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*Declaring God's Grace & Demonstrating God's Love, as
Directed by God's Word*

May 16, 2021
Teacher Appreciation Sunday and Graduate Recognition

Ken Mawr United Presbyterian Church

Welcome to Worship!

Warmest greetings to you in the name of the Lord Jesus! Today we're going to enter into the space that separates God's perfection and our sin. God's Temple had numerous boundaries and restrictions for "acceptable" offerings. The closer one got to God, symbolically, the more restricted the access. Yet in this passage from the book of Hebrews we learn how Christ, *"a great priest over the house of God,"* (v. 21) has opened the way and provided free access to God's throne room. *"Let us hold unswervingly to the hope we profess, for he who promised is faithful"* (v. 23). The grace of Christ attend you, the love of God surround you, and the Holy Spirit keep you!

-Pastor Karl

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BENEVOLENCE OFFERINGS unless otherwise designated, support:

Today: Good Samaritan Fund

Next Sunday: Camp Crestfield

We're Back:

***Children's Church** – Every Sunday at 11:00 am service (after time with children, ages 4 – 4th grade)

***Lord's Lambs** – 1st Tues of the month at 1:00 pm

***Men's Breakfast** – 2nd Saturday of the month at 8:00 am.

***Quilters** – Every Friday at 10:00 am

***Ken Mawr Lunch Bunch** – (Formerly Ken Mawr Seniors) Beginning Sept 15, 2021, third Wednesday of the month at noon.

Please call the church office if your group or organization is looking to return to in person meetings, and you can be added back to the calendar.
 412-331-2863

Join us May 23, 2021
 as the 12 students from the 2021 Confirmation Class join the church at the 11:00 am service.

Memorial Day Service

Monday May 31, 2021

at 8:30 am

(Yes, there will be coffee and doughnuts)

Job Openings

KMUPC currently has two job openings, both part time:

- Director of Children's Ministry

- Church Custodian

Both job descriptions can be found on Kenmawrchurch.org.



Rocky Railway VBS

"Jesus' Power Pulls Us Through"

July 25th through 29th

Sunday to Thursday

(IN PERSON)

Online Sign Up begins in June

GO IN GOD’S NAME

Hymn “Before the Throne of God Above”

*Before the throne of God above, I have a strong and perfect plea:
A great High Priest, whose name is Love, who ever lives and pleads for me.
My name is graven on His hands. My name is written on His heart.
I know that while in heaven He stands, no tongue can bid me thence depart;
No tongue can bid me thence depart.*

*When Satan tempts me to despair, and tells me of the guilt within,
Upward I look, and see Him there, who made an end to all my sin.
Because the sinless Savior died my sinful soul is counted free.
For God the Just is satisfied to look on Him and pardon me;
To look on Him and pardon me.*

*Behold Him there, the Risen Lamb! My perfect, spotless righteousness,
The great unchangeable I AM, the King of glory and of grace!
One with Himself I cannot die; my soul is purchased by His blood.
My life is hid with Christ on high, with Christ, my Savior and my God;
with Christ, my Savior and my God.*

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Benediction

Thank you for worshiping with us!

Sanctuary Cleaners Needed

Before we return the Bibles and hymnals to the pews, two days have been scheduled to wipe down the pews and we need HELP! Bring a bucket and rags, cleaner will be provided.
Wednesday June 2nd from 6:30 to 8:00 pm
or
Saturday June 5th from 8:00 am to 10:00 am

The Worship Service

GATHER IN GOD’S NAME

Preparation for Worship “Come to Me”

All who are weary, come to me. All who are burdened, come to me. I will give you rest. Come to me, come to me. My heart is humble, learn from me. For I am gentle, learn from me. And you will find rest. Learn from me, learn from me. All who are weary, come to me. All who are burdened come to me. I will give you rest. Come to me, come to me.

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Greetings & Welcome

Call to Worship—based on Exodus 15:26; Isaiah 6:10.

God invites us into his healing presence with these words:

“I am the Lord, who heals you.”
Diseased, depressed, dysfunctional, defeated,
We come hungering for health that only God can provide.
God calls us to bring open eyes, hearing ears,
and tender hearts turned toward him, the Great Physician.
We come before him in faith and expectancy!
Let us worship God.

