

# Service Of Worship

Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

October 9, 2016

## WORSHIP THROUGH PRAISE

Musical Worship Prelude

Aaron and Shpresa Smith

Announcements and Welcoming

\*Striking of the Hour

\*Responsive Call to Worship

**Pastor:** How blessed is the man who does not walk in the counsel of the wicked. Nor stand in the path of sinners. Nor sit in the seat of scoffers!

**People:** But his delight is in the law of the Lord. And in His law he meditates day and night.

\*Invocation and Lord's Prayer

\*Hymn of Praise

*O Worship the King*

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Children's Story Time

Mission Moment – Aaron and Shpresa Smith

## WORSHIP THROUGH MEDITATION

\*Hymn of Preparation

*Jesus Calls Us*

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Morning Prayer

Choral Response

## WORSHIP THROUGH STEWARDSHIP

Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Music

\*Offertory

*Doxology*

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## WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

Choral Selection

Choir

Scripture Reading

James 1:22-25

Sermon

*Get Involved*

Rev. Thompson

## WORSHIP THROUGH DEDICATION

\*Hymn of Invitation

*Father, I Adore You*

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\*Benediction

\*Choral Response

Choir

\*Chiming of the Trinity

\*Extinguishing of the Candles of Worship

\*Time of Fellowship and Friendly Greeting

\*All who are able please stand

# Happenings

**Welcome!** We welcome all those who worship with us today. If you are a guest, we want to give you a special welcome. Please fill out a Guest card, located at each end of the pews, and give to the Minister or place it in the offering plate. If you are looking for a church home, we would count it an honor to have you make it here. A staffed **Nursery** is available for small children through the doors at the front right side of the sanctuary. We have a Children's Worship Time during the "Sermon" time. Children ages 3 yrs. old through 2nd grade leave following the Offertory.

**The flowers** on the altar are given to the glory of God and in honor of Corbitt and Amanda Thomas who were married on October 8.

**The Well Wishers** will be taking a trip to the North Carolina Mountains on Thursday, October 20. The bus will be leaving by 9:00 a.m. and return by early evening. No sign up required – just show up!

### Sunday: 10:00 Sunday School

10:55 **Worship Service** – We are privileged to have the Smiths here today. They'll be sharing their mission work in Kosovo with us. We will be receiving a love offering after worship for them. They will be available in the Narthex after church to talk with you and answer your questions. We know you'll be touched by their sweet spirits!

3:00 **Younger Youth**

4:30-6:00 **Middle School Youth**

5:30 **High School Youth**

### Monday: 10:30 Day Circle

7:00 **Nominating Committee** meeting

7:00 **Cub Scouts**

### Wednesday: 10:30 Bible Study

7:00 **Bible Study**

7:00 **Boy Scouts**

### Thursday: 7:00 The Serenity Circle

will meet at the home of Pam Gunter.

### Friday – Sunday: Youth Retreat

### Saturday: 11:00-1:00 Ladies Luncheon

### Next Sunday: 8:30 Men's Fellowship

10:55 **Food Cart** will roll.

7:00 **The Church Council** meets in McFarland Hall. All Council members should be present with their reports.

There will be a "**Fall**"ing for **Jesus Bash** on Sunday, October 23 from 4:00-6:00. This is in place of usual Halloween activity. It is open to all children. We need donations of candy, small prizes, chips, cupcakes for the cake walk, and drinks. You can choose from the post it notes that will be in the Narthex on Sunday.

We have scheduled a **Congregational Meeting** for Sunday, October 23 following the Worship Service to consider recommendations from the Church Council (pending) on calling the Rev. Samuel (Marty) Johnston, Jr. as our Associate Pastor, plus adopting a budget and slate of officers for 2017, and our annual corporate meeting. We hope you can be present for this important meeting.

This is the month for **jelly** for our CUOC cart. We are all responsible and accountable for caring for the hungry, and those in crisis. Personal hygiene items are desperately in need. Please remember to add a few with your **jelly**. Thanks.

### Ministry Assistants

**Acolytes:** Jackson Godfrey, Griff Griffin

**Next Sunday:** Keaton Haas, Darah Douglas

**Deacon:** Gary Bullock

