

Next Sunday, Sept. 26
Liturgist: Marvin Stump
Sound: Mark Young

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.

YOUTH ROAD RALLY

Today the Youth will be having a Bigger and Better Road Rally from 6-8 pm. Meet at church at 6:00 and we will start our adventure.

MEETING COMING UP

September 20 6:30 Women's Meeting

WALKING GROUP

Our walking group is walking every night at 7:00 pm. Meet at church and walk at your own pace.



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Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

September 19, 2021

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Organist: Marsha Metz

Pianist: Carol Sieb

Sound Board: Don Vaughn

Liturgist: Tracey Drouillard

Junior Church: Karen Kessell and Anna Gurgul

Order of Worship

Words of Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

* Call to Worship

L: Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen.

P: This is what the ancients were commended for.

L: By faith we understand that the universe was formed at God's command,

P: so that what is seen was not made out of what was visible.

L: By faith Abel brought God a better offering than Cain did. By faith he was commended as righteous.

P: When God spoke well of his offerings. And by faith Abel still speaks, even though he is dead.

L: By faith, Enoch was taken from this life, so that he did not experience death: "He could not be found, because God had taken him away."

P: For before he was taken, he was commended as one who pleased God.

L: And without faith it is impossible to please God,

P: because anyone who comes to him must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who earnestly seek him.

Opening Song Easter People, Raise Your Voices #304

*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

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 Corinthians 4:10-17

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

People: Thanks be to God!

*Hymn I know Whom I Have Believed #714

Message:

Saving Faith and Living by Faith for a Christian Life Rev. Poy

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts

Almighty and Loving God! We are standing in Your Holy Presence and praising your glory with our whole heart and with thanksgiving of our heart. We humbly present our heart, mind and life as our entire being to your glory because you chose us in Christ to be holy and blameless in your love. We thank you that we are your children, and that you have assured us that, while we are intent upon your will, your will heeds our wants. By you the meek are guided in judgment, and light rises up in darkness for the godly. In your light, we may see light, and in your straight path, we may not stumble; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

Sending Song Trust and Obey #467

*Benediction

Postlude
