ROYAL LANE BAPTIST CHURCH

Diverse People United in Christ



The Worship of God Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

July 7, 2019

10:55 A.M.

Worship begins with the Chiming of the Hour and the Voluntary.

Please use this as a time of quiet reflection and prayer,
and to record your attendance in the blue booklet at the end of the pew, and pass it to others.

To help maintain the spirit of worship, please silence all electronic devices.

Please tise in body or in spirit.

Chiming of the Hour

God is the source of our nourishing. Our Lord's invitation to "take and eat ... take and drink" is a repeated one. In holy communion, in the word read and proclaimed, in the assembly of the people of God, the dominion of God has come near. Rejoice! Your name is written in heaven.

Opening Voluntary

David Weigle

We're Marching to Zion — arranged by Eleanor Whitsett

†Call to Worship

Melissa Walker-Luckett & Congregation

Sing praise to God, who changes our mourning to dancing.

Sing praise to Christ, who offers healing to our sickness.

Sing praise to the Spirit, who brings peace to our turmoil.

Sing praise to God who gives us strength for the journey.

Singing God's praises,

we come to worship and pray.

₱Invocation

Congregation

Let us pray:

God of all nations and peoples, your Son commanded his disciples to preach and heal throughout the world. Grant us, by the power of the Holy Spirit, the zeal to proclaim the good news of peace and justice, and gather all humanity into life with you. Amen.

†Hymn 481

Congregation

Go to the World! – SINE NOMINE (stanzas 1-3)

Welcome to Worshipers

Michael Gregg

Christ be with you ... and also with you!

[Please record your attendance in the blue booklet at the end of the pew, and pass it to others.]

Scripture Lesson

David Doom

Luke 10:1-11 16-20 (Pew Bible page 844 of the New Testament) Holy Wisdom, Holy Word ... **Thanks be to God!**

Time of Silent Reflection

Time for Young Disciples

Laura Keller

Children through kindergarten are invited to Godly Play, You may collect your children in the Children's Building following the service.

*Hymn [see insert]

Congregation

Not Alone, but Two by Two — ST. GEORGE'S WINDSOR

Offertory Prayer

Terry Berrier

Offertory

Choir

Here I Am, Lord — arranged by Ovid Young (text: Hymn 482)

Sermon

Reann Tiemann

" Community, Connection and Communion"

†Hymn of Commitment 459

Congregation

Come, Share the Lord — DIVERNON

Please come forward during the singing of this hymn if you wish to confess or reaffirm your faith or identify with this fellowship. A minister will greet and receive you.

Communion

All Believers

May God be with you

And also with you.

Lift your hearts.

We lift them up to God.

Let us give thanks to the God we love.

We freely give God thanks and praise.

(continued)

It is right and good, beautiful and holy that we should, in ceaseless joy Give our thanks and praise to you, Holy and merciful God, Through Jesus Christ, our Savior.

And so, in grateful procession of endless praise With the church that is, was, and shall be forever, We glorify you, joining this unending song:



Communion Prayer & Blessing of Bread & Cup

Michael Gregg

Response

Life's greatest feast before us, We excitedly proclaim:



Dear God, you transform.

You transform all that is before you So that at the touch of your grace We are never the same.

Dear God, you illumine. You bring light to all peoples Light to the nations Light into our hearts Light on your Way.

Dear God, we pray for your Spirit. Transform, illumine, bless. Make these ordinary gifts of bread and cup Into the extraordinary presence of Christ with us.

In so doing, Hold us as your own Renew us as your people For the sake of the world you love.

For all honor and glory are yours, O God, Through Jesus Christ, Who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit in your glorious creation Both now and forever.

Amen.

Lord's Prayer (using trespasses)

The Receiving of Communion

Following the choir, please move by way of the center aisle to partake of communion by intinction* or separate cups.

Gluten free bread is available in the center of the paten. Return via the outside aisles.

