



The Tower of Babel by Aba Bayefsky

WORSHIP SERVICE

6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 10, 2026

10:30 AM

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ORDER OF WORSHIP
10:30 A.M.

Gathering

Gathering Chime

Prelude

Andante in G Major

Corelli

Welcome and Announcements

***Introit**

Christ Has Risen

Traditional

1. Christ has ris - en while earth slum - bers,
Christ has ris - en where hope died, as he said and
as he prom - ised, as we doubt - ed
and de - nied. Let the moon em - brace the bless - ing;
let the sun sus - tain the cheer; let the world con -
firm the ru - mor: Christ is ris - en, God is here!

*Call to Worship

How manifold are your works, O Lord!
**In wisdom you have made them all;
the earth is full of your creatures.**

You send forth your spirit,
and they are created;
**and so you renew
the face of the earth.**

I will sing to the Lord as long as I live;
**I will praise my God
while I have my being.**

*Hymn

*O Lord My God
(How Great Thou Art)*

No. 625

Call to Confession

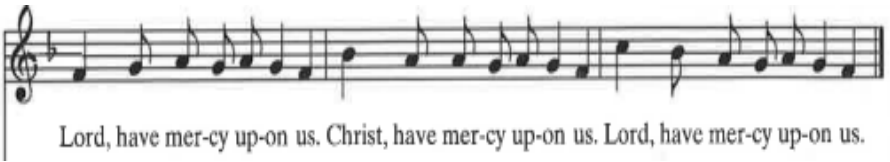
Prayer of Confession

**Without your power, O God, we are lost.
We have done the things we would avoid,
and what you desire, we have not done.
By your purifying fire transform our lives;
guide us into honesty and compassion
so that filled with your peace
our dreams and visions may be one with yours;
through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

Silent Confession

Kyrie

Lord, Have Mercy Upon Us



Assurance of Pardon

Forgive us, Lord, we pray.
Teach us to trust your promise
and to believe the good news of salvation:
Christ is alive; Jesus is risen from the dead. Amen.

*Response

Exsultet

Liam Lawton

Re - joice, re - joice,
gone for-ev-er is the night! Re - joice, re -
joyce, ris - en is the Lord of light!

Word

Prayer for Illumination

Elizabeth White

Scripture Reading Ecclesiastes 3:1-8

One: This is the word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Scripture Reading Genesis 11:1-9

Message

Gathered and Scattered

Paul Lang

In the Beginning: A Year with Genesis

***Hymn**

O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go

No. 833

***Affirmation of Faith** *The Apostles' Creed*

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Time with Our Children

Responding

Reception of New Members

*Doug & Meili Breeden, Rodney & Dionne Delli-Gatti,
Heidi Sue Ross, Susan Spring*

Welcome

Offering

Offertory

Declare the Glory Among the Nations
Chancel Choir

Larson

*Sing to the Lord, sing a new song, all the earth;
Praise his holy name. Declare the glory among the nations;
Sing to the Lord a new song, all the earth.*

*Sing to the Lord, praise his holy name.
Declare the glory among the nations; sing to the Lord a new song.*

*For great is the Lord and worthy of praise.
He should be feared above all gods.
The Lord made the heavens and the earth,
In splendor and majesty he reigns in his dwelling place.*

*Ascribe to the Lord, all nations; ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.
Bring an offering, come into his courts;
worship him in splendor of his holiness.
Sing unto the nations, the Lord reigns!*

*Let the heavens rejoice, let the earth be glad, let the sea resound
And all that is in it. Let the fields and the forest sing for joy.
For the Lord shall come to judge the earth and will sing: The Lord reigns!*

***Doxology** *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* No. 609

***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.
Praise God, all creatures high and low.
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, in Jesus fully known;
Creator, Word, and Spirit one.
Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!***

Joys and Concerns of the Congregation

Lord in your goodness: Hear our praise; Lord in your mercy: Hear our prayer.

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.**

THIS WEEK AT CARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Website and Online Member Directory: www.carypresbyterian.org

Sunday, May 10 Mother's Day	9:15 a.m. 9:15 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	No Children's or MS Sunday School this week Adult Bible Study: Genesis (Parlor) Pastor's Class: The Way of the Heart by Henri Nouwen (FH Annex) Sunday Worship Service (In Person & Online)
Monday, May 11	11:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 6:15 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Abigail Circle (100) Staff Meeting (Parlor) Girl Scout Troop 362 (Youth Area) Friends & Family Vocal Ensemble (Sanctuary) BSA Troop 232G (Fellowship Hall) Cub Scout Pack 232 Den Mtgs. (C. Ed. Bldg.) Preschool Ministry Board (100) Music & Worship Team (Parlor)
Tuesday, May 12	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Christian Fellowship (Zoom) Nominating Team (Parlor) Scout Troop 232B (Youth Area)
Wednesday, May 13	2:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Health & Wholeness Team (Parlor) Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
Thursday, May 14	9:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m.	Connections Group (Parlor/FHA if open) Presbytery Conflict Matters Workshop (FH)
Friday, May 15	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Courage, Strength, & Hope / Alateens (Youth) Al-Anon / Courage, Strength, & Hope (101/102)
Saturday, May 16		
Sunday, May 17	9:15 a.m. 9:15 a.m. 9:15 a.m. 9:15 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 4:00 p.m.	Children's Faith Formation: K-5th Grade (C. Ed. Wing) Middle School Faith Formation (Youth Rooms) Adult Bible Study: Genesis (Parlor) Pastor's Class: (FH Annex) Sunday Worship Service (In Person & Online) Next Chapter (Fellowship Hall)

Friends & Family Vocal Ensemble

Friends and Family Vocal Ensemble Concert

Monday, May 11; 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Join us May 11 as the group shares the gift of sacred words and music. You'll hear works by Tallis, Palestrina, Manz, Miller, and Alice Parker. There will be opportunity for audience hymn singing as well.

There is no charge for this concert.

The nine voice ensemble, directed by Jim White, gathers to enjoy music, food, devotions and fellowship. They enjoy sharing choral music that enriches lives through singing and listening.