

Ardmore Moravian Church

October 12, 2025

WATCH WORD FOR THE WEEK:

If we have died with him, we will also live with him.

2 Timothy 2:11

Luke 17:11-19

¹¹ On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. ¹² As he entered a village, ten men with a skin disease approached him. Keeping their distance, ¹³ they called out, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" ¹⁴ When he saw them, he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were made clean. ¹⁵ Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. ¹⁶ He prostrated himself at Jesus's feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. ¹⁷ Then Jesus asked, "Were not ten made clean? So where are the other nine? ¹⁸ Did none of them return to give glory to God except this foreigner?" ¹⁹ Then he said to him, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well."

ARDMORE MORAVIAN CHURCH Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost October 12, 2025

Prelude "I Have Decided To Follow Jesus" arr. Fred Bock

Call to Worship

Songs of Praise

"Great Things" Wickham

Come let us worship our King Come let us bow at His feet He has done great things

See what our Savior has done See how His love overcomes He has done great things He has done great things

Oh, hero of Heaven, You conquered the grave You free every captive and break every chain Oh God, You have done great things We dance in Your freedom, awake and alive Oh Jesus, our Savior, Your name lifted high Oh God, You have done great things

You've been faithful through every storm

You'll be faithful forevermore
You have done great things
And I know You will do it again
For Your promise is "Yes and amen"
You will do great things
God, You do great things

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"Goodness of God" Bethel Music/Jenn Johnson
I love You, Lord
For Your mercy never fails me
All my days, I've been held in Your hands
From the moment that I wake up
Till I lay my head
I will sing of the goodness of God

All my life You have been faithful
All my life You have been so, so good
With every breath that I am able
I will sing of the goodness of God

I love Your voice
You have led me through the fire
In darkest night You are close like no other
I've known You as a Father
I've known You as a Friend
I have lived in the goodness of God.

All my life You have been faithful, All my life You have been so, so good With every breath that I am able I will sing of the goodness of God,

Your goodness is running after, it's running after me Your goodness is running after, it's running after me With my life laid down, I'm surrendered now I give You everything

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All my life You have been so, so good
With every breath that I am able
I will sing of the goodness of God
I will sing of the goodness of God

Greeting One Another

Welcome and Announcements

Liturgy

We worship you, Lord God, the high and lofty one, who inhabits eternity, whose name is holy. You dwell in the high

and holy place, and also with those who are contrite and humble in spirit.

Give us grace to bring you the sacrifice of a broken and contrite heart, which you, O God, will not despise.

"Invitation Fountain"

All who are weak, all who are weary;
Come to the rock, come to the fountain;
All who have sailed on the rivers of heartache,
Come to the sea, come on be set free

Refrain: If You lead me Lord I will follow
Where You lead me Lord I will go
Come and heal me Lord I will follow
Where You lead me Lord I will go
I will go, I will go...

The law of the Lord is perfect, reviving the soul; the decrees of the Lord are sure, making wise the simple.

More to be desired are they than gold, even much fine gold; sweeter also than honey and the honeycomb.

God spoke these words, saying:

You shall have no other gods besides me.
You shall not make for yourself an idol.
You shall not make wrongful use of the name of the Lord your God.

Remember the sabbath day and keep it holy.

Honor your father and your mother.

You shall not murder.

You shall not commit adultery.

You shall not steal.

You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

You shall not covet anything that belongs to your neighbor.

Our Lord Jesus Christ said: I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another. If you love me, you will keep my commandments.

"Heart With Loving Heart United" MBW # 401 vs 1-2

Heart with loving heart united,

met to know God's holy will.

Let his love in us ignited

more and more our spirits fill.

He the Head, we are his members;

we reflect the light he is.

He the Master, we disciples,

he is ours and we are his.

May we all so love each other and all selfish claims deny, so that each one for the other

will not hesitate to die.

Even so our Lord has loved us;

for our lives he gave his life.

Still he grieves and still he suffers,

for our selfishness and strife.

Lord God, merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness, keeping steadfast love for thousands, forgiving iniquity, and transgression, and sin, yet by no means clearing the unrepentant: incline your ear and hear, for we do not present our supplications before you on the ground of our righteousness, but on your great mercies.

