

JUNE 30, 2024

MORNING WORSHIP
6TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

10:30 A.M.

*THE GLORIA PATRI

HYMNAL #579

GREETING THE GATHERED: The Love of Jesus Christ be with you!
ALL: And also with you!

THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE | *The Prelude marks the beginning of worship. Please observe silence as the Prelude begins.*

THE CALL TO WORSHIP ---*Psalm 130: 1-5*

Out of the depths I cry to you, O LORD. Lord, hear my voice!

Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my supplications!

If you, O LORD, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand?

But there is forgiveness with you, so that you may be revered.

I wait for the LORD, my soul waits, and in his word I hope.

*THE HYMN OF PRAISE

HYMNAL #262

"God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand"

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

Almighty Father, we enter your presence confessing the things we try to conceal from you and the things we try to conceal from others.

We confess the heartbreak, worry, and sorrow we have caused that makes it difficult for others to forgive us, the times we have made it easy for others to do wrong, and the harm we have done that makes it hard for us to forgive ourselves.

Lord have mercy and forgive us through Christ. Amen.

THE SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION FOR OUR INDIVIDUAL SIN

THE DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

Do not remember the former things, or consider the things of old.

I am about to do a new thing; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it?

-Isaiah 43: 18-19

Friends, believe the good news of the gospel: In Jesus Christ you are forgiven.

Thanks be to God.

THE FIRST READING | Mark 5: 21-43 (*NT p. 39*)

TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

THE ANTHEM

THE SERMON TEXT | Lamentations 3: 22-44 (*OT p. 766*)

THE MESSAGE | "Great is Thy Faithfulness"

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: THE APOSTLES' CREED

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;
he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints;
the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

THE OFFERING & THE OFFERTORY

*THE DOXOLOGY

THE DEDICATION AND PASTORAL PRAYER WITH OUR LORD'S PRAYER

*THE HYMN OF RESPONSE

HYMNAL #276

"Great is Thy Faithfulness"

THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*PASSING THE PEACE AND BEARING CHRIST'S PEACE TO THE WORLD

*THE POSTLUDE

**All Who Are Able Please Stand*

WELCOME & INVITATION

*This church welcomes you, no matter who you are,
where you come from, or why you are here.*

*We are Christ's people,
and this is Christ's place with its doors open wide.*

*If you are passing through, Godspeed;
if you are looking for a home, stay here;
if you need instruction, learn from us as we learn from you.
We invite visitors to join us, but most of all, to return often.*

We are so glad you are here.

Profession of Faith with the Pastor

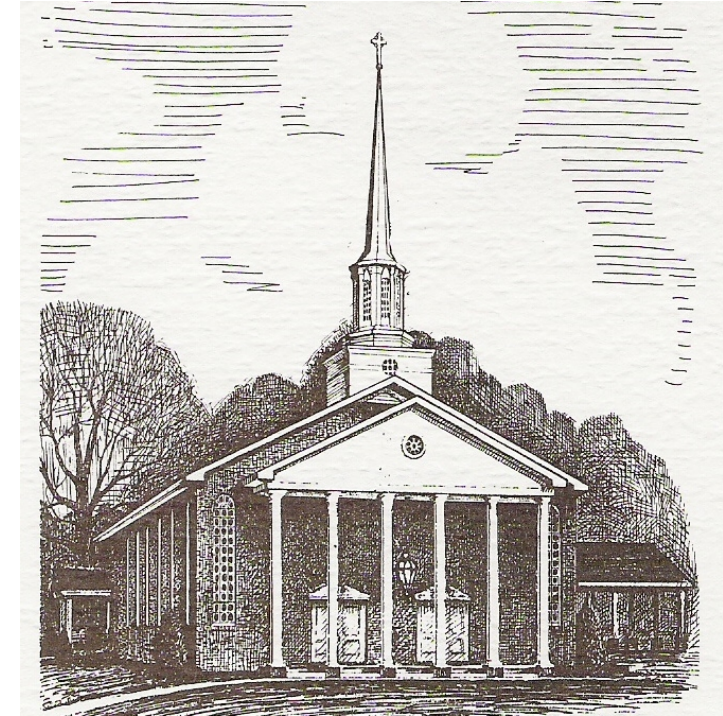
*If you have never made a profession of faith and asked Christ
to be the Lord of your life, Pastor Jody will be happy to help you begin that journey today.
He is available to meet in the Pastor's Study each Sunday immediately following
worship to discuss the gift of salvation God has prepared for us all.
Just ask him during greeting time after worship if he has a few minutes to talk.*

