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Seventh Sunday after Pentecost – July 7, 2024

THE GATHERING

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Chimes

Prelude

Debbie Watson

Welcome

Claire Baer

Responsive Call to Worship

Leader: All heaven and earth proclaim the majesty of God's creative power!

People: Praise God for the amazing and awesome beauty.

Leader: God has given to us instructions by which to live together in harmony and peace.

People: In these commandments, God has summed up the ways we must respect one another.

Leader: Rejoice in the goodness of God.

People: Let us praise God for God's complete and steadfast love for us.

Written by Nancy C. Townley

Opening Hymn

Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty! – vs. 1, 2 & 4

No. 4

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!

Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee;

holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty,

God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! all the saints adore thee;

casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;

cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,

God ever living, through eternity.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!

All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea;

holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty;

God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

Opening Prayer

Dr. Mark Bender

THE PROCLAMATION

Scripture Reading	<i>Isaiah 6:1-8</i>	Sam Riedel
Children's Message		Dr. Mark Bender
Call to Prayer		Sam Riedel
You shall have no other gods before me. Lord, help us to love you with all our heart, all our soul, all our mind and all our strength. Let us pray...		
Pastoral Prayer and 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 sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.		
Anthem	<i>Song of Adoration (Canto de Adoracion)</i> Ed Hefti, Alto Saxophone; Janelle Olsen, Flute; Debbie Watson, Organ	Teresa Archambo
Sermon	<i>I – The Holiness of God</i>	Dr. Mark Bender

THE RESPONSE

Communion Hymn	<i>All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly – vs. 1 & 3</i>	No. 419
<i>All who hunger, gather gladly; holy manna is our bread Come from wilderness and wand'ring. Here, in truth, we will be fed. You that yearn for days of fullness, all around us is our food. Taste and see the grace eternal. Taste and see that God is good.</i>		
<i>All who hunger, sing together; Jesus Christ is living bread. Come from loneliness and longing. Here, in peace, we have been led. Blest are those who from this table live their days in gratitude. Taste and see the grace eternal. Taste and see that God is good.</i>		

THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation to the Table and Words of Institution	Liz Vernon
Prayers for the Bread & Cup	Fred Gentry & Julia Ward
Partaking of the Bread and Cup	
<i>All believers are invited to share in the Lord's Supper.</i>	

Common Confession

I believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the Living God.

THE OFFERING

Moment for Mission & VBS Team Blessing	Dr. Mark Bender
Offertory	Debbie Watson

Doxology

No. 46

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

Offertory Prayer

THE SENDING

Sent from the Table & Invitation to Discipleship

Sam Riedel

Closing Hymn

Here I Am, Lord – vs. 1 & 2

No. 452

***I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in deepest sin my hand will save.
I who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?
Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my people's pain.
I have wept for love of them, they turn away.
I will bread their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send?
Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.***

Benediction

Dr. Mark Bender

Postlude

Debbie Watson

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Memorials and Honors

In memory of Dorcas Chasteen given by Nick & Linda Gipson.

In memory of Shirley Craft given by Liz Vernon, Nick & Linda Gipson.

Sermon Notes

1. Who knew?

2. The primary orientation of the Ten Commandments

3. A watershed

4. Not warm and fuzzy

5. Coming undone

Announcements

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CALENDAR

Sunday, July 7		
8:40 am	Worship Service	Chapel
9:30 am	Sunday School	
10:45 am	Worship Service	Sanctuary/ Livestream
2:00 pm	Decorating for VBS	Sanctuary
5:00 pm	Youth Fellowship (Grades 6-12)	Room 403/Gym
Monday, July 8		
7:30 am-6:00 pm	Children Come First "CCF" (M-F)	
9:00 am-12:00 pm	Vacation Bible School	Sanctuary
7:30 pm	Boy Scout Troop 15	Fellowship Hall
Tuesday, July 9		
9:00 am-12:00 pm	Vacation Bible School	Sanctuary
1:30 pm	FCC Staff Meeting / Worship Planning	Room 310
3:30 pm	CCF: Kona Ice	East Parking Lot
6:00 pm	Property Ministry Meeting	Room 310
6:30 pm	Common Ground Recovery Ministries Support Groups Anger Management, Parenting, Rebuilding Your Life	Rooms 304, 306, 308
Wednesday, July 10		
7:00 am	Elders' Breakfast	Room 405
9:00 am-12:00 pm	Vacation Bible School	Sanctuary
1:00 pm	Stretch Class	Parlor
Thursday, July 11		
9:00 am-12:00 pm	Vacation Bible School	Sanctuary
6:00-7:30 pm	VBS Family Fun Night	Sanctuary/North Parking Lot/ Fellowship Hall
Friday, July 12		
7:00 am	Men's Breakfast & Bible Study	Hwy Café 2808 Jacksboro Hwy
9:00 am	CCF Music	Room 300
Saturday, July 13		

CMF Men's Breakfast

This Friday, July 12th, 7:00 am
Hwy Café, 2808 Jacksboro Hwy

The Neighborhood

The Neighborhood is taking a break for the summer! We will resume meeting in August/September.

Traveling This Summer?

Stay connected with your church even when you're away. Join the worship livestream at 10:45 am each Sunday morning on Facebook (@fccwf) and YouTube (@firstchristianwf), or call 940.322.1100 to listen to the worship service through your phone. If you can't join in live, you can always catch worship on-demand on both Facebook and YouTube.

YAS Enrollment

Young Ages School continues enrollment for the 2024-25 school year. If you know of anyone looking for a morning preschool program for 3, 4, or 5 year olds, please tell them about our school. We also offer a Transitional Kindergarten class for those kids who need a little more time before heading off to kindergarten. You can find us on Facebook, through the church's website or by calling 940-692-3640 and leaving a message. YAS is on summer break at this time, but they are checking their messages on a regular basis.

Stretch Class

Wednesdays | 1:00 pm | Parlor
with Cindy Hernandez
There is no charge for this class.