^{* -} intinction, the administering of the elements of Communion by dipping the bread in the cup and receiving both together.

Passing of the Peace

Tim Schaefer & Congregation

In the miraculous peace of Christ,

may we share the miracle of peace and love with one another.

The peace of Christ be with you. . . The Peace of Christ be with you always.

*Sung Response Hymn 481

Congregation

Go to the World! — SINE NOMINE (stanza 4)

Go to the world! Go as the ones I send, for I am with you 'til the age shall end, when all the hosts of glory cry "Amen." Alleluia. Alleluia.

Presentation of Decisions

Michael Gregg

Affirmation: Thanks be to God!

*****Sending Forth

Michael Gregg & Congregation

Take nothing for the journey, but go on the journey anyway.

We will go on journeys of service, love, and peace.

Take nothing for the journey, but follow Christ to the end.

We go to bring Christ's presence to the world.

Amen.

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Organ Dismissal

David Weigle

Hymn of Majesty and Power — arranged by Mark Thallander

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Wednesday Evening Sabbatical in July

We are taking off the month of July from Wednesday evening Bible study, dinner, youth and children activities and Sanctuary Choir rehearsal in order to prepare for VBS, the Youth mission trip, and children's camp. We will continue with regularly scheduled Wednesday evenings on August 7 with our Quarterly Church Conference.

Reann Tiemann Today's Preacher

Reann is a Chaplain at Children's Medical Center in Dallas. After completing Chaplain residency training at both Parkland and Children's, she is now in the process of application with ACPE: The Standard for Spiritual Care and Education, to become a Certified Educator Candidate. She plans to continue this educational process with Children's Medical Center. Completion of this program will allow Reann the opportunity to serve as educator to students who enter the CPE program. Reann aspires to enable students to realize their full potential, and strengthen the spiritual health of people in their care as well as themselves.



After growing up in Oklahoma, Reann moved to California to attend Seminary. Her daughters, Mara and Lillie were born in California, and they spent many years in the Bay Area before moving to Texas to be closer to family. They currently live in Van Alstyne, anticipating a move to be closer to the Dallas Metroplex.

Reann found Royal Lane while searching for a faith community that shared her values for diversity, justice, and the expanse of God's love for every person. She is currently in the discernment process for ordination, and feels honored to have a supportive church to explore her future story in the journey of God's love and grace for all persons.

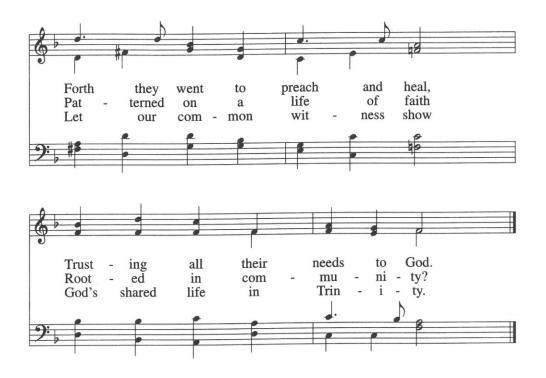
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Not Alone, but Two by Two





Vacation Bible School – July 8-12 6:00 – 8:30 pm — Vickrey Hall

Children from Preschool through Grade 5 are invited to discover the wonder of God's universe at this year's Vacation Bible School.

Register online at https://bit.ly/2Wletfc (Registrations at the door are welcome.)

Glory to God who is able to do far beyond all that we could ask or imagine by God's power at work within us! — Ephesians 3:20



Worship Leaders

Terry Berrier

Terry retired in the spring of 2018 after teaching public school choir for 35 years, most recently as the Choir Director at Wylie East High School. Terry spent fourteen years as the Associate Choir Director at Lake Highlands HS, where she also taught AP Music Theory. She is professionally associated with ACDA, TCDA, and TMEA, and has served TMEA and TCDA both at the Region and State levels. In 2007, she was a recipient of the UIL Sponsor Excellence Award, and was named a top ten RISD STAR teacher for 2010. She and her husband, JJ, live in Richardson. They have three grown children, seven grandsons, one granddaughter, and two spoiled dogs.