FOR YOUR INFORMATION: The RPC Office is open Monday through Wednesday
9:00 AM – 4:00 PM, & Thursday, 9:00 AM – 12:00 Noon

RPC Staff
Rev. Dr. Jody Hill | Pastor
Jennifer Huddleston | Choir Director
Lynn Hill | Administrator & Pianist
Sue Ellen Miller | Organist

RPC 2024 Session Members
Moderator Rev. Dr. Jody Hill
Class of 2026 | Price Elliott, Vince Jordan, & Ann Wigington
Class of 2025 | Kenny Hill
Class of 2024 | Bobby Elliott & Shea Scott
Clerk of Session | Lynn Hill

Scan with your smart phone for our Website & Virtual Tour



RIPLEY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

*The mission of Ripley Presbyterian Church is to glorify and love God and love people by meeting
them where they are and encouraging them toward a lifelong joyous relationship with Christ.*

Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.

Rev. Dr. Jody Hill | Pastor

Phone: 662-837-3765 (Office)
Mail: P.O. Box 556 Ripley, MS 38663
302 West Cooper Street

www.ripleypresbyterianchurch.com

Please Note...

Our lovely flower arrangement is provided in honor of Jennifer Huddleston, Sue Ellen Miller, Lynn Hill, & the RPC Choir, by the RPC "We Care" Committee.

The RPC office will be closed July 1, 2, & July 4th.



Sanctuary Floral Arrangement dates are available August 4th & 25th, & September 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, & 29th.

To provide flowers in memory/honor of a loved one, contact Lynn Hill (lynn@xcavators-inc., or call/text 662-837-6678).

Contributions to the RPC/PW Flower Fund are greatly appreciated.

If you want a particular date to provide flowers on a Sunday morning, please reserve that date with Lynn in advance. Arrangements typically run \$35 each.

The RPC Organ Maintenance & Upgrade Fund

This special fund is designated toward the maintenance and much-needed upgrades for our pipe organ – one of the very few still in use in the state of Mississippi.

If you would like to contribute toward this fund in honor or memory of an individual, or simply offer a donation, please make out your check to

“Ripley Presbyterian Church” and write “RPC Organ Fund” in the memo line.

RPC Weekly Financial Update

RPC Weekly 2024 Budget: \$3,148.67 Offering Received 6/23/24: \$4,437.00

Worship Attendance 6/23/24: 61



RPC JUNE MISSION FOCUS | Mission Haven

Goal: \$500. Total Collected as of 6/23/24: \$1,223.00

- Mission Haven provides affordable short-term housing and friendly hospitality to mission co-workers of the Presbyterian Church (USA).
- Mission Haven furnishes a Clothes Closet of donated clothing for the missionary families as well as for students at local seminaries.
- Mission Haven offers prayers and spiritual support and is located adjacent to Columbia Theological Seminary in Decatur, Georgia.
- Mission Haven is supported and operated by Presbyterian Women in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, South Carolina and Tennessee and is a 501 (c) (3) organization.

PRAYER LIST FOR IMMEDIATE NEEDS

Tommy Covington, Randle & Sue Huddleston, Talana Flake, Luke Hill, Cathy Dunaway & her grandson Johnny Walker, Pembroke Bonham, William Bonham, Kathleen Williams, Starke Farrell, Kenneth Hill, Rev. Dr. Jody Hill, Hank Nelson (infant), John Wall, Jamie Wall, Carl Witt, Shirley Huddleston, David Morrow, Donna Daniel, Laura Hines, Dr. Sharon Enzor, Robert Hughes, Melrose Roberson, Tracey Stewart, Mickey Hill, Hannah H. Jones, Baby Parker, Yadira Romo, Emily Newton, Donnie Cousar, Gunner Duncan, Deanna Hartman, Jane Tisdale, Freddy Daniel, Sam Buchanan, Jackie Cooksey, Helen Parks, Carolyn Dickerson Burge, Brad Sullivan, Wayne Steverson, Anne Elliott, Ali Rae Barkley, Tina Sanford, Gayle & Harvey Childers, Leah & Miles Harrell.

If you wish to have a name removed or added to this list, please contact the church office.

Our Deepest Sympathies to....

The family of Kenneth Dean
The family of Michael Ragland
The family of Margorie Wasley

Our Homebound, Assisted Living & Nursing Home Residents

Lorenzo Medford, Laron Shannon, Carolyn Caviness, Johnny Cappleman