Prayer of Consecration

Matthew Swarthout

(All believing Christians are invited to share in the Lord's Supper, regardless of church affiliation.)

Communion Music

In Holy Communion arr. Gilbert M. Martin

One: The bread which we break is our communion in the Body

of Christ.

All: The cup of blessing for which we give thanks is our

Communion in the blood of Christ. Amen.

*Benediction

*Closing Hymn

When, in Awe of God's Creation

No. 688

(vs. 1, 3, 4)

(After worship, a serving elder will be available at the back of each side aisle for personal prayer.)

Postlude

Postlude on "Hyfrydol"

arr. Jason Payne

David Williams, organ

*All who are able, please stand

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, November 12, 2023

Sharing Christ. Changing Lives. Delivering Hope.

Prelude

Blessed Assurance arr. Edward Broughton David Williams, organ

Words of Welcome

Vicky Woolridge

Introit

*Opening Hymn

All People That on Earth Do Dwell

No. 18

(vs. 1, 2, 4)

*Responsive Reading

Keith Backes

Leader: The journey ahead is always uncertain.

People: But we stand ready to encourage one another on the way.

Leader: The future before us is unpredictable.

People: But we stand firm in the faith, hope and love of Christ.

Leader: We never know what tomorrow will bring.

People: But we stand in the shadow of God's goodness, as we

greet it together.

*Invocation

*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.

*Gloria Patri No. 35

A Time for All God's Children

Michael Karunas

Prayer Hymn

Blessed Assurance

(vs. 1, 3)

No. 543

Pastoral Prayer

(8:00) Prayer Response

(10:30) Special music, Drew Rachow

Offertory Invitation

*Doxology

No. 46

*Prayer of Dedication

Scripture Reading

(8:00) Special Music, Drew Rachow

(10:30) Anthem Simple Praise Craig Courtney

1 Thessalonians 5:1-11 Pg. 205 NT

One: The Word of God for the People of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon Lessons in Thankfulness – Encouragement

Invitation to Discipleship

*Communion Hymn

No. 387

Bread of the World in Mercy Broken

(In Christ's name we welcome all persons into membership into the church by confession of faith and baptism or by transfer of membership. Please step to the front pew during the singing of this Hymn of Communion.)

Meditation Jeannie Backes

Words of Institution

Prayer List

Members

Evelyn Sanders
Gretchen Barron
Jill Johnson
Lawrence Thicksten
Shane Garver
Peggy Garrett
Ed Adams
Denise Swarthout
Don Boyd
Jim Hoffert
Gene Guthrie
Diane Denzer
Marla Winkleblack
June Moutray

We Pray for Those in the Military:

Bobby Backes (nephew of Keith & Jeannie Backes)
Katy & Matt Holden (granddaughter & grandson-in-law of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Phillip Johnston (son of Becky Johnston)
Mitchell Lucas (grandson of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Jeremiah & Rachel Singletary
(great-nephew of Marilyn Ward)
Preston Wade (son of Larry & Karen Wade)
Lucas Ward (grandson of Marilyn Ward)
Ryan Smithson (grandson of Jim & Vicki Fitzpatrick)



Members in Nursing Home & Assisted Living

Doris McArty (Imboden Creek)
Arlene Penn (Imboden Creek)
Merle Chapman (Imboden Creek Gardens)
Elaine Hynds (Imboden Creek Gardens)
Wanda Poisel (Imboden Creek Gardens)
Marilyn Riley (Randall Residence)
Glen & Arlone Dalluge (Randall Residence)
Barb Tyler (Tanglewood)
Bess King (The Glenwood)

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Nancy Taylor (Primrose)

Bob & Peggy Garrett (Primrose) Morris Birkhead (Villas at Hollybrook)

Marilyn Ward (Courtyard Estates)

Chloe Hoaglin (Vonderleith)

Derald Hartley (The Grove)

Don Swallow (Hickory Pt. Christian Village)

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Friends & Family

Misty Mochel (friend of Marci Baumann) Shannon Francisco (friend of Bob Smith) Michael Moran (son-in-law of Larry & Marla Winkleblack)

