

Next Sunday, Sept. 19
Liturgist: Tracey Drouillard
Sound: Joan & Judy

MASKS AND SOCIAL DISTANCING

Although we are now giving you the option to wear or not wear a mask while in worship, we kindly ask that you respect those that wish to continue with masks and social distancing. Please wear a mask while singing.

SPECIAL MISSION OFFERING

Missions is taking a free will offering today for UMCOR and the natural disasters happening in our nation and around the world. There is a basket in the narthex.

TODAY TODAY TODAY

Today at Noon join us for an All Church Picnic to kick off the new Sunday School year. Didn't bring a lunch? Subway is just down the road. .

QUILTS OF LOVE

Quilts of Love is planning to meet in person this year. We will meet the 3rd Wednesday of every other month, starting Sept. 15, from 10:am to noon. Quilts will still be going to serve hospice patients in Monroe County. Anyone interested in joining us would be welcome! Any questions, please contact Joanne Northey 734-771-8304.

MEETINGS COMING UP

Tomorrow, September 13th

SPRC 6:30

Trustees 7:00

Council 8:00

September 14th

Lay Leadeership 6:30

Next Monday, September 20th

Women 6:30



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sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Sept. 12, 2021

Rev. Eun Sik (Cloud) Poy

Organist:

Pianist: Carol Sieb

Sound Board: Aaron Gurgul

Liturgist: Julie Riggs

Order of Worship

Words of Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

* Call to Worship

L: Blessed is the one who does not walk in step with the wicked or stand in the way of sinners or sit in the company of mockers.

P: But his delight is in the law of the Lord, and on his law, he meditates day and night.

L: He is like a tree planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in season

P: and whose leaf does not wither. Whatever he does prospers. Not so the wicked! They are like chaff that the wind blows away.

L: Therefore, the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the assembly of the righteous.

P: For the Lord watches over the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.

Opening Song *(Please wear your mask if singing)*

This is my Father's World #144

*Greet One Another

Please remain in your pew, standing if you'd like, and greet one another with a wave of your hand and words of greeting. Children may leave worship to attend Junior Church at this time.

Praises and Prayer Requests

Prayer Chorus *Surely the Presence of the Lord* #328

(Please wear your mask if singing)

Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place; I can feel his mighty power and his grace. I can hear the brush of angels' wings, I see glory on each face; Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.

Silent and Pastoral Prayers

The Lord's Prayer

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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Scripture Reading (NRSV) 1 Samuel 17:40-50

Reader: This is the word of God for the people of God!

People: Thanks be to God!

*Hymn *(Please wear your mask if singing)*

When We All Get to Heaven #701

Message A Secret Weapon

Rev. Poy

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts

God of love, we thank you for all with which you have blessed us even to this day: for the gift of joy in days of health and strength and the gifts of your abiding presence and promise in days of pain and grief. We praise Your blessings that You provide the armor as spiritual weapons to fight to win in our spiritual warfare. We believe that Your word is a lamp for our feet, light on our path so that we will follow your righteous laws, Loving God, according to your word, we pray that you will comfort me in my trials and temptations. In the power of your word, that even when I am afraid, I may put my trust in your words. Above all else, we thank you for Jesus, who knew our griefs, who died our death and rose for our sake, and who lives and prays for us. And as he taught us, so now we pray. Amen.

Sending Song *(Please wear your mask if singing)*

God Will Take Care of You #130

*Benediction

Postlude
