

# SUMMER IN BABYLON



11:00 ~ SUNDAY, JUNE 26, 2016

**WELCOME and RELATIONSHIPS of PEACE**

**VBS 5<sup>th</sup> GRADE PRESENTATION – Trashcan Drumline**

**OPENING HYMN “Open Up the Heavens”**

**INVOCATION**

P: In the name of the Father, and of the ☐ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

**CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION**

P: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

**C: But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

P: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

**C: Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways to the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

P: Almighty in his mercy has given his Son to die for you and for his sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

**HOLY GOSPEL Luke 8:16-18 [NIV 84]**

<sup>16</sup>“No one lights a lamp and hides it in a jar or puts it under a bed. Instead, he puts it on a stand, so that those who come in can see the light. <sup>17</sup>For there is nothing hidden that will not be disclosed, and nothing concealed that will not be known or brought out into the open. <sup>18</sup>Therefore consider carefully how you listen. Whoever has will be given more; whoever does not have, even what he thinks he has will be taken from him.”

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God!**

**VBS SONG “He is the Light”**

**CHILDREN’S MESSAGE**

**SERMON SONG “Mighty to Save”**

**SERMON “DANIEL 6”**

**OFFERING “This Little Light of Mine”**

*2016 VBS Kids*

**PEOPLE of PEACE in PRAYER**

*Father in Heaven:*

• ***Peace, comfort and healing*** for Bobby Wilcox-recovering from surgery; Bill Christensen (son of Jan Casey)-recovering from a stent procedure after heart attack like symptoms; Liz White (friend of John and Gretchen Grow)- recovering from back surgery; the family of Evelyn Smith (mother of Michael W. and Vicki Smith)-died June 4.

***Celebrate and rejoice*** with Dan and Carol Brown (52 yrs); Joel and Grace White (34 yrs)-celebrating their wedding anniversaries today, June 26.

• ***Wisdom and courage*** to our Elders and Shut-ins.

**THE LORD’S PRAYER** *The Family Prayer of the People of God*

**CONNECT**

- **Patriotic Salute | Sunday, July 3 | 5:00-8:00p | Food & Family Activities**
- **Parade of Pies | Patriotic Salute | Bring your favorite pie!**
- **Patriotic Salute Choir | 4 Short Rehearsals | Perform on July 3**
  - Rehearsals on Sunday, June 26 @ 12:15p
  - Rehearsal on Wednesday, June 29 @ 6:30p
  - Rehearsal on Saturday, July 2 @ 10:00a
- **Music Camp 2016 | August 8-12 | 9am-Noon | Registration Now Open!**

**CLOSING VBS SONG “Everywhere I Go”**

**BENEDICTION**

## POSTLUDE

SERMON: *Rev. James L. Mueller*  
LITURGIST: *Rev. Morgan Hamilton*

