

Service of Worship

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

October 15, 2023

Musical Worship Prelude/Lighting of Candles

Welcome and Announcements

Special Music

Waymaker

Well Worshippers

*Time of Greeting/Striking of the Hour

*Responsive Call to Worship

Pastor: I will bless the Lord at all times; his praise shall continually be in my mouth.

People: Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good! Blessed is the one who takes refuge in him!

*Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Children's Story Time

WORSHIP THROUGH MEDITATION

*Special Music

To God Be the Glory

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WORSHIP THROUGH STEWARDSHIP

WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

Morning Prayer

Special Music

Choir

Children are dismissed for Children's Worship Time

Scripture

1 Timothy 4:6-10

Sermon

Ministry Excellence

Dr. Eric Burmahl

WORSHIP THROUGH DEDICATION

*Hymn of Invitation

Christ Is Mine Forevermore

Well Worshippers

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**

1:30 **Choir practice**

4:00 **Youth**

4:00 **Women of the Well**

Monday: 9:30 Bus trip to Southern

Supreme.

7:00 **Cub Scouts**

Tuesday: 10:00 Learn and Lunch

Wednesday: 7:00 Bible Study

7:00 **Boy Scouts**

The October item for CUOC is **canned meat. There is a great need for the canned meats and canned fruits.** Please pick up a couple of cans with some personal hygiene items and place them in the box in the Narthex.

Please join us for our first "Swing for the Promise" Golf Tournament on Monday November 6, 2023. We are looking for Sponsors, Teams, and Golfers! You can register online at charitygolftoday.com/swingforapromise. Flyers are on the table in the Narthex. The deadline to register is coming quickly...October 24, 2023!

The Fall Festival is scheduled for Saturday, October 28 from 4:00-7:00. There will be a truck or treat, games, bouncy house, and a hayride to go roast marshmallows. We will again have a Chili cook off. There is a sign-up sheet in the Narthex to sign up if you would decorate a trunk, make chili, bring cornbread or chips, and cheese. **Please bring candy for the trunk-or-treat.**

FYI: At the first of the month, there are paper copies of the newsletter on the table in the Narthex. If you would like one, please pick up a copy.

Items needed for the OCC shoeboxes are: 11 bars of soap; 15 notebooks, 13 jump ropes, 11 small balls, and 61 colored pencils. Please pick a couple of items and place them in the box in the Narthex.

The items for the **Silent Auction** are on display. Please check them out and bid on the ones you would like to have. Final bids will be October 29th.

Deacon on Call: Judy Watson

Next Sunday: John Godfrey

Greeters: Margaret and Phil McKinney, Audra, and Alex McKenzie; Lora and Lilly Currin.

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