

Welcome Guests

We welcome all who are worshipping with us today. If you are our guest, we pray that your experience will nurture your faith and that you feel welcome in this community of faith.

Nursery: Available from 9:45 –11:15 am

Children's Worship: K-5th Grades

After the Children's Time during the service, volunteers will escort the children from worship to the Fellowship Hall for special stories and activities geared just for them. Parents may pick them up after worship.

Calendar

Sunday, October 17	10:00 am 11:00 am	Worship Congregational Meeting
Monday, October 18	6:30 pm	Scouts
Tuesday, October 19	12:00 pm 6:30 pm 7:00 pm	PW Afternoon Circle Task Force PW Evening Circle
Wednesday, October 20	8:00 am 10:00 am 6:30 pm	Bagels & Bibles (Zoom) Women's Bible Study Revelation Revealed
Thursday, October 21	6:30 pm 6:30 pm 7:00 pm	Youth Night Women's Bible Study (Zoom) Stated Session Meeting
Saturday, October 23	3:30 pm	Fall Festival & Trunk or Treat

Please complete the welcome card located in your bulletin and place it and your offering in one of the baskets by the door as you leave.



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Connecting people for whole-hearted discipleship in Jesus Christ.

Order of Worship

*SONGS OF PRAISE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Jonathan Swanson

OPENING PRAYER

*OPENING PRAISE

CALL TO CONFESSION

Isaiah 1:16-17

Chris Ramsey

God says: Wash yourselves; make yourselves clean; remove the evil of your doings from before my eyes; cease to do evil, learn to do good.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

All too often, Lord, we have failed to follow the teachings and example of Jesus. Sometimes we have relied too heavily on our traditions, our social group, and our political party for our convictions. We have sometimes considered our own conscience to be an infallible guide. Even when we have understood correctly the teachings of Jesus, we have sometimes followed them reluctantly and imperfectly. Pardon us, we ask, for our failure to follow enthusiastically and fully the teachings of him we call Lord ...
(moments of silence)

ASSURANCE

Romans 8:1-2

There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus has set you free from the law of sin and death.

*RESPONSE TO FORGIVENESS

“Gloria Patri”

*PASSING THE PEACE

(Please remain standing and wave to your neighbor)

*RESPONSE

“Family of God”

**All who are able may stand*

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

Debbie Abbott

(Children through 5th grade may exit)

MUSICAL OFFERING

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Psalm 119:105

Chris Ramsey

Your word is a lamp unto my feet and a light to my path. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Ecclesiastes 4:9-12

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Acts 4:32-37

SERMON

Fellowship Cares for Others

*RESPONSIVE PRAISE

IMPACT REPORT

Bill Gesdorf

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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.

*CLOSING PRAISE

*CHARGE AND BLESSING

2 Thessalonians 2:16-17

Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and through grace gave us eternal comfort and good hope, comfort your hearts and strengthen them in every good work and word. Amen.

*PARTING MUSIC