller

***Call to Worship**

from Psalm 104

How manifold are your works, O Lord!
**In wisdom you have made them all;
the earth is full of your creatures.**

You send forth your spirit,
and they are created;
**and so you renew
the face of the earth.**

I will sing to the Lord as long as I live;
**I will praise my God
while I have my being.**

***Prayer of the Day**

**Holy God, who comes to us in breath,
visits us from the throne of heaven,
and sets us aflame with amazement and joy,
you open our paths to new visions
and guide our feet deeper into your wisdom.
Give us faith to trust your presence,
through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you
and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

***Hymn 290 “Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart” (Verses 1,2 & 5)**

Call to Confession

God’s Spirit has gathered us for worship. Let us confess our sins and get right with God.

Prayer of Confession

Spirit of God, we build walls and barriers. We assume and stereotype. We devalue difference and stick with what is known and familiar. Forgive our lack of courage. Embolden us to cross boundaries of difference. Fill us with your Holy Spirit that gathers us together and calls us to community. Amen.

Assurance of God’s Forgiveness

“Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.” *Acts 2:21*
In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven and freed. **Thanks be to God.**

Now may the peace of Christ be with you all. **And also with you!**
Amen.

We Hear God’s Word

A Prayer for Guidance as We Hear God’s Word

Scripture Colossians 1:13-23

Sermon “Ground of Our Hope: The Supremacy of the Son of God”
the Reverend Dr. Catherine Cook

***An Affirmation of Faith**

from the Nicene Creed

We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary
and became truly human.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his
kingdom will have no end.

***The 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! Amen!**

***Hymn 295**

“Breathe on Me Breath of God”



The Sacrament of Holy Communion

Invitation to God's Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks and praise to God.

It is always right and our greatest joy to give God thanks and praise....

....Therefore, we join our voices with all those who sing your praise
Holy, holy, holy, God of power and might. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest....

....for great is the mystery of our faith:

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

...as our Savior, Jesus, taught us to pray when he said:

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 and ever. Amen.

Words of Institution

Communion of God's People

A Prayer After Communion

God of grace, you renew us at your Table with the bread of life and the cup of salvation. Grant that this food may strengthen us in love and help us to serve you as we serve one another. We ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord. Amen.



Offertory Sentence

Because God first loved us,
we are made to love one another.
For the sake of the life of the world, offer yourselves,
your time, and your possessions as signs of love.

Offertory “Near to the Heart of God” McAfee

***Doxology**

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

***Prayer of Thanksgiving**

Prayers of the People

We Go in God’s Name

***Hymn 297 “Spirit of The Living God”**

Charge and Benediction

May the spark of God ignite you,
May the love of Christ renew you
May the Holy Spirit fill you,
on this Pentecost Sunday and the days to come. Amen.

Postlude “He Touched Me”

