

# Fellowship Presbyterian Church

## Lord's Day Worship

May 31, 2009

*The prophet Isaiah reminds us that we come to worship God. Too often we separate those two words in our thinking. Either we come to have a "worshipful experience" (which is too often focused on our own feelings), or we conceive in our minds a God who is much like us. Isaiah's vision makes us unite those two words and brings us back to worship God – to come in reverence before the Holy One, who is terrifying to behold in His glory yet condescends to cleanse and pardon our sin!*

### Prelude

### Welcome and Announcements

Pastor Marty Martin

### Call to Worship

Isaiah 6:1-7

*In the year of King Uzziah's death I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, lofty and exalted, with the train of His robe filling the temple. Seraphim stood above Him, each having six wings: with two he covered his face, and with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew.*

*And one called out to another and said,  
"Holy, Holy, Holy, is the LORD of hosts,  
The whole earth is full of His glory."*

*And the foundations of the thresholds trembled at the voice of him who called out, while the temple was filling with smoke.*

*Then I said,  
"Woe is me, for I am ruined!  
Because I am a man of unclean lips,  
And I live among a people of unclean lips;  
For my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts."*

*Then one of the seraphim flew to me with a burning coal in his hand, which he had taken from the altar with tongs. He touched my mouth with it and said, "Behold, this has touched your lips; and your iniquity is taken away and your sin is forgiven."*

### § Hymn

*Holy, Holy, Holy!*

No. 100

### § Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

#### Corporate Confession of Faith

*The Nicene Creed*

*Christians, what do you believe?*

**We believe in one God, the Father Almighty,  
Maker of heaven and earth,  
of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten son of God,  
begotten of his Father before all worlds,  
God of God, Light of Light,  
very God of very God,  
begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father;  
by whom all things were made;  
who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven,  
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary,  
and was made man;  
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered and was buried;  
and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures,  
and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father;  
and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead;  
whose kingdom shall have no end.**

**And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son;  
who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified;  
who spoke by the prophets;  
and we believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church;  
we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins;  
and we look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

### § Doxology

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below;  
praise Him above, ye heav'nly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.*

No. 732

### § Worship Through Tithes and Offerings

#### Prayer of Confession, Intercession and Supplication

### § Hymn of Preparation

*Be Thou My Vision*

No. 642

#### Reading of Scripture

*Exodus 19:10-25*

*Pew Bible pages 77-78*

<sup>10</sup>The LORD also said to Moses, "Go to the people and consecrate them today and tomorrow, and let them wash their garments;

<sup>11</sup>and let them be ready for the third day, for on the third day the LORD will come down on Mount Sinai in the sight of all the people.

<sup>12</sup>"You shall set bounds for the people all around, saying, 'Beware that you do not go up on the mountain or touch the border of it; whoever touches the mountain shall surely be put to death.

<sup>13</sup>No hand shall touch him, but he shall surely be stoned or shot through; whether beast or man, he shall not live.' When the ram's horn sounds a long blast, they shall come up to the mountain."

<sup>14</sup>So Moses went down from the mountain to the people and consecrated the people, and they washed their garments.

<sup>15</sup>He said to the people, "Be ready for the third day; do not go near a woman."

<sup>16</sup>So it came about on the third day, when it was morning, that there were thunder and lightning flashes and a thick cloud upon the mountain and a very loud trumpet sound, so that all the people who were in the camp trembled.

<sup>17</sup>And Moses brought the people out of the camp to meet God, and they stood at the foot of the mountain.

<sup>18</sup>Now Mount Sinai was all in smoke because the LORD descended upon it in fire; and its smoke ascended like the smoke of a furnace, and the whole mountain quaked violently.

<sup>19</sup>When the sound of the trumpet grew louder and louder, Moses spoke and God answered him with thunder.

<sup>20</sup>The LORD came down on Mount Sinai, to the top of the mountain; and the LORD called Moses to the top of the mountain, and Moses went up.

<sup>21</sup>Then the LORD spoke to Moses, "Go down, warn the people, so that they do not break through to the LORD to gaze, and many of them perish.

<sup>22</sup>"Also let the priests who come near to the LORD consecrate themselves, or else the LORD will break out against them."

<sup>23</sup>Moses said to the LORD, "The people cannot come up to Mount Sinai, for You warned us, saying, 'Set bounds about the mountain and consecrate it.'"

<sup>24</sup>Then the LORD said to him, "Go down and come up again, you and Aaron with you; but do not let the priests and the people break through to come up to the LORD, or He will break forth upon them."

<sup>25</sup>So Moses went down to the people and told them.

