

# McIntosh Presbyterian Church



## PRACTICING THE PRESENCE OF JESUS

We are saved...

By GRACE. Through FAITH. For GOOD WORKS.

Ephesians 2:8-10

May 9, 2021

McIntosh, Florida

## Mother's Day

We seek to be a church where thinking people believe and believing people think.

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# A SERVICE FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

May 9, 2021

Prelude  
Welcome

Debbie Ayers  
Tommy Lane

**Call to Worship**

**Mothers' Day Litany**

Hymnal page 145

One: All who gather here are sons or daughters.

**All: We praise God for the women who gave us life.**

One: For mothers brave, strong, compassionate, full of wisdom and grace,

**All: We give God thanks and praise.**

One: For mothers vulnerable, worried, frustrated, and hurried,

**All: We pray for peace.**

One: For relationships that are strained and no longer a source of joy,

**All: We pray for healing.**

One: For mothers who have died, that are no longer with us, but whose light shines on in our hearts and memories,

**All: We pray for those that mourn, and give God thanks for life eternal.**

One: For mothers who grieve, who have lost children born or unborn,

**All: We weep with those with broken hearts.**

One: For those who are struggling to raise children, who are tired and weary,

**All: We pray that we may be their village, offering real help in hard times.**

One: For those who are preparing for an empty nest,

**All: We both celebrate and mourn with you, and hope their wings are as strong as their roots are deep.**

One: For stepmothers, navigating the pitfalls and joys of creating a new family,

**All: We pray for wisdom and patience.**

One: For Grandmothers who are doing the hard work of raising children again,

**All: We pray the caregivers have those who care for them.**

One: For those who are waiting and sometimes struggling with the biological process to bring new life, and for those who are waiting for adoptive process to be fulfilled.

**All: We wait eagerly with you, and offer you our hand to hold in the trial.**

One: For women who do not have children, but instead teach, lead, care for, and guide the children of others,

**All: We give God thanks and praise.**

One: For the mothers, sisters, and daughters in our midst and around the world.

- For the women who, being created in the image of God, give not just life, but abundant life.
- For women fighting, struggling, and sweating for the sake of others.
- For women caring, compassionate, and crying with the heart of Christ.
- For the caregivers, prophets, preachers, teachers, leaders, shepherds, and healers.
- For Moms, in their wide variety and many forms,

**All: We give God thanks and praise.**

Permission to use this litany for public worship is granted by <http://fatpastor.me>.

**Hymn**

**I Am a Woman (Make Me a Woman of Your Heart)**

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**PRAYERS FOR RECONCILIATION**

**Confession**

**Tommy Lane**

**Call to Repentance**

*His Strength Is Perfect*

His strength is perfect when our strength is gone; He'll carry us when we can't carry on.

Raised in His power, the weak become strong; His strength is perfect, His strength is perfect.

**Assurance of Pardon**

**Congregational Response**

*Gloria Patri*

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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.

**Sacrament of Baptism**

**Hazel Alice Moore Lane**

**Praise Time**

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**Praise Team**

*Lord Most High*

Don Harris | Gary Sadler

(Guys) (Girls echo)

**From the ends of the earth (echo)**

From the depths of the sea (echo)

From the heights of the heavens (echo)

Your name be praised

(Girls) (Guys echo)

**From the hearts of the weak (echo)**

From the shouts of the strong (echo)

From the lips of all people (echo)

This song we raise Lord

**Chorus (2x)**

Throughout the endless ages

You will be crowned with praises

Lord Most High

Exalted in every nation

Sovereign of all creation

Lord Most High be magnified

Lord Most High be magnified

*On Eagles' Wings*

**1. You who dwell in the**

shelter of the Lord

Who abide in His

shadow for life

Say to the Lord

"My refuge, my rock

in whom I trust!"

**Chorus**

And He will raise you up

on eagles' wings

Bear you on the

breath of dawn

Make you to shine like the sun

And hold you

in the palm of His hand.

