

Service of Worship and Praise to God

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost
July 6, 2008

Liturgical Color: White
9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

The Greeting Rev. Billy Kimbrel
Please register your attendance on the pads found in each pew

The Prelude *Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory* arr. W. Steffe
Grace Daniel, organ and Deborah Walker, piano

The Introit *God of Our Fathers/Faith of Our Fathers* arr. O. D. Hall
Men's Quartet
David Cleveland, William Jackson, Michael O'Neill, Kevin Tolbert

*The Hymn of Praise 697 *America*

*The Affirmation of Faith 881 *The Apostles' Creed*
Krissy Pope

*The Gloria Patri 70 *Glory Be to the Father*

The Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer Rev. Billy Kimbrel

The Special Music *America the Beautiful* arr. J. Schaum
Jane Kimbrel and Deborah Walker, two pianos

The Reception of New Members (9:00 a.m.)
Bill and Ruth Echelmeyer

People: We rejoice to recognize you as members of Perry United Methodist Church, and with you we renew our vows to uphold it by our prayers, our presence, our gifts and our service. Go forth in peace and be of good courage. Hold fast to that which is good, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit. And the blessings of God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, be with you and remain with you forever. Amen.

*The Hymn of Preparation 437 *This Is My Song*
(At 11:00 a.m. children 4 years old - 2nd grade will depart for Children's Church)

The Dedication of Our Tithes and Offerings Rev. Kimbrel

The Offertory *America the Beautiful* arr. R. Koury
organ

*The Doxology 94 LASST UNS ERFREUEN
*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

The Anthem *Salute to the Armed Forces* arr. C. Kirkland
The Sanctuary Choir

Those who have served in the military are invited to stand as their service
song is sung: **Coast Guard, Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines**

The Scripture Reading Rev. Fall

The Congregational Response to the Word
Leader: The grass withers and the flower falls,
But the word of the Lord abides forever!
People: Thanks be to God.

The Sermon Rev. Fall

*The Hymn of Commitment 717 *The Battle Hymn of the Republic*

*The Benediction Rev. Fall

*The Postlude Fantasia on “*God of Our Fathers*” arr. R. Koury
organ

* Stand as able

Evening Worship
Rev. Billy Kimbrel

7:00 p.m.

Special Music

Tara Johnson, soloist

**The Altar Flowers are placed in memory and honor of those
who have served our country, the United States of America.**

Rev. Jenny Jackson-Adams, Senior Pastor
Rev. Roland Fall, Associate Pastor for Congregational Care
Rev. Billy Kimbrel, Associate Pastor for Evangelism
Krissy Pope, Children's Pastor and Dir. Of Christian Ed.
Kyle Kuhn, Youth Minister
Jane Kimbrel, Minister of Music
Miriam Marchetti, Music Associate/Pianist
Grace Daniel, Organist
Deborah Walker, Pianist