

MORNING WORSHIP

July 26, 2026

Nine O’Clock

THE GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

*Those who are able, please stand

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND NOTICES

GATHERING PRAYER

INTROIT

“O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go”

By George Matheson

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 119

Leader: The decrees of the Lord are wonderful,

People: The unfolding of God’s word gives light and understanding.

Leader: Turn to us, O God, and be gracious to us.

People: Make your face shine upon your servants.

All: We come together to worship the living God.

*HYMN (Insert)

“This Is My Song”

FINLANDIA

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of grace, we want to understand what the kingdom of heaven is like, but our minds are clouded by cares and concerns of the world. We fail to trust your power, hidden in all things. We fail to watch for you, working out your purposes in mysterious ways. We fail to be whole-hearted in our faith and discipleship. We fail to put our trust in the treasures of your kingdom instead of the treasures of the world. Gracious God, hidden and manifest, give us eyes to see and ears to hear your good news for the world even here and now. Transform our lives and our world by your grace. Silent prayer of confession.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel!

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

PASSING OF THE PEACE

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

A MESSAGE FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION		
SCRIPTURE LESSON		Matthew 13: 31 -33, 44-52 Pew Bible page 14
SERMON		Rev. Allyson Anderson
RESPONDING TO THE WORD		
*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (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.		
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER (page 35 hymnal)		
INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP AND CALL TO OFFERING		
OFFERTORY ANTHEM	“My Jesus I Love Thee” <i>Jim Hudson, tenor</i>	arr. Dan Forrest
PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS		
To give: Text QUAIL HOLLOW(no space) to 7047349818		
*DOXOLOGY (Hymn 606)		OLD HUNDREDTH
*PRAYER OF DEDICATION (in unison)		
We give you thanks, O God, for the many blessings that You have bestowed upon us. As from even the smallest of seeds, Your kingdom grows, bless our tithes, gifts and offerings, that they may be magnified for your use, and bless us that we might be ever more faithful in your work of reconciliation, love and joy. In Christ’s name we pray. Amen.		
BEARING AND FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD		
*HYMN 757	“Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples”	KINGSFOLD
*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION		
*POSTLUDE		

ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you are a guest today, we're happy you're here!

Please complete a welcome card so we can reach out to you in a more personal way. Scan the QR code for an online welcome card or use the card in the pew. Children are welcome in worship! If you prefer, childcare is available in the room off the Narthex for children 5 and under.



Text to Give You will notice that we have a new “text to give” phone number. This new number links to Shelby, the program that will replace REALM. To ensure that your donation goes toward the Quail Hollow Campus, please be sure to select one of the Quail Funds at the bottom of the list of funds.

Make Checks Payable As you continue to faithfully give toward the mission and witness of Quail Hollow as “one” with Selwyn Avenue Presbyterian Church, please make all checks payable to Selwyn Avenue Presbyterian Church - Quail Campus or SAPC-Quail Campus.

All giving specified for the Quail Campus will be used for our campus. If you primarily give by bank check or stock, please contact the church office for new deposit information. Thank you so much for your cooperation!

Church Member Database Reminder As part of the transition, we will phase out the use of Realm soon. You should have received an invite from Marsha Cooper to Shelby. We encourage you to log in to the new program as it will give you access to the Quail Campus Directory, your giving, and your profile. Please note that by the time you log in, your giving profile should at least reflect your 1st quarter giving, but may also reflect giving made in the 2nd Quarter. Please email the church office at church@qhpc.org if you do not receive an email.

2nd Sundays of Summer Come experience a joy-filled summer of connection, laughter, and community! We don't want the 2nd Sunday fun to end over the summer. Join us during and after worship on Second Sundays this summer!

August 9 — Food Truck VBS Celebration. Come learn how we were on a Roll with God!

September 13 — Blessing of the Backpacks

Vacation Bible School Registration is open. Elementary VBS will be offered August 4-6, 9 am-1 pm, on the Quail campus for ages 4-10. The cost is \$60. The Quail campus will be using the curriculum *On a Roll with God*.

We've made online giving even more convenient!

Scan the QR code to go straight to the new Shelby giving page.



Portions of today's liturgy were adapted from the Presbyterian Outlook.

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Soloist

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this is my home, the country where my heart is;
here are my hopes, my dreams, my holy shrine:
but other hearts in other lands are beating
with hopes and dreams as true and high as mine.

Congregation

My country's skies are bluer than the ocean,
and sunlight beams on cloverleaf and pine;
but other lands have sunlight too, and clover,
and skies are everywhere as blue as mine:
O hear my song, thou God of all the nations,
a song of peace for their land and for mine.

May truth and freedom come to every nation;
may peace abound where strife has raged so long;
that each may seek to love and build together,
a world united, righting every wrong;
a world united in its love for freedom,
proclaiming peace together in one song.

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This is my prayer, O God of all earth's kingdoms,
your kingdom come; on earth your will be done.
O God, be lifted up till all shall serve you,
and hearts united learn to live as one.
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