

Large print bulletin 8-27-2023

WELCOME

Steve Brockman

PRELUDE

Organ-piano duet

“O, Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing” arr. Innes

The prelude is offered on behalf of the congregation.
Quiet meditations and private prayers are encouraged.

***CHIMING OF THE TRINITY**

***GREETING**

Melba Lindler

Leader: O give thanks to the Lord,

People: Call on God's Name,

Leader: Sing to the Lord, sing praises!

People: Tell of all God's wonderful works!

Psalm 116

***“BLESSED ASSURANCE”**

UMH#369

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the
Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was
crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he
ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the
Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and
the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic** church, the
communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the
body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

***GLORI PATRI**

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SCRIPTURE Psalm 37:1-6 page 443

Liturgist: Melba Lindler

CHILDREN'S TIME

Denisha Louth

PASTORAL PRAYER/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.

OFFERING

Tables are set up at the back of the sanctuary to receive your offering and mission basket donations.

"LET US SERVE HIM"

Don and Nancy Besig
St. James Chancel Choir

DOXOLOGY

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SERMON: Women of the Bible: Phoebe

Rev. Jane Jenkins

Scripture: Romans 16:1-2 page 925

***"STANDING ON THE PROMISES OF GOD"**

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COLLECT

O God, we trust in your power to create, to sustain, to enable. We

thank you for the many ways you call each and every one of us to serve with the gifts and talents you have given us. Help us to accept all people who have heard your call and followed in the way you lead them. May we all serve together, helping and supporting each other as we live and serve as people of faith. In the Name of Jesus we pray. Amen.

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**

Mission Basket

This month's Mission Basket supports our Angels in August project. Your contributions will help us reach our December goal of helping at least 30 children receive an outfit, a pair of shoes and toy.

Stop by the Sunday Hospitality Connection for a sweet treat and drink after church today!

Back to School Pool Party: 4pm at 447 Grazing Ridge Lane in Moore
United Youth: Today at 5pm at St. James
One Service next Sunday at 10:30am

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pies for sale! We will have pies for sale after church this Sunday and next for \$10.

First Sunday Food Offering. Next Sunday we will collect non perishable food items for the Bethlehem Center's food pantry. They also will accept pet food and cleaning supplies.

Fall Festival Volunteers. We have many opportunities where you can serve for the Fall Festival. The largest effort is for the yard sale. We will need help on September 11 at 10am moving items into the gym and then volunteers to price items. See Diane Harvey if you are interested.

Modern Square Dancing. The Spartan Spinners will begin a new season of lessons on Sept. 14 from 7 to 9pm at St. James. More information is available at spartanspinners.com

In Our Prayers

Jean Allison
Shirley Anderson
Nancy Becker
Phyllis Bird
Kenny Brown
Iris Browning
Lila Cates Childs
Michael Crawley
Elouise Faulkner
Al Hammerbeck
Sara Gaulden
Rena Hamrick
Marge Hart
Priscilla & Peter Heer
Lorelei Hightower
Betty Hughes

Nancy Hughston
Michelle Kelley
Shirley Lupton
Anne Lutz
Amy Mullis,
Dislocated shoulder
Sandy O'Dell
Bryson Parler,
Bill Kea's cousin
Car accident
Gwynn Radaker
Todd Ramella
George Ricker
Irene Ruskin
Joyce Scott
Kory Scott

Ira Snead
Irene Stone
Darlene Stacy
Mary Stork
Linda Taylor
Linda Thompson,
Steve Thompson's mother
Health concerns
Ivy & Jude Thomas
Dotty & Jim Tubb
Grace Vandegriff,
Surgery 8/30/23
Caty Waterfield,
Mark Fullerton's daughter,
pregnancy complications
Buddy Weathers
Barbara West
Jenny Woofert