*Exodus 20:18-21*

<sup>18</sup>All the people perceived the thunder and the lightning flashes and the sound of the trumpet and the mountain smoking; and when the people saw it, they trembled and stood at a distance.

<sup>19</sup>Then they said to Moses, "Speak to us yourself and we will listen; but let not God speak to us, or we will die."

<sup>20</sup>Moses said to the people, "Do not be afraid; for God has come in order to test you, and in order that the fear of Him may remain with you, so that you may not sin."

<sup>21</sup>So the people stood at a distance, while Moses approached the thick cloud where God was.

#### Proclamation of God's Word

*The Foot of the Mountain*

*Pastor Martin*

### § Psalm

*O Worship the King  
(stanzas 1, 2, 5, 6)*

No. 2

### § Benediction

*Pastor Martin*

### § Corporate "Amen"

§ *The congregation will please stand.*

## Evening Worship

### Call to Worship

*I will give thanks to the LORD according to His righteousness  
And will sing praise to the name of the LORD Most High.*

*Psalm 7:17*

### § Hymn

*O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing*

No. 164

### § Prayer of Praise and Invocation

#### Old Testament Reading

*Judges 10:1-18*

*Pew Bible page 264*

<sup>1</sup>Now after Abimelech died, Tola the son of Puah, the son of Dodo, a man of Issachar, arose to save Israel; and he lived in Shamir in the hill country of Ephraim.

<sup>2</sup>He judged Israel twenty-three years. Then he died and was buried in Shamir.

<sup>3</sup>After him, Jair the Gileadite arose and judged Israel twenty-two years.

<sup>4</sup>He had thirty sons who rode on thirty donkeys, and they had thirty cities in the land of Gilead that are called Havvoth-jair to this day.

<sup>5</sup>And Jair died and was buried in Kamon.

<sup>6</sup>Then the sons of Israel again did evil in the sight of the LORD, served the Baals and the Ashtaroth, the gods of Aram, the gods of Sidon, the gods of Moab, the gods of the sons of Ammon, and the gods of the Philistines; thus they forsook the LORD and did not serve Him.

<sup>7</sup>The anger of the LORD burned against Israel, and He sold them into the hands of the Philistines and into the hands of the sons of Ammon.

<sup>8</sup>They afflicted and crushed the sons of Israel that year; for eighteen years they afflicted all the sons of Israel who were beyond the Jordan in Gilead in the land of the Amorites.

<sup>9</sup>The sons of Ammon crossed the Jordan to fight also against Judah, Benjamin, and the house of Ephraim, so that Israel was greatly distressed.

<sup>10</sup>Then the sons of Israel cried out to the LORD, saying, "We have sinned against You, for indeed, we have forsaken our God and served the Baals."

<sup>11</sup>The LORD said to the sons of Israel, "Did I not deliver you from the Egyptians, the Amorites, the sons of Ammon, and the Philistines?"

<sup>12</sup>"Also when the Sidonians, the Amalekites and the Maonites oppressed you, you cried out to Me, and I delivered you from their hands.

<sup>13</sup>"Yet you have forsaken Me and served other gods; therefore I will no longer deliver you.

<sup>14</sup>"Go and cry out to the gods which you have chosen; let them deliver you in the time of your distress."

<sup>15</sup>The sons of Israel said to the LORD, "We have sinned, do to us whatever seems good to You; only please deliver us this day."

<sup>16</sup>So they put away the foreign gods from among them and served the LORD; and He could bear the misery of Israel no longer.

<sup>17</sup>Then the sons of Ammon were summoned and they camped in Gilead. And the sons of Israel gathered together and camped in Mizpah.

<sup>18</sup>The people, the leaders of Gilead, said to one another, "Who is the man who will begin to fight against the sons of Ammon? He shall become head over all the inhabitants of Gilead."

### § Hymn

*When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*

No 252

#### Prayer of Confession, Petition and Intercession

### § Psalm

*What Shall I Render to My God*

No 637

#### Scripture Reading

*Hebrews 11:1-16  
(see insert)*

*Pew Bible page 1204*

#### Proclamation of God's Word

*Saving Faith*

*Pastor Martin*

### § Hymn

*I'm Not Ashamed to Own My Lord*

No 505

### § Benediction

*Pastor Martin*

## WELCOME!

If you are visiting Fellowship Presbyterian Church for the first time, we welcome you as you worship with us. Please help us get to know one another by signing the Pew Registry as it is passed. We invite you to return to our evening worship at 6:00 PM. A nursery is provided for all services for children from birth through three years of age.

