

22nd Sunday after Pentecost

GATHERING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please register your attendance on the pew cards.
Stand and greet one another in Christian Love.

PRELUDE

We gather with Praise:

"Majesty, Worship His Majesty" (2X)

TFWS #176

*CALL TO WORSHIP:

Leader: Teach us God to be all that You want us to be.

People: Help us to serve you as you deserve.

Leader: Teach us to give and not to worry.

People: Help us to live fully in Your ways.

Leader: Teach us to work, rest and play.

People: Help us to labor and not to ask for any reward.

Leader: Teach us to do Your will.

All: Teach us, lead us, help us as we worship you today.

*OPENING PRAYER: (unison) (by Ignatius of Loyola)

Teach us, good Lord, to serve you as you deserve; to give and not to count the cost; to fight and not to heed the wounds; to toil and not to seek rest; to labor and not to ask for any reward, except that knowing that we do your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*APOSTLE'S CREED

UMH #881

CHILDREN'S TIME

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

SCRIPTURE

Prayer for Illumination:

Let the words of our mouths, and the meditation of our hearts be acceptable in your sight, O Lord our Rock and our Redeemer. Amen.

Lesson:

Mark 9:38-50

*GLORIA PATRI

UMH #70

SERMON

"Cut It Out"

Pastor Irv Case

*HYMN OF RESPONSE

"Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy"

UMH #340

OFFERING

*Doxology

UMH #95

*Offertory Prayer: (unison)

Almighty God, giver of every good and perfect gift, teach us to render to you all that we have and all that we are, that we may praise you, not with our lips only, but with our whole lives, turning the duties, the sorrows, and the joys of all our days into a living sacrifice to you; through our Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

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