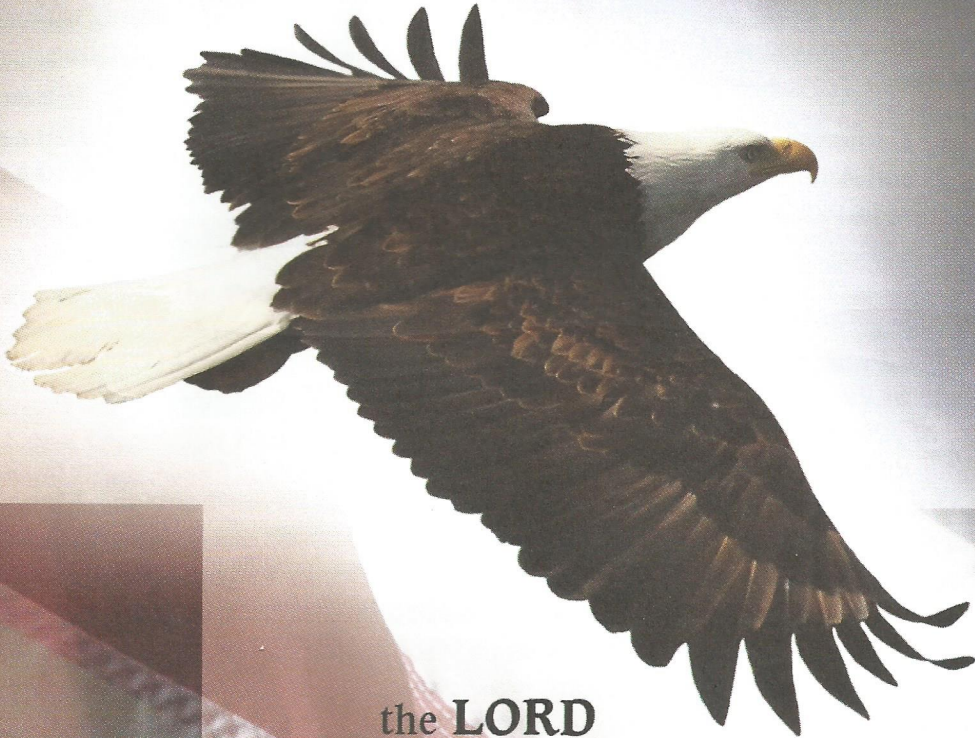


The LORD
will give
STRENGTH
unto his
people;



the LORD
will
BLESS
his people
with peace.

Psalm 29:11

PATRIOTIC SUNDAY
SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
June 26, 2011

**“THE LORD IS IN HIS HOLY TEMPLE;
LET ALL THE EARTH KEEP SILENCE BEFORE HIM”**

*Blue Prayer slips are collected during the Second Hymn
Congregation stand (for all who can comfortably do so)

WE PREPARE FOR WORSHIP

Music for Gathering	9:20 a.m.
Greetings and Announcements	9:30 a.m.
Introduction to Patriotic Sunday	

WE WORSHIP IN PRAISE

*Hymn #563 “Lift Every Voice and Sing” *Lift Every Voice*
*Entrance of the Colors
*Pledge of Allegiance
*Morning Prayer

ONE: Almighty God, you have given us this good land as our heritage. Make us always remember your generosity and constantly do your will. Bless our worship on this Patriotic Sunday as we give thanks to you. Bless our land with honest industry, sound learning, and an honorable way of life. Save us from violence, discord, and confusion; from pride and arrogance, and from every evil way. When times are prosperous, let our hearts be thankful; and, in troubled times, do not let our trust in you fail.

ALL: “Almighty God, ruler of all the peoples of the earth, forgive we pray, our shortcomings as a nation; purify our hearts to see and love truth; give wisdom to our counselors and steadfastness to our people; and bring us at last to the fair city of peace, whose foundations are mercy, justice, and goodwill, and whose builder and maker you are; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.” *Woodrow Wilson (1856-1924)*

Music “God Bless the USA” Pickaway Brass

WE WORSHIP IN PROCLAMATION

First Scripture Reading

Psalm 98

OT p. 551

Message		Wallace Higgins
Anthem	"The Battle Hymn of the Republic"	Chancel Choir
Second Scripture Reading	Galatians 5:1,13-15	NT p. 190
Message		Rev. Troy S. Braswell
Anthem	"Hold Us Together"	Praise & Worship Band
Affirmation of Faith –Confession of 1967 (9.45)		

God's reconciliation in Jesus Christ is the ground of the peace, justice, and freedom among nations which all powers of government are called to serve and defend. The church, in its own life, is called to practice the forgiveness of enemies and to commend to the nations as practical politics the search for cooperation and peace. This search requires that the nations pursue fresh and responsible relations across every line of conflict, even at risk to national security, to reduce areas of strife and to broaden international understanding.

WE WORSHIP IN PRAYER AND STEWARDSHIP

The Offering of the People
 The Offertory Meditation on "O Beautiful for Spacious Skies"
James Southbridge

Services Salute (please do not applaud until finished)
 Coast Guard, Air Force, Navy, Marines, Army
 Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

WE GO TO WORSHIP IN SERVICE

*Hymn "The Star Spangled Banner"
 *Special Music "The Stars and Stripes Forever" Pickaway Brass

*Benediction
 *Withdrawal of the Colors
 *Taps
 *Ringing of the Bell
Please meditate in silence.
 *Postlude Festival Fanfare on "God of Our Father" J. Wayne Kerr

You are invited to Campbell Hall for Coffee Hour fellowship and refreshments.

THANK YOU TO ALL THE PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY'S SERVICE

~~Expanded Chancel Choir, Rita Painter, Director~~

~~Derek Sauerbrun, Percussion~~

~~Kirk Knecht, Trumpet~~

~~Jeremy Hatfield, Trumpet~~

Jack Mader, Organist

The Pickaway Brass –

Jeff Mathew, Trumpet

Laura Bethel, Trumpet

Eric Dieterich, Sousaphone

Jarrad Mathew, Trombone

Becky Ohlinger, English Horn

Pat Beathard, Pianist

AMVETS Color Guard #2256

Speakers

Wallace Higgins

Rev. Troy Braswell

Jennifer Sneed

The Presbyterian Praise Band - Laura Lamb, Director

Derek Sauerbrun, Percussion

Teresa Ankrom, Keyboard

Ben Ankrom, Guitar

Betsy McFarland, Vocalist

Rev. Troy Braswell, Vocalist

Darrell Smith, Vocalist

The flag, hanging from the west balcony, flew above the nation's Capitol Building on October 4, 2000.