

IN SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY (OCT. 29)

Accompanist: Marsha Metz

Liturgist: Tim Bodenmiller

Junior Church: Jennifer Lucio

HAPPENING WEEKLY IN THE LIFE OF YOUR CHURCH

Every Monday: 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. Monday Morning Bible Reading

Every Wednesday: 10-11am Prayer Fellowship

6:30-7:30pm New Testament Reading (Cancelled this week)

Each Day: Use the Prayer Guidebook (available in the lobby) to pray daily for your family, church, community, and the world. Follow the daily Bible Reading schedule to read the Bible through in One Year.

THIS WEEK

Today:

Immediately after Sunday School today the Youth Group will make a trip to Kackleberry Farm in Monroe. Let Karyn know if you would like to go.

2pm Walk with Friends at Willow Metro park

Monday:

Newsletter material for November/December due by email to carletonumc@gmail.com.

Wednesday: in parlors

6:15pm Staff Parish Relations Zoom with D.S. Totty

7pm Church Council Zoom with D.S. Totty

“SOCK” TOBER COLLECTION

There are just a few more weeks of October left that we will be collecting new boys and girls socks and underwear for the area elementary schools. All donations can be placed in the pumpkin in the lobby. Thank you.

TRUNK or TREAT

Next Sunday, October 29th bring the kids out for Trunk N Treat. The fun begins at 4pm with games and crafts. Let Karyn Vaughn know if you are willing to help in anyway. Hot Dogs will be provided by the Men’s Society. All are welcome to hand out treats during the Trunk or Treating in the parking lot at 5pm. Cars should be in place by 4:45pm.

BAKE SALE

There will be a Bake Sale on Sunday, November 5th hosted by the Men’s Society. Donations of baked items would be greatly appreciate. Funds raised help the Men support local outreach programs.



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Worship: 9:30 a.m.

Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.

Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

October 22, 2023

Rev. Eun Sik Poy, pastor

Accompanist: Marsha Metz

Liturgist: Judy Shrewsbury

Junior Church: Kim Baxter

Order of Worship

Words of Welcome and Announcements

Prelude and Service of Lights

*Call to Worship

L: We gather here to celebrate the gospel of Jesus Christ among us.

P: We come together, united in purpose, to listen and spread the good news.

L: The word of God is a lamp that guides us to participate in the mission of God.

P: We are bearers of the light, shining it through the message of Jesus Christ.

L: Let us engage our hearts and lives in advancing the gospel.

P: We stand firm, sharing God's love and truth with our action.

All: Amen.

***Opening Song** O For a Thousand Songs to Sing (*verse 1,2,3,4*) #57

Greet One Another

Children ages 4 to 4th grade are welcome to attend Junior Church at this time with Kim Baxter.

Praises and Prayer Requests

Please fill out a green prayer card for those you are lifting in prayer today so we can send a note of encouragement to them.

Silent and Pastoral Prayer

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.

Song of Preparation When I Survey the Wondrous Cross # 298

Scripture Reading

Isaiah 40:1-9

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

People: Thanks be to God!

Message "Advancing the Gospel through the Church" Rev. Eun Sik Poy

Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts

*Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise him all creatures here below. Praise him above ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication

Almighty God, we come before you, filled with gratitude for all that Jesus Christ accomplished through His faith and life. We thank you for the gift of the gospel, bringing hope and salvation to all humanity. Loving God, Let the gospel reach every corner of the earth, touching each soul, bringing your blessings, and transforming lives. Thank you, Jesus. We pray in the precious name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

***Sending Song** *Here I Am Lord* #593

*Benediction

*Postlude

*Please stand as you are able.