# SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE

November 12, 2023

10:30 am

## PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

The Organ Prelude Silent Prayer and Meditation Choir Introit

# \* CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor: Together, we choose to serve God, which means:

People: We choose love. We choose hope.
Pastor: We choose peace. We choose kindness.
People: We choose welcome. We choose justice.
Pastor: We choose to serve God. Let us worship.

# \* INVOCATION

# **PRESENTATION OF COLORS:**

Dave Jenkins, Brian Gentry

# \* PRAISE TO GOD

\* Hymn #435 "What A Friend We Have in Jesus"

# **UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Everlasting God, we say we want to see you, we say we want to know you, we say we want to serve you, but we also do not want to put in the work. We do not want to prepare for your coming by working for your kingdom on this earth. We do not keep alert for signs of you among us, so we schedule you in for an hour or so on Sundays. Forgive us. Inspire us to put our faith to action. Surprise us with your presence so we might learn to always be ready for you to arrive. In the name of Jesus, we pray. Amen

# **SILENT CONFESSION**

# **ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Pastor: Hear the good news! We believe that Jesus died and rose again; and so it will be for those who died as Christians; God will bring them to life with Jesus

People: Friends, believe the Good News! In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

\*Gloria Patri

JLK

# **GOD'S WORK IN PRAYER**

Prayer Concerns Pastor's Prayer and Lord's Prayer Choir Response

## **GOD'S WORD**

Scripture: Genesis 8:6-22 (pg.11-12)

Choir Anthem "Ready, Lord" Sermon: "A Covenant of Hope" \*Hymn #579 "Jesus Loves Me"

#### **GOD'S WORK AND WORSHIP IN GIVING**

Announcements and Pew Registration Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

\* The Doxology

(#625 Hymnal)

- \* Offertory Prayer
- \* Hymn #425 "In the Garden"
- \* Benediction
- \* Choir Response
- \* Postlude
- \* Stand, if comfortably able.

# **IN PRAYER**

**Pastor** Tim Snart and family.

Cell Phone: Pastor's cell 309-798-3315

**Church Office:** 309-799-3511

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**Church Website:** www.cvpres.com

Pastor's Assistant: Barbara Belville cell 309-236-9197

Church Secretary: Connie Moore Choir Director: Eilene Stephens Church Organist: Tracey Tucker Church Custodian: Dave Miller

**Deacons:** Corey Lambert **Session:** Carole Taube

Mission Committee: Trish Dudek Fellowship Committee: Hilde Wray Building Committee: Teresa Bleyhl Sunday School Teacher: Lisa DeBaillie

Shut-In: Carrol Rugh

**Special Prayer Needs**: Tracey Tucker, Dave Kuhn, Carrol Rugh, Shala Mannoochahr, Pete Duytschaever, Doris Coffey, Bobbie Fuhr, Zach Maxwell.

**Prayer Needs**: Ken Bridgford, Marlene Keleher, Pauline Shroyer, Paul Schnell, Claire Barnhouse, Sam Waldron, Donna James, Ann Tucker.

**MISSION EMPHASIS: Operation Christmas Child (Shoeboxes)** 

**Candle of Hope:** In the front of the sanctuary is a candle that recognizes the faithful service of all our military personnel.



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#### THIS WEEK

Sunday	(11-12)	Confirmation Class	9:00 am
		Sunday School	9:15 am
		Worship Service	10:30 am
Tuesday	(11-14)	Afternoon Circle	1:00 pm
Thursda	y (11-16)	Choir Practice	7:00 pm

# **PLEASE NOTE:**

**Thankyou:** We would all like to thank Jan Gustafson for playing beautiful music for us this morning.

**New Phone Number**: Pastor Tim has changed his cell phone number to 309-798-3315. Please make note of this change.

**Afternoon Circle:** Afternoon Circle will be Tuesday, November 14<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 pm here at the church. Carole Bridgford is the hostess and Jan Gustafson will lead the lesson.

**Operation Christmas Child:** Bring your shoeboxes to church! Let's get the pile growing! There is a box of extra items at the back of the church to help you fill a box. Please help yourself. All shoeboxes are due by the 19<sup>th</sup> of November.

**Harvest Dinner:** Our annual Harvest Dinner will be next Sunday, November 19<sup>th</sup> immediately following the worship service. Please sign up for what you would like to bring or how you would like to help on the poster at the back of the church. Everyone is invited to the feast!

**Orion Veterans Day Service:** Sunday, November 12, 2pm in Central Park at the Orion Veteran Memorial. (Alternate location in case of bad weather: Orion United Methodist Church's Activity center)

**Annual Beulah Hymn Sing** on Sunday, Nov 19 at 6:30pm. The Orion High School Choir will be performing. Cookies and Dave Gould's Hot Cocoa will be served afterwards. All are invited hope you can come!

**Happy Birthday!** The Board of Deacons would like to wish a Happy Birthday to the following people this week:

Dylan Tucker	November 12
Leoma Burnett	November 14
Shelly Johnson	November 16
Joyce Needham	November 18
Max Gentry	November 19



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