

**PRELUDE** *All Who Are Thirsty* Brown & Robertson  
Caroline Childrey, soloist

**CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP** *Fill My Cup, Lord* Richard Blanchard

**\*INVOCATION AND LORD’S PRAYER** Marie Sumerel

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass 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

**\*PASSING OF THE PEACE** Marie Sumerel

**WELCOME AND OPPORTUNITIES** Amy Kemp

*Thank you for choosing to worship with us at The Ridge today! If you are visiting, please fill out one of the green cards on the back of the pew and place it in the offering plate at the end of the service. We’re so glad to have you here, and we’re grateful to know of your presence with us.*

**RESPONSIVE READING** *Psalms 29* Amy Kemp

Ascribe to the LORD, O heavenly beings, ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.

**Ascribe to the LORD the glory of his name; worship the LORD in holy splendor.**

The voice of the LORD is over the waters; the God of glory thunders, the LORD, over mighty waters.

**The voice of the LORD is powerful; the voice of the LORD is full of majesty.**

The voice of the LORD flashes forth flames of fire.

**The voice of the LORD causes the oaks to whirl; in his temple all say, “Glory!”**

The LORD sits enthroned over the flood; the LORD sits enthroned as king forever.

**May the LORD give strength to his people! May the LORD bless his people with peace!**

**SCRIPTURE READING** *Isaiah 6:1-8; Romans 8:12-17* Marie Sumerel

LEADER: These are the scriptures of God for the people of Christ.

**PEOPLE: May the Spirit grant us understanding.**

**\*HYMN 398** (Green) *Baptized in Water* BUNESSAN

**SCRIPTURE READING** *John 3:1-17* Liz Peacock

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**PEOPLE: May the Spirit grant us understanding.**

**SERMON** *Complicated, Comprehensive* Trey Davis

**ANTHEM** *10,000 Reasons* arr. by Lloyd Larson

**BAPTISMAL RESPONSIVE READING<sup>1</sup>**

At the creation God’s Spirit swept over the surface of the waters. God divided the waters into sky and sea and created the dry land. God called forth light and brought life from the face of the deep.

**God our creator makes all things new: Give God thanks and praise.**

God brought Noah, his family, and all kinds of creatures through the waters of the flood to live in faithfulness and peace. The bow in the clouds is the sign of the covenant of peace that God has made with the earth and every living being.

**God’s steadfast love endures forever: Give God thanks and praise.**

By a strong east wind, the Lord drove back the waters of the sea, and the Hebrew slaves of Pharaoh crossed the sea on dry land. God’s awesome might brings God’s people through the waters to a new life of freedom.

**God has given us a marvelous victory: Give God thanks and praise.**

John baptized Jesus in the waters of the Jordan. When Jesus came up from the river, he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and heard a voice from heaven saying, “This is my Son, the Beloved.”

**God sends Jesus, the anointed One, to preach peace: Give God thanks and praise.**

In the waters of baptism we are buried with Christ, and as Christ was raised from the dead, so we will rise with Christ and walk with him in newness of life.

**By Jesus’ death and resurrection we are given life: Give God thanks and praise.**

**BAPTISM** *Evanna Edward, candidate*

**PRAYER OF DEDICATION** Liz Peacock

**\*HYMN OF COMMITMENT 437** (Green) *Wherever He Leads I’ll Go* FALLS CREEK

*During this hymn, we invite you to reflect upon your relationship with God and your commitment to Christian service. If you would like to make a commitment to Christ or to become a member of Ridge Road Baptist Church, we invite you to come forward to speak with a pastor.*

**\*PASTORAL BENEDICTION** Trey Davis

*As we go out into the world, we look for opportunities to share our blessings with others. If you would like to contribute to the ministry here at Ridge Road Baptist Church, offering plates are available on the altar up front for your gifts.*

**\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE** *Wherever He Leads I’ll Go* FALLS CREEK

*Wherever He leads I’ll go, Wherever He leads I’ll go;  
I’ll follow my Christ who loves me so, Wherever He leads I’ll go.*

**POSTLUDE** *Make Me a Blessing* Wilson & Shuler

*\*please stand as you are able*

<sup>1</sup>From *Season of Light and Hope*, by Blair Gilmer Meeks. Copyright 2005 by Abington Press. Used by permission. All rights reserved.

*We welcome to worship today guest soloist Caroline Childrey. Caroline is a recent graduate of Broughton High School and will attend NC State in the fall. We are grateful for her service and leadership with us this morning.*

# MISSIONS UPDATE

## FOUSHEE ANNUAL OFFERING JUNE 1-30, 2022

In 2020 Ridge Road Baptist renewed our Encourager Church Covenant with the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship and Laura and Carson Foushee, CBF Field Personnel to Japan.

In this covenant, our church agreed to:

-Give prayer support by regularly praying for the Foushees and their ministry. (Prayer requests are posted in the RRBC Weekly Updates and bulletins.)

-Provide financial support through the individual contributions of church members and additional support provided during an annual special offering. This special annual offering, held this month, helps to fund their day to day ministry activities. If you have been following their monthly email newsletter, you know that in August they will be relocating to the city of Kanazawa, Japan to serve in partnership with the Kanazawa Baptist Church.



Prayerfully consider how you will support this young couple in their ministry activities. Please be sure to note "Foushee Gift" on any contributions.

Follow the highlights of the Foushees' lives and ministry work in Japan by clicking the link to their monthly newsletter in our RRBC Weekly Update. If you are unable to access it online, contact Bonnie or Amy Kemp (919-787-2720) or the church office, We want every one to enjoy it as much as we do!

### REMEMBER IN PRAYER

#### Church Members:

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| Betty Duke      | Joe Ellen       |
| Martha Flynn    | Felicia Goodman |
| Terry Kemp      | Patricia Lynn   |
| Linda Pleasants | Helen Prevette  |

#### Family and Friends:

- Linda Creech (mother of Paige Kay)
- Linda DeSchreiber (niece of Jane Edwards)
- John & Jennifer LeMay (daughter and son-in-law of Jo Cresimore)
- Ashley Lynn (niece of Patricia Lynn)
- Marygena Lynn (sister-in-law of Patricia Lynn)
- Martha Marcom (cousin of Patricia Lynn)
- Patsy Small (mother of Sue Johnson)
- Tommy Jenkins (former member)

### DEACON OF THE DAY

Today.....Ashlee Kirk

Next Week (June 19).....Charlotte Craver

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*The Ridge Road Baptist Church extends its sincerest sympathy to the Moriah Karen Congregation following the passing of their pastor, Rev. Gentle Crown. Please remember the family, congregation, and friends during this time of loss.*