

# Celebration of Worship For the Lord's Day

SEPTEMBER 16, 2018

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP:

\*HYMN OF PRAISE #342: *Just As I Am*

\*UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION **Almighty God, we know that there are no restrictions on Your grace, and there are no boundaries to Your love. Yet, we confess that we are guilty of trying to place restrictions on Your gifts of love and grace. Too often, we build roadblocks in our neighbor's paths, instead of building up our relationships with one another. Merciful God, forgive us. Teach us to open our hearts, so that we may love as You love. Guide us in the ways of Your grace, that we may offer it freely to all others – just as You have freely given it to us even now. We pray these things in the name of Christ, our Lord....** *(please continue to pray in silent, personal confession...)*

\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*GLORIA PATRI #622

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE

TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

THE PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

\*Response of Praise #624

*Doxology*

PRAYER OF DEDICATION: **Teach us, O God, how to glorify You in our offerings, and how to enrich the life of the world with the overflow of goodness from the cup of blessing which You have filled so bountifully. And this we ask in Jesus' name. Amen.**

NEW TESTAMENT READING:

ANTHEM *"People Need the Lord"*

NEW TESTAMENT READING:

SERMON *"A Second Chance"*

\*HYMN OF RESPONSE #68: *There's a Wideness in God's Mercy*

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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

\*HYMN OF DEDICATION #202: *Amazing Grace*

\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION:

\*POSTLUDE

*\*all who are able, please stand*

*Please sign and pass the Friendship Registers at the end of the pews.*

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

Pastor – Sheila Wadding  
Pulpit Supply – Randy Stear  
Lay Leader – Betty Lightner  
Organist – Brenda Wadding  
Choir Director – Joyce Jamison

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**NEW PRAYER OF CONCERNS** Shirley McEntire, Denise Israel, Keith Perry

**PRAYERS OF CONCERNS** Fred Huffman, John Bugay, Gene Hilty, Barry Lettie, Marie Boyer, AJ Allison and family, Ed Fisher, Cory Webb, Patty Galbraith, Francis Sady, Christians in Rwanda, (Cameron & Leslie Neigh, Ron Boyer Jr., Zackary Martin; and all our military) Our Rwanda Partner Church: Mucubira

Ushers today are Don and Joyce Jamison, Terry Marsh, Aldean Rummel. Acolyte is Nash Crytzer.

Thank you to everyone who attended, helped with the service, prepared and served the brunch, and cleaned up or helped in anyway on Rally Day. A special thank you to Pastor Sheila and Brian Wadding and friends who presented an inspiring church service. Even though this was an indoor service, Rally Day truly was one full of God's love and fellowship.

The music anthem today called "People Need the Lord" was presented by Missy Lightner, Joyce Jamison, Bill Calhoun and Terry Marsh. Thank you for sharing your gift of music.

The Cemetery Association will have a meeting following worship today.

The Deacons will be packing college and military boxes at the next meeting on Tuesday, October 9th at 9:30 am. If you have names to be added to our list of college and military persons, please give the names and addresses to Betty Calhoun or Andrea Marsh at the office by Sunday, September 23rd. If you wish to donate items for our boxes, please have items to the church Narthex by

September 23rd. Or you can contribute by monetary donations.

Suggested items for the boxes are gum, crackers and cheese, individual packaged cookies, hard candy, microwave soups, lasagna, ravioli and popcorn. Other items include pringles, instant soups, instant cocoa, single serving size drink mixes, pudding, jello, (individual serving sizes), and snack chips and pretzels. Also, we can send toothbrushes, toothpaste, tissues, dental floss and playing cards or any other small items and/or money donations. Please NO glass bottles or juice boxes. Thank you for all donations and helping with our college/military boxes!!!!

The Women's Tea is October 6th at 1pm in the Academy. Jo Anne Fox has the tea tickets for sale. They are \$10 with the profit being divided between the Women's association and a mission project. There are 80 tickets available on first come first serve basis so see Joanne soon to insure you have a seat for this wonderful afternoon.

There is a sign up sheet in the entryway for donations for the Women's Tea. Your help is also requested to make this day a special one. Dates that your help is needed include: Sept 25th, Sept 27th, Oct 5th and Oct. 6th. A sign up sheet for volunteers is also in the entryway. For questions please contact Melissa McMeans or Joyce Jamison.

Choir will meet for the first time this fall on Wednesday, Sept. 19th, at 7:15pm in the church. All with interest in singing in the choir are welcomed.

We are in need of a janitor. If you would like to apply for the position, please contact Pastor Sheila or the office.