

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE

January 21, 2024

10:30 am

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Pastor: Hear the good news! The time has come; the kingdom of God is upon you; repent and believe the Gospel.

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

*Gloria Patri (# 623Hymnal)

JLK

GOD'S WORK IN PRAYER

Prayer Concerns

Pastor's Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Choir Response

GOD'S WORD

Scripture: Matthew 8:5-13 (pg. 1507)

Sermon: "Faith Above All"

*Hymn #10 "O Worship the King"

GOD'S WORK AND WORSHIP IN GIVING

Announcements and Pew Registration

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

* The Doxology (#625 Hymnal)

* Offertory Prayer

* Hymn #76 "O for a Thousand Tongues"

* Benediction

* *Choir Response*

* Postlude

* Stand, if comfortably able.

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

The Organ Prelude

Silent Prayer and Meditation

Choir Introit

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor: God is our rock and salvation.

People: We wait to hear from God; our souls wait.

Pastor: We depend on God alone; we release what will pass away

People: and rest in God's enduring mercy.

Pastor: Though God calls us down difficult paths,

People: we answer, relying on God's help,

Pastor: for God keeps calling us to the work.

Unison: Let us worship God!

* INVOCATION

* PRAISE TO GOD

* Hymn #8 "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Great God, Jesus awakened the disciples to a new life-changing purpose that caused them to drop it all and follow him. You call us here from our everyday work in this very busy world. Have we dropped it all to follow you? Awaken us, we pray. Show us how to leave everything behind and with our lives to proclaim the good news— your kingdom is drawing near. Make us into vessels that carry your message of love that we might, with others, turn around, see, and believe. In the name of Jesus, we pray. Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

IN PRAYER

Pastor Tim Snart and family.

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Choir Director: Eilene Stephens

Church Custodian: Dave Miller

Deacons: Amy Gentry

Session: Shannon Mock

Mission Committee: Carole Taube

Fellowship Committee: Melody Schnell

Building Committee: Carole Bridgford

Sunday School Teacher: Jodie Mortensen

Shut-In: Pauline Shroyer

Special Prayer Needs: Agnes Barnhouse's great granddaughter Charlotte Jordan, Family of Ken Bridgford, The family of Dante Parks, Shala Mannoochahr, Pete Duytschaever, Doris Coffey, Zach Maxwell.

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

MISSION EMPHASIS: Christmas Basket Ministry

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 (1-21)	Worship Service	10:30 am
	Sunday School	9:15 am
Thursday (1-25)	Choir Practice	7:00 pm

PLEASE NOTE:

Thank you: We would all like to thank Jan Gustafson for sharing her musical talents with us this morning.

Thank You: Agnes Barnhouse would like to thank everyone for all your thoughts and prayers for her great-granddaughter Charlotte during her illness. Thankfully she is now on the road to recovery.

Thank You: We just want to say thank you so much to our church family for everything you did for us during Tracey's last few months and in the weeks since we've lost her. We cannot express in words how much we appreciate the visits, cards, food, messages, donations, etc. We are especially grateful to Pastor Tim for all of his visits to Iowa City. We know that we don't have to tell you that she loved you all very much. Again, thank you all. Kerry & Dylan.

Annual Congregational Meeting: Our Annual Meeting will be **next** Sunday, January 28th immediately following the Worship service. Please have all reports in to the office as soon as possible.

Calendars: In order to save postage and supplies it has been decided that we will no longer send out newsletters but there will be Birthday & Anniversary calendars available at the back of the church. Please take one.

Retirement Letter: There is a letter from the Session of our church regarding Pastor Tim's retirement. They are being handed out at the back of the church. Please make it a point to pick yours up in order to save postage.

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

Dale Harmon	January 23
Hudson DeBaillie	January 24
Mary Steiger	January 25



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