Prayer of Adoration

GIVE PRAISE AND THANKS TO GOD

Hymn of Praise #663 "God’s Holy Ways Are Just and True"

1 God's holy ways are just and true, his promises are ever new, O praise him, alleluia!
Let every heart with praises sing and make this house with voices ring;
O praise him, O praise him! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

2 Bring back to mind his grace and love, our needs provided from above; O praise him, alleluia!
He kept his word, and Jesus came to make a people for his name;
O praise him, O praise him! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

3 Tell once again his deeds of old, the story of our mighty God, O praise him, alleluia!
For all his glorious works and ways we shall rejoice through endless days;
O praise him, O praise him! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
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Prayer of Confession

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image; through Jesus Christ, the Savior of the world. Amen.

Assurance of God’s Forgiveness

Congregational Response #305

***He is Lord, He is Lord! He is risen from the dead and He is Lord!
Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord!
He is Lord, He is Lord! He is risen from the dead and He is Lord!
Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord!***

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Reception of New Members (11:00 AM)

Time with the Children (Kids spell Love T-I-M-E)

Prayers of the People & 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.

Prayer Response

**Don’t be afraid. My love is stronger, my love is stronger than your fear. Don’t be afraid.
My love is stronger and I have promised, promised to be always near.
Don’t be afraid. My love is stronger, my love is stronger than your fear. Don’t be afraid.
My love is stronger and I have promised, promised to be always near.**

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Dedication of Tithes and Offerings

GOD’S WORD READ AND PROCLAIMED

Scripture Hebrews 10:1, 8-25
*1 The law is only a shadow of the good things that are coming—not the realities themselves. For this reason, it can never, by the same sacrifices repeated endlessly year after year, make perfect those who draw near to worship.
8 First he said, “Sacrifices and offerings, burnt offerings and sin offerings you did not desire, nor were you pleased with them”—though they were offered in accordance with the law.*

9 Then he said, “Here I am, I have come to do your will.” He sets aside the first to establish the second. 10 And by that will, we have been made holy through the sacrifice of the body of Jesus Christ once for all. 11 Day after day every priest stands and performs his religious duties; again and again he offers the same sacrifices, which can never take away sins. 12 But when this priest had offered for all time one sacrifice for sins, he sat down at the right hand of God, 13 and since that time he waits for his enemies to be made his footstool. 14 For by one sacrifice he has made perfect forever those who are being made holy. 15 The Holy Spirit also testifies to us about this. First he says: 16 “This is the covenant I will make with them after that time, says the Lord. I will put my laws in their hearts, and I will write them on their minds.” 17 Then he adds: “Their sins and lawless acts I will remember no more.” 18 And where these have been forgiven, sacrifice for sin is no longer necessary. 19 Therefore, brothers and sisters, since we have confidence to enter the Most Holy Place by the blood of Jesus, 20 by a new and living way opened for us through the curtain, that is, his body, 21 and since we have a great priest over the house of God, 22 let us draw near to God with a sincere heart and with the full assurance that faith brings, having our hearts sprinkled to cleanse us from a guilty conscience and having our bodies washed with pure water. 23 Let us hold unswervingly to the hope we profess, for he who promised is faithful. 24 And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, 25 not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching. (NIV)

Sermon “Come Right In!”

Hope in the Lord Jesus Christ

**Jesus Christ came to us as one of us, sharing our joy and sorrow. He proclaimed God’s love, healed the sick, and was a friend of sinners. He continues to reveal God’s gracious love, he is among us now to make us whole, and he is still the friend of sinners.
Jesus Christ was and is one with us in life; Jesus Christ was and is one with us in suffering and death. The Lord and Savior is Christ crucified, in whom God’s weakness is stronger than human strength and God’s foolishness is wiser than human wisdom.
For the sake of the world, the Word became flesh. For the sake of the world Jesus Christ lived among us, was crucified and raised from the dead. For the sake of the world Christ ascended to heaven and for the sake of the world Christ will come again. Amen.**