

Celebration of Worship For the Lord's Day
NOVEMBER 11, 2018

PRELUDE
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP:

L: Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.

P: God's steadfast love endures forever.

L: The Lord watches over the strangers;

P: God upholds those who are in need.

L: Let us worship God!

*HYMN OF PRAISE #358: *I Am Thine, O Lord*

*UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION **Eternal God, we confess that we have failed to seek your will. We revel in power and privilege while many are struggling to survive. We boast of our great contributions while some who have little give all. Forgive us, God of grace. Strip us of all pride and pretense and clothe us in your mercy along, ready to meet you in your glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord....** *(please continue to pray in silent, personal confession...)*

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

L: This is the good news in Jesus Christ: we can stand before God, not through our own goodness, but through God's great kindness to us.

P: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven! Amen!

*GLORIA PATRI #622

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

THE PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

*Response of Praise #624

Doxology

ANTHEM *Sanctuary*

OLD TESTAMENT READING: Isaiah 29:18-19 & Isaiah 35:5-6

NEW TESTAMENT READING: Matthew 9:27-34

SERMON *"Eyes Opened"*

*HYMN OF RESPONSE (projector): *In Christ Alone*

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER *(using "debts" and "debtors")*

*HYMN OF DEDICATION #345: *Blessed Assurance*

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION:

*POSTLUDE

**all who are able, please stand*

We welcome all who worship with us this morning and pray that the service is an inspiration to you.

Please sign and pass the Friendship Registers.

Pastor – Sheila Wadding
Lay Leader – Betty Lightner
Organist – Brenda Wadding
Choir Director – Joyce Jamison

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NEW PRAYER OF CONCERNS Evelyn Jewell, family of Brownie Bussard

PRAYERS OF CONCERNS Kathryn and Ki Duffy, Mike and Ella Mae Bussard, Michele and Shawn Sweeney, Christians in Rwanda, (Scott Davis, Cameron Neigh, Tyler Smail, Ron Boyer Jr.; Zackary Martin; and all our military) Our Rwanda Partner Church: Mucubira

Thank you to all our Veteran's for your service and sacrifices and to your families too.

Acolyte is Nash Crytzer.

The Dayton Livestock 4-H Club will be having a spaghetti dinner today 12-3:00 p.m. at the Dayton Firehall. Meal will include: Spaghetti and Meatballs, Salad, Bread and Drink for \$8.00 adults, \$4.00 children 3-10, Desserts \$1.00 (free for veterans) and takeouts available. Basket raffles.

Mission Committee will meet on Wednesday, November 14th at 9:00 a.m. Please note day change.

The Chancel Choir will practice on Wednesday at 7:15 p.m.

The Women's Association Thank Offering Sunday will be today.

Next week, Pastor Sheila will be on vacation and John Condron will be our pulpit supply.

Poinsettia order forms are in the Narthex. Deadline to order is Sunday, November 25th.

The fundraising committee will also be selling snowflake ornaments this year to decorate a tree in the sanctuary in

honor and/or in memory of loved ones. The donation for each ornament is \$5.00. Sign up sheets will be in the narthex and a display will be set up during the craft show.

The November Session meeting has been rescheduled for Thursday, November 29th @7pm.

All children are invited to the Light Up Extravaganza activities but especially invited to take part in decorating the Community Christmas Tree on the Marion Center Bank lawn following the movie and food activities at the Fire hall. The schedule for the light-up is: 2:00 p.m. Movie at the Firehall (Movie is The Star—the story of the first Christmas)

4:00 p.m. Free Pizza at Firehall

4:45 p.m. Tree Decoration at MC Bank (Light up at 5:30 p.m.)

6:30 p.m. Community Thanksgiving Service at Dayton Church of God with Pastor Sheila speaking

The church has found a box containing Dayton Glade Run Presbyterian Church wood plaques that were made available in 1999. Any one wishing to have a plaque for \$5.00, please contact Bill Calhoun.

The Dayton Senior Center is once again having their annual Christmas Cookie sale. The cookies available are Peanut Butter Blossoms, Iced Orange Cookies, and Peanut Butter Melt-aways. The cost is \$7.00 per dozen. The last day to order is November 18, 2018, and will be delivered by December 6, 2018. There is a sign-up sheet in the Narthex. Thank you!