David Doom

David joined Royal Lane in July of 2004. He currently serves as Properties Chair and has served Royal Lane as Chair of Personnel and Deacons. David serves on the Altar Guild, the Special Receptions Committee, and as church archivist. As our guest "Chef," he has provided countless meals for the congregation for special celebrations. David sings bass in the choir.

Scriptures for Next Sunday
Amos 7:7-17 Psalm 82
Colossians 1:1-14 Luke 10:25-37

For the Children!

Children's bulletins are available for ages 3-6 and 7-12.

Don't miss the Secret Code to allow your child to unlock on-line games, in a safe environment, that supplement today's scripture at games.childrensbulletins.com/games/playcode.aspx





Please recycle your order of worship in a marked bin.

Schedule for the Week

Sunday	July 7 – Fourth Sunday after Pentecost
12:15 pm	Education Committee — Room 206
Monday	July 8
6:00 pm	Vacation Bible School – Preschool through Grade 5 — Vickrey Hall
Γuesday	July 9
6:00 pm	Vacation Bible School – Preschool through Grade 5 — Vickrey Hall
8:30 pm	Tech Committee — Conference Call
Wednesday	July 10
3:30 pm	No Regular Wednesday Evening Activities
6:00 pm	Vacation Bible School – Preschool through Grade 5 — Vickrey Hall
Γhursday	July 11
6:00 pm	Vacation Bible School – Preschool through Grade 5 — Vickrey Hall
6:30 pm	Missions Committee — Library
Friday	July 12
10:00 am	Second Friday at NDSM (10:00 – 11:30 am)
6:00 pm	Vacation Bible School – Preschool through Grade 5 — Vickrey Hall
Sunday	July 14 – Fourth Sunday after Pentecost
8:30 am	Deacons Meeting — Portable 1
9:30 am	Donuts, Coffee/Juice — Box Gallery
9:45 am	Christian Education — Christian Education Classrooms & Portable 1
10:55 am	Morning Worship — Sanctuary
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The deadline for the order of service, the Midweek, and the Mosaic is Tuesday, 5:00 p.m. prior to publication.

It's Summer Time — Temperatures are Rising and Contributions are Declining! Please help

- Catch up on your contributions
- Give a summertime extra gift or
- Use on-line or credit monthly giving. (Check with Janet on how to do on-line or credit/debit card giving)

Prayer Cards

We invite you to use the Prayer Cards, available in the "pockets" on the back of each pew, to submit prayer requests. These may be placed in the offering plate or handed to a minister or deacon of the week.

Deacons on Call

Godly Play

Rebecca Rempert & Karen Miller

Theresa Helms & Cookie Stokes

Safety Shepherd – Kirsten Fleenor

When WE Give: our children experience spiritual growth in Vacation Bible School.

May 2019 Financials

•	YTD Actual	YTD Adjusted*
Revenues	\$ 315,526	\$ 273,761
Expenses	\$ 304,984	\$ 304,984
Surplus (Deficit)	\$ 10,542	(\$ 31,223)

^{*}One-Time Pledges Amortized Monthly

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The Scripture this morning is Luke 10:1-11, 16-20, which may be found on page 844 of the New Testament of the pew Bible.

10After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. ²He said to them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest. 3Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. 4Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road. 5Whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace to this house!' ⁶And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you. ⁷Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the laborer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. 8Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; 9cure the sick who are there, and say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.' 10 But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, 11'Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near.

¹⁶"Whoever listens to you listens to me, and whoever rejects you rejects me, and whoever rejects me rejects the one who sent me."

¹⁷The seventy returned with joy, saying, "Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!" ¹⁸He said to them, "I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. ¹⁹See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you. ²⁰Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven." *(NRSV)*

Holy Wisdom, Holy Word...Thanks be to God.