

October 30, 2022, 11am

Prelude

Announcements

Choral introit

God is Good

**Everyday**

And Everyday

**God is Good**

Call to Worship

Give thanks to the Lord with your whole heart.

**Great are the works of the Lord!**

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom;  
all those who practice it have a good understanding.

**God's praise endures forever!**

Opening Prayer

God of our salvation,  
you are the source of wisdom and joy.  
Your love and mercies are not limited  
to one time or to one people.  
You continue to heal and to save,  
transcending the artificial boundaries and barriers we set.  
For such expansive love,  
it is our right, duty, and joy  
to offer you all our thanks and praise,  
now and forever. Amen.

Children's time

Opening Hymn ~ *Brethren, We Have Met to Worship* ~ No. 396 (verses 1, 2, 4)

Brethren, we have met to worship  
and adore the Lord our God.  
Will you pray with all your power  
while we try to preach the word?  
All is vain unless the Spirit  
of the holy One comes down.  
Brethren, pray, and holy manna  
will be showered all around.

Sisters, will you come and help us?  
Moses' sister aided him.  
Will you help the trembling mourners  
who are struggling hard with sin?  
Tell them all about the Savior.  
Tell them that he will be found.  
Sisters, pray, and holy manna  
will be showered all around.

Let us love our God supremely;  
let us love each other, too.  
Let us love and pray for sinners  
till our God makes all things new.  
Christ will call us home to heaven;  
at his table we'll sit down.  
Christ will gird himself and serve us  
with sweet manna all around.

Presentation of Offering

Doxology ~ No. 606

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him,  
all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

**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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; 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

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Readings

*Psalm 32*

<sup>1</sup>Happy are those whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered.

<sup>2</sup>Happy are those to whom the Lord imputes no iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no deceit.

<sup>3</sup>While I kept silence, my body wasted away through my groaning all day long.

<sup>4</sup>For day and night your hand was heavy upon me; my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer. Selah

<sup>5</sup>Then I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not hide my iniquity; I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the Lord," and you forgave the guilt of my sin. Selah

<sup>6</sup>Therefore let all who are faithful offer prayer to you; at a time of distress, the rush of mighty waters shall not reach them.

<sup>7</sup>You are a hiding place for me; you preserve me from trouble; you surround me with glad cries of deliverance. Selah

<sup>8</sup>I will instruct you and teach you the way you should go; I will counsel you with my eye upon you.

<sup>9</sup>Do not be like a horse or a mule, without understanding, whose temper must be curbed with bit and bridle, else it will not stay near you.

<sup>10</sup>Many are the torments of the wicked, but steadfast love surrounds those who trust in the Lord.

<sup>11</sup>Be glad in the Lord and rejoice, O righteous, and shout for joy, all you upright in heart.

*Philippians 4:5,14*

<sup>5</sup>Let your gentle spirit be known to all men. The Lord is near. Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. ...<sup>14</sup>You have done well to share with me in my affliction.

The Word of God  
**The Word of Life**

Message ~ *Ripples Extend Through You* ~ Cari Matejka

Music for Meditation

Hymn ~ *All People That on Earth Do Dwell* ~ No. 385 (verses 1, 2, 4)

All people that on earth do dwell,  
sing to the Lord with cheerful voice;  
him serve with mirth, his praise forth tell.  
Come ye before him and rejoice.

Know that the Lord is God indeed;  
without our aid he did us make;  
we are his folk; he doth us feed,  
and for his sheep he doth us take.

For why? The Lord our God is good;  
his mercy is forever sure;  
his truth at all times firmly stood,  
and shall from age to age endure.

Blessing

Choral Benediction

Postlude

Coffee Hour

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Prayer List

|                         |                        |                 |
|-------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|
| Margaret Quigley        | Emily Kennedy          | Matt Isenberg   |
| Amy Trass               | Martin Hatch           | Craig Polson    |
| David Cross             | Colt Matz              | Chase Ewoldt    |
| Stacey MacRae           | Diane Trippany         | Avrie Sinesiou  |
| Joseph Kwiatkowski      | Alyssa Daly and Family | Gretchen Randon |
| Dale Isenberg           | Kaleb Green            | Renee Ensell    |
| Barbara & Chuck Compher | Andrea Oakley          | Fred Eade       |

*\*\*Please let the office know who can be removed and who needs to be added.  
Thank you for your help! \*\**

Happy Birthday to:

Oct. 31 ~ Marilyn Hurley

Nov. 3 ~ Gary Larson



# Thankfest

*Saturday, November 19th at 5:30 pm*

Join us for a traditional turkey dinner. MEF will provide the turkey and gravy. Please bring a dish to pass and your own place settings.

The fun will continue after dinner with an auction of gifts! Those who wish to participate should bring a wrapped, like-new item from their home that someone would be happy to receive or an item purchased for about \$10. The rest will be explained that night.

CHURCH CALENDAR WEEK OF 10/30/22

*Church Office Closed This Week*

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| Sunday – Oct. 30                    | 9:35am Adult Discussion<br>11am Worship ~ Cari Matejka   |
| Monday - Oct. 31                    | 5:30pm Hand Out Halloween Candy  |
| Tuesday - Nov. 1                    | 6:30pm Scouts  |
| Thursday - Nov. 10                  | 5:30pm Bring Your Own Dinner<br>6:30pm Vespers<br>6:45 Scouts<br>7pm Choir                           |
| Sunday – Nov. 6<br><i>Communion</i> | 9:35am Adult Discussion<br>11am Worship ~<br>Rev. Micah Nutter Dowling<br>Noon First Sunday Luncheon |

*Please note:* Pastor Bruce is out of town from 10/24 until 11/14. Andrea is on medical leave beginning 10/24. If you have an urgent situation, please call Lanna Waterman at 585-403-9475.

If you wish to speak with Pastor Bruce, please call 716-378-6773.