



May 19, 2019
5th Sunday of Eastertide
Youth Sunday

GATHERING *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty*
Majesty Ringers arr. Karen Buckwalter

WELCOME

*HYMN 327 *Crown Him with Many Crowns*

THE APOSTLES' CREED* UMH 881

PASSING OF THE PEACE*

Leader: Welcome each other. Welcome the stranger. Welcome all who come. As Christ welcomed everyone, no matter what their background, no matter what their social status.

People: As Christ welcomed enemies and friends, outcasts and leaders, foreigners and neighbors, let us open our hearts and homes and lives. Let us be Christ to everyone we meet.

Leader: Peace be with you.
People: And also with you.

TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

ANTHEM *Isaiah 43*
Youth Praise Band

SENIOR TESTIMONY Marissa Harrold

TIME OF PRAYER AND CONCERNS

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 trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever.
Amen.**

OFFERING *I Will Call Upon the Lord*
Reflection Youth Choir

*OFFERING RESPONSE

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit, Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

*SCRIPTURE **Matthew 4:18-22** New Testament pg. 3

PRAISE SONG *This is Amazing Grace* Phil Wickham
Youth Praise Band

**Who breaks the power of sin and darkness?
Whose love is mighty and so much stronger?
The King of Glory, the King above all kings**

**Who shakes the whole earth with holy thunder
And leaves us breathless in awe and wonder?
The King of Glory, the King above all kings**

**This is amazing grace; This is unfailing love
That You would take my place; That You would bear my cross
You laid down Your life that I would be set free
Oh, Jesus, I sing for all that You've done for me**

**Who brings our chaos back into order?
Who makes the orphan a son and daughter?
The King of Glory, the King of Glory**

**Who rules the nations with truth and justice
Shines like the sun in all of its brilliance?
The King of Glory, the King above all kings**

**Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave
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Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy is the King who conquered the grave
Worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Worthy, worthy, worthy**

SERMON **What Does the Bible Tell Me** Rev. Dr. Charley Reeb
About Following Jesus?

SENIOR RECOGNITION

INVITATION

*HYMN 438 *Forth in Thy Name, O Lord*

*BENEDICTION

**Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary; pure and holy, tried and true.
With thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for You.**

RESPONSE*

**May the Lord bless you and keep you,
May the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you.
May the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.**

SENDING FORTH *Lord Reign in Me*
Youth Praise Band

UPCOMING SERMONS

May 26 - Hebrews 4:12
WHY IS THE OLD TESTAMENT GOD SO MEAN
AND THE NEW TESTAMENT GOD SO NICE?

June 2 - Matthew 4:19
WHY DID JESUS HAVE TO SAY THAT?
THE TOUGH SAYINGS OF JESUS

UPCOMING EVENTS

QUEST FAMILY PICNIC, SUNDAY, MAY 19

12:00 p.m. on the soccer fields, for 1st-5th graders and families. Hotdogs and drinks provided. Contact Steve Davis to RSVP or for questions at stevedd7@gmail.com.

JOY SENIOR ADULT DINNER, TUESDAY, MAY 21

5:00 p.m. at Burgers 21, 11300 Medlock Bridge Road. Reservations not needed.

PATRIOTIC POPS CONCERT, MAY 27

5:00 to 6:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary - no charge. The music ministry of Johns Creek UMC will pay tribute to America and her veterans.

SAYING GOODBYE TO PASTOR BRANDON, JUNE 2

Reception after 11:00 a.m. worship in the Gathering Room. All are invited to write a note of appreciation and contribute to the Harris Family Love Offering. Write "Love Offering" on the check or envelope and place in the offering plate, or go to the giving page on the JCUMC website and select "loveoff" on the giving form.

SUMMER CAMPS AT JCUMC

Below is a list of some of the camps offered this summer. To learn more about them, and other summer opportunities visit www.johncreekumc.org/summer-at-the-creek.

SUMMER SOCCER CAMP, MAY 28-31 AND JUNE 17-20

PRESCHOOL SUMMER CAMPS, 6 DIFFERENT WEEKS AVAILABLE, JUNE AND JULY

SUMMER BASKETBALL CAMP, 4 DIFFERENT WEEKS IN JUNE AND JULY

GROW DAY CAMP, JUNE 17-21

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL, JULY 7-11 (*IN THE EVENING*)

MAD CAMP, JULY 8-12

WAYS TO SERVE/GIVE

To see the many ways to serve at Johns Creek United Methodist Church, go to johncreekumc.org/missions/ and choose Ministry Directory, or choose the Ministry Mobilizer button to register to serve.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS, JULY 7-11 (*in evenings*)

Adult and Teen VBS volunteers needed, please register at johncreekumc.org/ministries/children.

MAD CAMP VOLUNTEERS, JULY 8-12

Contact Nathan Schreer at nschreer@johncreekumc.org.

FRONT DESK VOLUNTEERS FOR AFTERNOON SHIFTS

2:00 to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday. Contact Natalie Spradling at nspradling@johncreekumc.org.