

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 66

Leader: Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth sing the glory of God's name.
All: How awesome are your deeds, O God! We sing praises to your name.
 Leader: Come and see what God has done: turning the sea into dry land;
 bringing us across the river Jordan.
All: How awesome are your deeds, O God! We sing praises to your name.
 Leader: Even when God has tested us;
 even when we have gone through fire and water.
All: God has brought us out to a spacious place.
Our God is an awesome God!

***HYMN** #461 "God is Here!" ABBOT'S LEIGH

***CALL TO CONFESSION** Luke 16; Psalm 79:9

Gracious God, you know our sin: We have squandered the gifts you have given us. We have failed to forgive our debtors as you have forgiven us. We have been unfaithful and dishonest in small things and great things alike. We are shrewd in seeking wealth and foolish in following your way. Forgive our sins, O Lord, for your name's sake. Make us faithful stewards of the grace you have given and generous in forgiving others; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

***SILENCE FOR PERSONAL CONFESSION**

***ASSURANCE OF GOD'S PARDON**

***GLORIA PATRI** (No. 579, The Hymnal)

***PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

INTERLUDE

SHARING FAITH WITH CHILDREN - The congregation is invited to join in singing verse one of "Jesus Loves Me" as the children through 2nd grade come forward.

(After the story, children may return to the pew with their families)

MUSICAL OFFERING "Praise Ye The Lord of Hosts"

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Gail Bardhan

SCRIPTURE READINGS: Genesis 1:1-5 (Page 1 in your Pew Bible)
 John 1:1-5; 9-14 (Page 750 in your Pew Bible)

(After the reading, there is a period of silence, at the end of which the reader says...)

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God!

SERMON "Creation & Evolution in Public Schools" Pastor Jeff

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** *The Apostles' Creed* (The Hymnal, pg. 14 - Traditional)

***HYMN** #2085 "He Came Down" HE CAME DOWN

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory Music "Creator, Redeemer"

DOXOLOGY (No. 592 The Hymnal) and **PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

CALL TO PRAYER

Leader: Lord, we bow before here this hour, to bless us with thy mighty healing power.
 Rain down your mercy from above, and shine upon us with your love.

All: May people everywhere know your kindness,
As you keep your children in your tender care.
And may we always love one another,
bringing happiness and peace everywhere.
Hallelujah Hallelujah, Amen
Amen, Amen, Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

THE LORD'S PRAYER (in unison)

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.

CHORAL RESPONSE

***BENEDICTORY HYMN** #473 "For the Beauty of the Earth" DIX

***BENEDICTION**

***CHORAL BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**

**All who are able may stand*

GREETERS: John and Andrea Fisher **LITURGIST:** Gail Bardhan

FRIENDSHIP TABLETS are in the aisle ends of the pews. Each person is asked to complete the requested information, tear off the completed slip, and place it in the offering plate.

HEARING ASSIST UNITS AND LARGE PRINT BIBLES, HYMNALS, AND BULLETINS are available at the rear of the sanctuary.

PRAYER REQUEST CARDS - in pews - use for items you'd like lifted in this Morning's Prayer. Please place cards in the offering plate. After worship they will be placed in the Chapel for the week.

FLOWERS THIS WEEK are given to glorify God by Frank Hamm in loving memory of his wife Phyllis.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2019

- ▶ Please join us for Fellowship Time today following Worship hosted by the Swenson Committee.
- ▶ Today is Pastor Appreciation Sunday! Please join us in Fellowship Hall for refreshments and celebrate with Our Pastor Jeff.
- ▶ Please pick up your giving statements now available in the Narthex.
- ▶ Please join us for the next discussion café on Wednesday night, October 16 at 6:30 p.m. in the Library. Our next topic for discussion in this series will be "Creation and Evolution in the Public Schools".
- ▶ Please pick up your giving statements now available in the Narthex.
- ▶ Today is the last day to give to the College Care Collection packages. Donation box is outside the office.
- ▶ NEW MEMBERS GROUP FORMING: We are in the process of forming a new members group for this fall. Meeting times are flexible. Please speak to Pastor Jeff if you are interested in becoming a member of this congregation



OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 14, 2019

Monday	October 14	Church Office Closed For Columbus Day
Tuesday	October 15	6:30 p.m. Handbells 7:30 p.m. Choir
Wednesday	October 16	6:30 p.m. Café Discussion Topic: Creation & Evolution in Public School
Thursday	October 17	--
Friday	October 18	Church Office Closed
NEXT SUNDAY:	October 13	10:30 a.m. Worship Service Topic: The Death Pentecost 11:30 a.m. - Fellowship Time

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"He is the one you praise; he is your God, who performed for you those great and awesome wonders you saw with your own eyes."
Deuteronomy 10:21 (NIV)

October 13, 2019

10:30 a.m.

THE ORDER OF PUBLIC WORSHIP OF ALMIGHTY GOD

PRELUDE

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"Woke Up This Morning"

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ANNOUNCEMENTS