

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Enter God's house, for you are welcome here.

GATHERING

WELCOME AND NEWS OF OUR CHURCH FAMILY

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

PRELUDE "Intermezzo" Mascagni/Parks

INTROIT "O Most High" Man

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: From where will our help come?

All: Our help comes for the Lord, who made heaven and earth.

One: Who is our keeper?

All: The Lord is our keeper, by day and by night.

One: How long will God protect us?

All: God will keep our going out and our coming in from this time on and forevermore.

One: Our help comes from the Lord who made heaven and earth.

All: Let us worship the Lord, maker of heaven and earth.

*HYMN OF PRAISE

ST. DENIO
#48 "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of grace and love, before You we admit deep hopes and heavy hearts in our lack of faith. When life takes unexpected turns, we tend to panic, looking at our limited resources. We see through filters of fear, when our future seems uncertain and our lives seem out of control. Forgive us when we forget that You have promised to be with us wherever we go and whatever we face. Remind us you will never leave us nor forsake us. We pray in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

One: Christ Jesus comes to reconcile us to God, so we can be reconciled to one another. Recreated in God's image, we are made whole.

All: When we are in Christ, everything becomes new. Our past is just that – past!

One: Do you really believe this – that your past is done, and you are a new person? If so, go and reflect it in your life.

All: Thanks be to God! We will go into our world and live as reconciled people. Amen

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE #734

"Gloria Patri"

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power,

and the glory forever. Amen.

HEARING THE WORD

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Eternal Sovereign, may your Spirit so burn in us that we hear your words and take action to follow Jesus, your Son, in paths of justice, love, and peace. Amen.

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 90

Pew Bible page 673

Leader: The word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God**

ANTHEM

"Savior, Like a Shepherd"

Bradbury/Hegarty

Savior like a shepherd lead us,

Much we need thy tend' rest care;

In thy pleasant pastures feed us,

For our use thy folds prepare.

Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,

Thou hast brought us, thine we are:

Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,

Thou hast brought us, thine we are.

We are thine, do thou befriend us,

Be the guardian of our way;

Keep thy flock, from sin defend us,

Seek us when we go astray.

Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,

Hear, O Hear us, when we pray!

Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,

Hear, O hear us, when we pray!

Thou hast promised to receive us,

Poor and sinful though we be;

Thou hast mercy to relieve us,

Grace to cleanse, and power to free.

Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,

We will early turn to thee';

Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,

We will early turn to thee.

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 2:51-52

Pew Bible Page 72

Leader: The word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God**

SERMON

"Growing Jesus and You"

Dr. Tom Tyndall

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The 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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on 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 Ghost, the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

*HYMN #521

"Abide With Me"

EVENTIDE

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY

"Aria from '12th Concerto Grosso' "

Handel/Parks

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

*Doxology

OLD 100th

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 Dedication

SENDING

*HYMN #84

"O God, Our Help in Ages Past"

ST. ANNE

*BENEDICTION

CHORAL BENEDICTION

"Blessing"

Dengler/Dengler

Walk in the light of Jesus, piercing the darkness of the night.

Follow the radiant morning star that shines so clear and bright.

Walk in the light of Jesus; giving you hope to travel on,

Shedding its rays upon the path that leads you to the dawn.

Walk in the light. Walk in the light. Amen. Amen.

POSTLUDE "Promenade from 'Pictures at an Exhibition' "

Mussorgsky/Parks

KEEP IN OUR PRAYERS: Andy Anderson (Mike Anderson's father); Elizabeth Belard (Sharon Sides' daughter); Eugene Branham; Virginia Douglass; Jim Hawkins; Pat Hibbett; Rhett Hitchcock (grandson of Linda and Jim Suddarth); Sharon Kenny; Julia MacFarland; Harry Marsh; Thomas Powell (Susie Driver's nephew); Mildred Stanley (Tommy Boze's mother); Brim Stone

THE HEARTH: Joe Blackshear; Anna Gasser; Norma Jones

THE MAPLES: Frances Massey

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PLEASE SIGN the "Attendance Register" so that we may have a record of your presence with us.

SERVING AT WORSHIP: Head Usher: Bob Blakey; Liturgist: Fran Young; Nursery: Laura Deck and Rachel Jones

THE FLOWERS this morning are dedicated to the Glory of God and given in memory of Regine Harpole by Jimmy and Peggy Patterson.

SCHOOL IS IN SESSION. Many families struggle to be able to provide supplies for their children. Project JOY is an effort to assist families in Appalachia. Closer home, the Rescue Mission in Nashville also works with families who need supplies. And, right here in Gallatin, there are homeless children who need our help. There is a display on the wall downstairs that includes fliers of needed supplies. Take one (or more) and be a helper! Donations can be dropped off in the church office. Should you choose to give money, we will shop. Designate which organization you choose.

CHURCH FAMILY RETREAT at NaCoMe will be September 27th-29th. There is a sign-up sheet outside the church office. Please let us know of your interest so we can plan accordingly. The study book, *It's Complicated* by Jack Haberler, has been ordered and will be available for \$15.00. Questions? Contact Dianne Cothran.

GROCERY CARTS: The month of August we are collecting for

Gallatin CARES: peanut butter, cereals, oatmeal in packages, canned fruit

HomeSafe: Cleaning products, laundry detergent, toilet paper, paper towels, bathroom cleaner, diapers sizes 4,5, and 6, mac and cheese

Please bring your items and put them in the grocery carts in the downstairs lobby.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT TOGETHER: Our Wednesday night dinners have begun. Please see your insert for reservations.

SESSION

Class of 2019

Robert Blakey
Carrie Mabrey
Kenneth Thomson
Bob Young

Class of 2020

Chuck Deck
Sharon Sides
Bill Hamby

Class of 2021

Jennifer Anderson
Liz Ferrell
Ann Thurman

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday 9:30am-4:30pm

Friday 9:30am - 1:00pm

SUNDAY, AUGUST 25

9:00am Sunday School
10:00 Worship
11:00 Brunch

MONDAY, AUGUST 26

10:30am Meals on Wheels

TUESDAY, AUGUST 27

10:30am Meals on Wheels
5:30pm HomeSafe
6:30 Cub Scouts

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28

5:30pm WNT Dinner
7:00 Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, AUGUST 29

10:30am Meals on Wheels
6:30 Boy Scouts

FRIDAY, AUGUST 30

10:30am Meals on Wheels
1:00pm Church Office Closes

CHURCH STAFF

Pastor
Pastor Emeritus
Administrator
Organist/Choirmaster
Bookkeeper
Children's Ministry Coordinator
Sound Techs
Preschool Director

The Rev. Candice L. Klein
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