**2. The snare of the fowler will never**

capture you

And famine will bring

you no fear

Under His wings your refuge

His faithfulness your shield.

**Chorus**

**3.** You need not fear the terror of  
the night  
Nor the arrow that flies by day  
Though thousands  
fall about you  
Near you it shall not come.

**4.** For to his angels He's given a  
command  
To guard you  
in all of your ways  
Upon their hands they will bear you  
up  
Lest you dash your foot against a  
stone.

**Chorus**

**Chorus**

### *Grace Flows Down*

David Bell, Louie Giglio & Rod Pageant

**A**mazing grace,  
how sweet the sound  
**A**mazing love,  
now flowing down  
from hands and feet that were nailed to the tree  
As grace flows down and covers me

**I**t covers me  
It covers me  
It covers me  
And covers me.

### **Presentation of the Lord's Tithes and our Offerings**

#### **Prayer of Dedication**

#### **Hymn**

### *A Christian Home*

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1. O give us homes built firm upon the Savior,  
Where Christ is Head, and Counsellor and Guide;  
Where ev'ry child is taught His love and favor  
And gives his heart to Christ, the crucified:  
How sweet to know that though his footsteps waver  
His faithful Lord is walking by his side!
2. O give us homes with godly fathers, mothers,  
Who always place their hope and trust in Him;  
Whose tender patience turmoil never bothers,  
Whose calm and courage trouble cannot dim;  
A home where each finds joy in serving others,  
And love still shines, though days be dark and grim.

3. O give us homes where Christ is Lord and Master,  
The Bible read, the precious hymns still sung;  
Where prayer comes first in peace or in disaster,  
And praise is natural speech to ev'ry tongue;  
Where mountains move before a faith that's vaster,  
And Christ sufficient is for old and young.
  
4. O Lord, our God, our homes are Thine forever!  
We trust to Thee their problems, toil, and care;  
Their bonds of love no enemy can sever  
If Thou art always Lord and Master there:  
Be Thou the center of our least endeavor:  
Be Thou our Guest, our hearts and homes to share.

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**ATTENDING TO GOD'S WORD**

<b>OT Lesson:</b>	<b>Psalm 139</b>	
<b>NT Lesson:</b>	<b>Acts 2:22-39</b>	
<b>Gospel Lesson:</b>	<b>Mark 1:35-42</b>	
<b>Sermon</b>	<b>OF MAMA'S AND BABIES AND BAPTISM...AND GRACE.</b>	<b>Tommy Lane</b>

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**RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD**

**Prayers of the People**

**Affirmation of Faith**

**The Apostle's 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.

**Hymn**

*Happy Our Home When God is There*

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Happy our home when God is there,<br/>Binding our hearts in love,<br/>Blessing each day with moments shared,<br/>Drawing our thoughts above.</li> <br/> <li>2. Happy our home when daily prayer<br/>Bears every daily need;<br/>When parents share God's Holy Word<br/>And daily let Him lead.</li> </ol> | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. Happy our home when children praise,<br/>Lifting our Savior's name;<br/>When parents speak and show His love,<br/>Faithful each day the same.</li> <br/> <li>4. Father of all, our God of Peace,<br/>We look to You alone;<br/>Come with Your precious gift of love<br/>And make our house Your home.</li> </ol> |
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## The Charge and Blessing

Turn your eyes upon Jesus. Look full in His wonderful face,  
And the things of earth will grow strangely dim in the light of His glory and grace.

## The Postlude

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**If you have never responded to God's Love by committing your life to Jesus,** we invite you to make that response and commitment today. If you are looking for a church home where you can worship, serve Christ and enjoy the fellowship of the Faith, we sincerely invite you to join us. Regardless of where you are on your Faith journey, we encourage you to unite with us and help us practice the presence of Jesus. Please speak to one of the Pastors or Elders.

## The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name. Thy Kingdom come; Thy will be done in 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, The power, and the glory, For ever and ever. Amen.