Jim Nuernberger (friend of Jim & Debbie Hoffert)
Harriette York (mother of David York)
Ron Price (brother of Debbie Hoffert)
Jane Spires (friend of many CCC members)
Mark Demoulin (son of Jahala Demoulin)
Bob Campbell (brother of Bruce Campbell)

Quentin Wilmot (brother of Kevin Wilmot)

Matt Andrews (son-in-law of Jean Maggioncalda) Ruth & Randy Helm (friends of Donna Dash)

Keith Osborne (brother of Jan Dobbs)

Tom & Betty Smith (friends of Maria Jacobs)

Shannon Borntreger (son of Kathy Kauzlarich)

Tracy Cearlock (friend of Brett Swallow)

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Sally Pease (friend of Nancy Ellen Taylor)

Dixie Dixon (friend of Linda Virgil)

Sandy Schaick (friend of Lucy Acheson)

Matt Bean & family (friend of Erik & Carly Barnes)

Yamile Leyva (friend of Maria Jacobs)

Cecelia Adams (family of Ed & Joy Adams)

Scott Adams (family of Ed & Joy Adams)

Bill & Nanette Frank (friends to many CCC members) Larry Baker (friend of Keith Backes & David Wagner)

David Demoulin (grandson of Jahala Demoulin)

Evelyn Drahovzal (friend of Charlotte Ballance)

Rea Virt (mother of Diana Ritter)

Shirley Elkin (friend to many CCC members)

Mark Neisslie (uncle of Carly Barnes)

Worship Extras November 12, 2023

1 Thessalonians 5:1-11 (NRSVUE)

¹Now concerning the times and the seasons, brothers and sisters, you do not need to have anything written to you. ²For you yourselves know very well that the day of the Lord will come like a thief in the night. ³When they say, "There is peace and security," then sudden destruction will come upon them, as labor pains come upon a pregnant woman, and there will be no escape! 4But you, brothers and sisters, are not in darkness, for that day to surprise you like a thief; 5 for you are all children of light and children of the day; we are not of the night or of darkness. 6So, then, let us not fall asleep as others do, but let us keep awake and be sober, ⁷ for those who sleep sleep at night, and those who are drunk get drunk at night. 8 But since we belong to the day, let us be sober and put on the breastplate of faith and love and for a helmet the hope of salvation. 9For God has destined us not for wrath but for obtaining salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ, 10 who died for us, so that whether we are awake or asleep we may live with him. 11 Therefore encourage one another and build up each other, as indeed you are doing.

How to "Get Ready" now???

- 1) Strive to be Faithful
- 2) Seek to be Loving
- 3) Look for Hope
- 4) Encourage one another
 Encourage = "Within the Heart"
 Feeling, within the heart, that you can do something difficult

Serving Schedules Today

Elders: Matthew Swarthout, Jeannie Backes **Nov. Prep Deacons:** Yvonne Purcell, Kim Miller

Offering Deacons:

8:00 - Sandy Garver, Krista Rohrscheib 10:30 - Christine Lyman-Harm, Tom Ritter

Ushers:

8:00 - Team 5 - Mike Munos, Capt., Gerri Munos, Brad Munos, Brittney Moran, Bobby Munos, Julia Munos, Blair Moran

10:30 - Team 10 - David Martin, Capt., Gretchen Kirby

Greeters:

8:00 - Jane Davis 10:30 - Jeannie & Keith Backes

P.A. Operator:

8:00 - Donna Dash 10:30 - Mike Kirby

Liturgist: Keith Backes

Next Sunday, November 19, 2023

Elders: Diana Ritter, Susan Bryant

November Communion Elders: Matthew Swarthout, Kevin Wilmot,

Dick Cain, Charlotte Ballance, Theresa Fulk

Nov. Prep Deacons: Yvonne Purcell, Kim Miller

Offering Deacons:

8:00 - Gail Prince, Jane Davis

10:30 - Dale Ford, David Martin

Ushers:

8:00 - Team 1 - Donna Dash, Capt., Dianne Devore, Carolyn Sunderlik 10:30 - Team 6 - Mark Kincaid

Greeters:

8:00 - Donna Dash, Charlotte Ballance

10:30 - Jean & Jud Pease

P.A. Operator:

8:00 - Krista Rohrscheib

10:30 - Luke Kirby

Liturgist: Andy & Theresa Fulk (Thanksgiving Offering)