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Bulletin

Our Mission

“Building relationships of Justice, Faith and Hospitality to bring God’s love to all people.”

November 25, 2018

Last Sunday after Pentecost

11:00 am

SILENT MEDITATION

“Unarmed, with no money or status to speak of, probably some old tunic he’d had on a few weeks and zero Twitter followers, He said, “I am He” and the cops and soldiers fell to the ground.”

-Nadia Bolz Weber

GATHERING

GATHERING MUSIC

-Brenda Foss, piano/Carol Graham, organ

“Come Ye Thankful People, Come” & “Prayer of Thanksgiving” (Arr. Hustad-Smith)

WELCOMING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

-Beckie Henselmeier

Rev. Frank Hallock

INTROIT

“Praise God for This Holy Ground”

-Chancel Choir

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Come to worship Jesus Christ, Alpha and Omega, the one who is, who was, and is to come.

We come to worship the one who rules justly.

Come to worship Jesus Christ, the faithful witness; the firstborn of the dead; the ruler of the kings of the earth!

Bread of Heaven, God with us! Good Shepherd, True Vine!

Eternal Word, Great I AM. Wonderful Counselor, Prince of Peace!

We come to worship Jesus Christ, King of kings and Lord of lords!

To him be glory and dominion forever and ever! Amen.

PRAYER AND PRAISE

***HYMN**

“Holy, Holy, Holy”

-UMH 64

SCRIPTURE LESSON *2 Samuel 23:1-7 in the Old Testament*

-Jacque Howard

Leader: For the Word of God in scripture,
For the Word of God among us.
For the Word of God within us,

People: **Praise be to God.**



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PROCLAIMING THE WORD

COMMUNITY PRAYER

Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords; mercifully grant that all the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sins of hate, ego, and willfulness, that we may be freed and brought together under Christ's most gracious rule. The one who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

HYMN

"Jesus Shall Reign"

-UMH 157, Vs. 1,2 &5

SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

-UMH 895

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

ANTHEM

"Autumn Carol" (Russell Schulz-Widmar)

-Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE LESSON *John 18:33-37 in the New Testament*

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THE MESSAGE

"What Kind of King?"

-Beckie Henselmeier

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

OFFERING OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

Offertory

"Simple Gifts" (Arr. Hayes/Graham)

-Carol Graham

*Doxology

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

OFFERTORY PRAYER

As the shepherd who cares for the flock, O God, You guide all things through Jesus whom You have exalted over all creation as king. Hear the prayers we offer in His name, and accept these humble offerings to do Your work for Christ and for the creation He cherished and that You entrust to us. Amen.



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GOING FORTH

***HYMN**

“Crown Him with Many Crowns” –UMH 327, Vs. 1,2 &4

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

“Harlech” (Held)

-Carol Graham

**Please stand if you are able.*

Please keep the aisles clear for safety and fire code enforcement. Wheelchair seating is available; please speak to an usher. Thank you.

Please complete the registration card found in the pew pocket and place in the offering. Prayers and comments may be written on the back of the card.



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