

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE

October 3, 2021

*“He calls his own sheep by name and leads them out”
John 10:3*

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

The Organ Prelude
Silent Prayer and Meditation
Introit

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor: As we gather around the Word, font, and table,

People: we pray for the faith of children.

Pastor: We pray for trust, humility, and kindness.

People: We pray for wonder, imagination, and creativity.

Pastor: Let the little children come to me, Jesus said,

People: for it is children such as these that the kingdom of God belongs to.

* INVOCATION

* PRAISE TO GOD

* Hymn #462 “Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us”

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

United in your love, O God, we are one body across the globe. We are branches of one family whose roots run in the waters of grace. Still, O Lord, we do not act like one body. We find ways to distance ourselves with more than miles. We find ways to divide ourselves into endless groups of “us” and “them.” Again and again, you call us back to the waters; again and again, we turn away. Forgive us, uniting God, and by your forgiveness, challenge us to tend to each other’s wounds. In the name of Jesus we pray. Amen

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Pastor: Hear the good news! God calls us to the life above in Christ Jesus.

People: Friends, believe the good news. In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

* Gloria Patri (#623 Hymnal)

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Reception of New Members

GOD’S WORK IN PRAYER

Prayer Concerns

Pastor’s Prayer

Lord’s Prayer- unison

Response

GOD’S WORD

Scripture: James 5:7-20 (pg. 1885)

Sermon: “Patience in Times of Trouble”

Holy Communion

Hymn: # 369 “O Jesus, I have Promised”

GOD’S WORK AND WORSHIP IN GIVING

Announcements

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Prayer

* Hymn #374 “O Love That Will Not Let Me Go”

* Benediction

* Benediction Response

* Postlude

* Stand, if comfortably able.

IN PRAYER

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Session: Joyce Stephens

Deacon: Jan Gustafson

Mission Committee: Carole Bridgford

Fellowship Committee: Dawn Turkal

Building Committee: Karl Bleyhl

Sunday School Teacher: Lisa DeBaillie

Choir Member: Michelle Kahley

Shut-In: Pauline Shroyer

Special Prayer Needs: Ann Tucker, Ruby Davis, Donna Jenkins, Jerry Stogsdill, Tracey Tucker, Jeff Sweetland, Sam Waldron, and Ed Martin.

Prayer Needs: Vicki Thomas, Harry Fink, Marlene Keleher.

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 at home and abroad.

Patience

is the supernatural gift of the



Holy Spirit

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THIS WEEK

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| Sunday | (10-3) | Sunday School | 9:15 am |
| | | Worship Service | 10:30 am |
| Tuesday | (10-5) | Food Pantry | 9-12 noon |
| Thursday | (10-7) | Building Committee | 11:00 am |
| | | Stitches 4 Souls | 12:30-2:30 pm |
| Friday | (10-8) | Food Pantry | 9-12 noon |

PLEASE NOTE:

Flowers: The beautiful flowers this morning are in memory of Jim Stephens.

Food Pantry: It is our turn to serve in the food pantry this week. Please sign up if you would like to help.

Building Committee: Our building Committee will meet on Thursday at 11:00 am.

Stitches 4 Souls: Our knitting and crochet group will meet this Thursday, October 7th and next Thursday, October 14th from 12:30 pm to 2:30 pm. All are welcome to join us.

Shoeboxes: Get your shoeboxes ready! Start bringing your shoeboxes to Church! Let's get the pile started!

Rummage Sale: Thank you to everyone who helped and/or donated to our rummage sale. It was a great success because of all your help & prayers.

Our Daily Bread: The new daily bread devotionals for September/October/November are at the back of the church. Please help yourself to them.

Wedding Bells: On October 16th, 3:00 pm at the church there will be the wedding of Bob DeBaillie and Meghan Mulholland.

Happy Birthday! The board of Deacons would like to wish a Happy Birthday to the following people this week.

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| Julia Martin | October 3 |
| Shelly Liedtke | October 4 |
| Kory Fiers | October 8 |
| Clare Manecke | October 8 |