**Prayer List:** **Andrea Arnow** (cancer), **John Ayres**, **Stanley Beard** (Althea's brother), **Jean Beck** and her daughter-caregiver, **Kathy Beck**, **Tiffany Blount** (Liz's friend, medical issues), **Becky Broce** (breast cancer), **Lisa Cartier** (Art & Althea's daughter, breast cancer), Mrs. Coffey (Chris Tuttle's mother), **the family of Nancy Erney**, **Maria Di Mella**, **Sally Dowlen** (Susan's sister), **Dan Ezell** (cancer), **Felda Fisher**, **Tami French's family upon her death** (Aleida), **Alice Garwood**, **Marcia Graham** (auto accident), **Susan Holloway**, **Katie and Thomas Hoover**, **Jean Hart**, **Jerry & Gloria Kennedy**, **Kloey** (Jim and Randa's great, great niece), **Nicole Keys**, **Zachary Lane**, **Ivan Marden** (Liz's friend), **Desi McCloud** (cancer), **Linda Gail and the McCollum Family**, **Patrick** (son of Karen & Doug's friend)(blood clots in his lungs), **Pete & Linda McCullers**, **Vicki McDonald** (RSD), **Conner Magee** (baby needing surgery), **Deborah Morris** and family, **Roy Owens and family**, **Corky Robinson** (Glenda's sister-in-law), **Will Sindledecker** (Suzanne's son), **Sondra Spradling** (Nancy's daughter), **Don Tuttle** (is doing better) (Also, **Chris Tuttle** (Don's wife) and **Bobby Tuttle** (Don's son, Glenda Jones' son-in-law), **Melody Vickers' family**, **Erin Vranizan** (cancer), **Buddy Watson**, **our country**, **our political leadership**, **our veterans** and **service personnel**, **the persecuted Christian church**, **global COVID-19 victims and healthcare workers**, **first responders**, **teachers**, **students**, and **those traveling**. DON'T forget to pray for each other.

**To add or subtract a name to the Prayer List**, please email by Thursday noon. Tommy Lane at [tlane@psginc.co](mailto:tlane@psginc.co) or Bert Ayers at [bayers@psginc.co](mailto:bayers@psginc.co).

## At MPC, we are:

- **Scripture-based** – The Holy Scripture is the inspired written Word of God, which with the Word Incarnate serves as the authority for our life and work.
- **Grace-filled** – Grace is emphasized because it is God's unique and all-sufficient gift of salvation, forgiveness, and renewal for all who would trust Jesus.

- **Sacramental** – God works through His Word and the Sacraments of Baptism and Holy Communion to bring us His Grace. Forgiven people of all ages, all races, and all nations are brought together by one Lord Jesus Christ to give glory to God.

**Announcements:**

- **Champions 2021~ Summer Camp 2021 registration is now open, and scholarships are available!** Information can be found at <https://www.montgomerycenter.net/camp>. Questions about special sessions and events can be asked at [office@montgomerycenter.org](mailto:office@montgomerycenter.org) or (352) 473-4516.
- The MPC worship service can be found at <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCm5tUuBb17IUjiQu2sccJdQ>.
- If you have need of help during this period, please call Tommy @ 352 870 0008 or email him @ [tlane@psginc.co](mailto:tlane@psginc.co).
- If you wish to make an offering toward the Jesus Work done by MPC, you can do so via our website @ [www.mcintoshchurch.org](http://www.mcintoshchurch.org), or mail us at PO Box 385, McIntosh Florida.



## Summer Camp 2021

**Our children are resilient! During this time of uncertainty that our world is facing, we are looking for a ray of hope. It is through times of trial that we can find the most growth. Together we can overcome feelings of hopelessness and doubt. We can accept challenge and move forward without fear.**

**Join us this summer to experience days full of sunshine and laughter at  
Montgomery!**

**Scroll down to choose the dates that work best for your family.**

**Register now!**

*“At MPC, our only agenda is Grace, and it is not hidden.”*