SILENT CONFESSION

Create in us a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within us. Do not cast us away from your presence and do not take your Holy Spirit from us. Restore to us the joy of your salvation, and sustain in us a willing spirit. Have mercy upon us according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy, blot out our transgressions, through Jesus Christ our Savior.

Lord, have mercy upon us. Amen.

Thus says the Lord: I will forgive your iniquity and remember your sin no more. Peace be with you.

"Heart With Loving Heart United" MBW # 401 vs 3
Since, O Lord, you have demanded
that our lives your love should show
so we wait to be commanded
forth into your world to go.
Kindle in us love's compassion
so that ev'ryone may see
in our faith and hope the promise
of a new humanity.

(Please Stand, as you are able)

In the peace of God, let us join in professing our faith:

With the whole of Christendom, we share faith in the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. We believe and confess that God has revealed himself once for all in Jesus Christ; that our Lord has redeemed us with the whole of humanity by his death and resurrection; and that there is no salvation apart from him.

We believe that Christ is present with us in the word and the sacrament; that he directs us through the Spirit and thus forms us into a church. We hear him summoning us to follow him, and ask him to use us in his service. Christ joins us together mutually, so that knowing ourselves to be members of his body, we become willing to serve each other. In this spirit we await the appearing of Jesus Christ, go forward to meet our Lord with joy, and pray to be found ready when he comes. Amen.

"Invitation Fountain"

All who are weak, all who are weary;
Come to the rock, come to the fountain;
All who have climbed on the mountains of heartache
Reach for the sky, come and give your life;
Refrain: If You lead me Lord I will follow
Where You lead me Lord I will go
Come and heal me Lord I will follow
Where You lead me Lord I will go
I will go, I will go...

(Sitting)

Cord God, Father, hear us as we pray...

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 trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,

and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Prayers of the People

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time to make our common intercession to you, and you have promised through your beloved Son that where two or three are gathered together in his name you will be in the midst of them. Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us, granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the world to come life everlasting.

Amen.

"Invitation Fountain"

All who are weak, all who are weary;
All who are tired, all who are thirsty;
All who have failed, all who are broken
Come to the rock, come to the fountain,

Refrain: If You lead me Lord I will follow
Where You lead me Lord I will go
Come and heal me Lord I will follow
Where You lead me Lord I will go
I will go, I will go...

Giving Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory "Soli Deo Gloria" Robert Sterling

Response "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"

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

Prayer

Scripture Lessons II Timothy 2: 8-15

Psalm 111

Luke 17:11-19

"Pass Me Not, O Gentle Savior" MBW # 772

Pass me not, O gentle Savior,

hear my humble cry;

while on others thou art smiling,

do not pass me by.

Refrain: Savior, Savior, hear my humble cry; while on others thou art calling; do not pass me by.

Let me at thy throne of mercy find a sweet relief; kneeling there in deep contrition, help my unbelief. Refrain: Savior, Savior, hear my humble cry; while on others thou art calling; do not pass me by.

Trusting only in thy merit,
would I seek thy face;
heal my wounded, broken spirit,
save me by thy grace.
Refrain

Thou the Spring of all my comfort,
more than life to me,
whom have I on earth beside thee?
Whom in heav'n but thee?
Refrain

Sermon "Asking for What We Need" Rev. Joe Moore

"Blessed Be the Tie That Binds" MBW # 680

Blessed be the tie that binds

our hearts in Christian love;

the fellowship of kindred minds

is like to that above.

Before our Father's throne
we pour our ardent prayers;
our fears, our hopes, our aims are one,
our comforts and our cares.

We share our mutual woes, our mutual burdens bear; and often for each other flows the sympathizing tear.

From sorrow, toil, and pain, and sin we shall be free; and perfect love and friendship reign through all eternity.

Benediction

Postlude

"Praise Him! Praise Him!" Lyndell Leatherman

The flowers are placed in the sanctuary today to the glory of God and in honor of Polly Story's 90th birthday on October 16th by Jim, Charlene, Lee and families.

A rose is placed this morning to the glory of God in honor of Ella Leslie Saint, daughter of Lisa and Clint Saint and granddaughter of Leslie Redding. Ella was born September 27th.



SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Nominations Needed: Our annual Church Council meeting is coming up on November 9th and we need nominations for the Boards of Elders and Trustees and a delegate to represent Ardmore at the 2026 Southern Province Synod. If you are interested in serving as a member of either board or as Synod delegate, please contact Pastor Joe and he will share your interest with the Nominating Committee.

Donations Needed: Every Halloween, the Ardmore neighborhood is the most popular location for trick or treating. Hundreds of children and their parents travel the streets of our neighborhood. To help people know that Ardmore Moravian is an active part of the community, we are going to be handing out candy on Halloween. If you would like to donate some Halloween candy (individually wrapped), please bring it to the church. We will have a collection basket near the office door.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

Today, October 12

9:30 AM Sunday School Classes

10:30 AM Worship Service – Rev. Joe Moore

Tuesday, October 14

10:00 AM Circle #3

1:30 PM Circle #4

5:30 PM Circle #5

Wednesday, October 15

Sort/Price Yard Sale Items

5:30 PM Meal

6:15 PM Bible Study

7:00 PM Choir Practice

Thursday, October 16

8:30 AM Men's Breakfast @ Café Arthurs

Friday, October 17

4:00 – 7:00 PM Yard Sale

Saturday, October 18

8:00 AM - Noon Yard Sale

Sunday, October 19

9:30 AM Sunday School Classes

10:30 AM Worship Service – Rev. Joe Moore Immediately following the worship service, the Joint Board will meet followed by individual Board of Elders and Board of Trustees meetings.

1:30 PM Crop Walk – Check-In and Registration

FUTURE OPPORTUNITIES

For congregational and community fellowship

October 15 – Set up for Yard Sale

October 16 – 8:30 AM Men's Breakfast @ Café Arthurs

October 17 – 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM Yard Sale

October 18 – 8:00 AM – Noon Yard Sale

October 19 – 1:30 PM Crop Walk

October 21 – 11:30 AM Seniors & Friends Luncheon

@ The Sherwood Restaurant

October 31 – 5:00 PM Hand out Halloween candy

November 8 – 11:00 AM – 4:30 PM Ardmore Art Walk

November 9 – 10:30 AM Chief Elder Communion Service

November 9 – 11:30 AM Church Council

November 11 – Women's Fellowship Circle Meetings

November 18 – 11:30 AM Seniors & Friends Lunch

@ Carriage House

November 20 – 8:30 AM Men's Breakfast @ Café Arthurs

November 23 – Thanksgiving Harvest Table –

Food for Sunnyside Ministry

December 1 – 7:00 PM Candle Trimming

December 3-5 – Candle Tea for Children Groups

December 4 – 5:00 PM – 8:00 PM Candle Tea for Public

December 9 – Women's Fellowship Circle Meetings

December 18 – 8:30 AM Men's Breakfast @ Café Arthurs

December 24 Christmas Eve Lovefeast & Candle Service

PEOPLE FOR WHOM WE ARE PRAYING



Members

Cindy Clore Alice Pierce

Beverly Dillon Carolyn Spainhour

Fanchon Funk Polly Story

Tommie Gambill Frances Walker

Adam Lefevre Donna Ebert Williams

Mike Meritt

Friends

Dr. Bill J. Beason Laura Mabe

Lizanne Butner Ann McCurdy

Tommy Butner Terry Moore

Chris Heckman Allison Murray

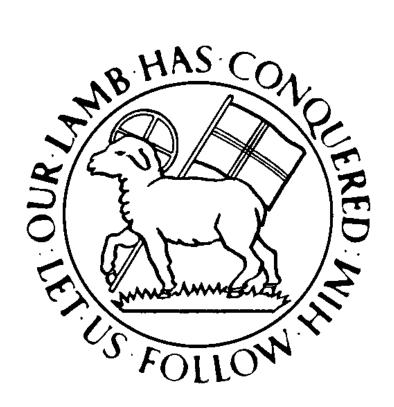
Dwayne Jones Marlyn Schauss

Ray Shelton Jerry Seivers

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^{*}Please contact the church office to add or remove individuals from the prayer list.



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