

Service of Worship

Third Sunday after Pentecost Father's Day June 18, 2023

Musical Worship Prelude/Lighting of Candles

Welcome and Announcements

Special Music *It Is Well With My Soul* Willie Bird

*Time of Greeting/Striking of the Hour

*Responsive Call to Worship

Pastor: Abide in Jesus, so that when he appears we may have confidence and not shrink from him in shame at his coming.

People: See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that should be called children of God; and so we are.

*Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Children's Story Time

Honoring our Graduates

WORSHIP THROUGH MEDITATION

*Hymn of Preparation *Faith of Our Fathers* #352

WORSHIP THROUGH STEWARDSHIP

WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

Morning Prayer

Special Music Choir

Children are dismissed for Children's Worship Time

Scripture 1 John 4:7-10

Sermon *Because God is Love* Dr. Burmahl

WORSHIP THROUGH DEDICATION

*Hymn of Invitation *Lord, I Need You* Willie Bird

Choral response

Giving of our Tithes and Offerings

*Time of Fellowship and Friendly Greeting

*All who are able please stand

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 it 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 fifth grade leave during the Offertory. Children may be picked up from the McFarland Hall following Worship.

Sunday: 10:00 **Sunday School**

10:55 **Worship Service**

Wednesday: 7:00 **Boy Scouts**

Next Sunday: 10:00 **Membership Class** in the Library.

If there are any **corrections to the Directory**, please write it down and put it in the office or the box outside of the office. We will be making something to add to your directory with the corrections.

The June item for **CUOC is honey**. Please pick up a couple of jars with some personal hygiene items and place them in the box in the Narthex.

VBS Help Needed: We need volunteers to help pass out flyers for VBS at Eames and Winslow Drive on Saturday, July 8. We are also in need of people to ride the bus to pick-up and drop-off students during the week of VBS. There are sign-up sheets on the table in the narthex. If you have any questions, please see Catherine Griffin.

Shallow Well Youth are sending 19 students to **Camp Caswell July 31-August 5**. The cost of the trip is \$363 for each student. If you feel led to help sponsor a student to offset the cost, there are donation forms in the Narthex.

There is a need for **Greeters**. If you would be interested in doing this, please see Judy Watson or Dr. Burmahl.

The items for June for **Operation Christmas Child** are hair bands, hair clips, small foam balls, jump ropes, and playing cards. Please pick up some of these items and place them in the box in the Narthex.

The Well Wishers will be going to Peadens Seafood on Thursday, June 29. They will be leaving at 4:30. If you are interested in going, please call Larry or Patricia Thomas.

Deacon on Call: John Godfrey
Next Sunday: Dawn Morris