### SERVICES AND WEEKLY SCHEDULE:

#### Sunday:

10:00 AM: Sunday School  
11:00 AM: Morning Worship  
6:00 PM: Evening Worship

#### Wednesday:

No supper or activities  
this week.



**“Whoever welcomes one of these little children in My name welcomes Me.”**

*We appreciate those assisting in the nursery:*

#### Nursery Workers for Sunday, May 31, 2009:

Sunday School: *Barbara Wilder*  
Morning Worship: *Jeff & Susan Wayne, Brenda Whitaker*  
Evening Worship: *Celanie & Madeline Martin*

#### Nursery Workers for Sunday, June 7, 2009:

Sunday School: *Barbara Wilder*  
Morning Worship: *Kathy & Suzannah Way, Jan Robbins*  
Evening Worship: *Roberta Macedo, Elizabeth Hill*

### SERVING IN MAY:

Elder of the Month: *Larry Poole (268-5514)*  
Deacon of the Month: *Bill Wilder (848-6434)*  
Greeters of the Month: *the Wayne family*  
Ushers: *Troy High & Bill Wilder*

## Fellowship Presbyterian Church

### The Session:

Teaching Elder: *Pastor Martin H. Martin*

#### Ruling Elders:

*Ron Hughey, Dave Lesley, Lafoye Mooney, Larry Poole & Jeff Wayne, Sr.*

### The Diaconate:

Deacons: *Bill Wilder & Sam Stubbs*

### Church Intern:

*Breno Macedo*

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### PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER OUR MISSIONARIES IN PRAYER:

Rev. & Mrs. Jack Campbell: RMI (Clemson)    Rev. & Mrs. Guillermo Salinas: Mexico  
Rev. & Mrs. Clayton Quarterman: Ukraine    Rev. & Mrs. James Buckner: Hong Kong  
Dr. & Mrs. Roger Smalling: Visión R.E.A.L.    Rev. & Mrs. Will Traub: Germany  
Rev. & Mrs. Gary Watanabe: New York City    Rev. & Mrs. Emilio Garofalo: Brazil

## ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS:

**Pew Registry:** *Please help us get to know one another by signing the pew registry (located at the end of each aisle). Thank you!*



### Congratulations Graduates:

*Liz Stubbs will receive a High School Diploma from Riverside High School on Thursday, June 4, 2009.*

*Jeff Wayne, Jr. received an Associate Degree in Computer Technology/ Network Systems from the Greenville Technical College on Tuesday, May 12, 2009.*

**PLEASE NOTE: THERE WILL BE NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER OR ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK; SUMMER SCHEDULE BEGINS JUNE 10.**

### Summer Fellowship & Prayer Time:

*This summer beginning Wednesday, June 10— Wednesday, July 1, we will meet at 6:30 PM for a time of informal prayer.*

*Families are welcome to bring their own “picnic supper” and eat together (starting at 5:30 PM).*

*There will be no organized classes or activities for children; those too young to participate in the prayer time will have a time to play together, supervised by a rotation of parents.*

*Come join us for an “informal” change of pace in our fellowship and prayer together as the body!*

*The June issue of TABLETALK is available (free of charge) to all members and visitors; pick up your copy (in the narthex) today!*

*Having completed the process of nomination, training and examination which is contained in our Book of Church Order, the Session of Fellowship Presbyterian Church has called a congregational meeting for June 28 (following morning worship) for the purpose of voting on Mr. Troy High to serve in the office of Deacon. Please continue to lift this matter in prayer as you make your plans to attend.*

*Calvary Presbytery Jr. High Conference at Awanita: July 20—24; contact Breno Macedo (brenopm@gmail.com or 631-3896) for details.*

### MEN'S FELLOWSHIP & PRAYER BREAKFAST:

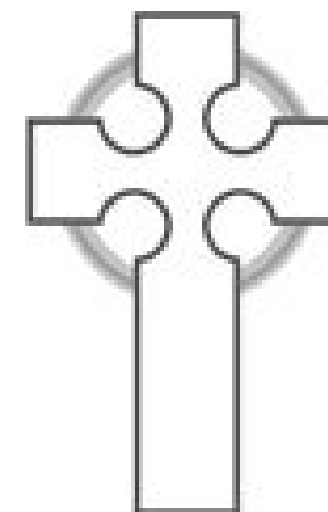
This Saturday, June 6<sup>th</sup>, 7:00—9:00 AM

*sign-up sheet in the narthex.*



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May 31, 2009



*Our purpose is to glorify the Triune God by reconciling the lost to Him through faith in Jesus Christ and equipping the saints to serve Him in every area of life.  
II Corinthians 5:18-19; Matthew 28:19-20*