



First Baptist Church Bulletins and Order of Worship 2016

Missing:
Jan 3, 10, 24
Dec 18



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

January 17, 2016

Your love, O Lord, reaches to the heavens, your faithfulness to the skies.
Your righteousness is like the mighty mountains, your justice like the great
deep. Psalm 36:5-6

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Brethren, We Have Met to Worship* by Ritter

Introit

*Welcome & Call to Worship

L: Sing to the Lord a new song. Praise God in the assembly
of the faithful

P: **Let all God's children rejoice in their king**

L: Rejoice in our God! Give glory to God's holy name

P: **Praise the Lord! Sing to the Lord a new song**

*Song of Worship #177 *Rejoice, the Lord is King*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #2018 *Honor and Praise*

Giving of Our Tithes

"...remembering the words of the Lord, "It is more blessed to give than
to receive." Acts 20:35

Offertory *Give Me Jesus* by Purifoy

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

*1. Woman - now different.
Say what you mean - don't*

Children's Moment *complete -*

Prayers for the Community
Prayer for the World - 1/17/16

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #2181

We Need a Faith

Scripture

John 2:1-11

Anthem

Bound for the Kingdom by Kirkland

Message

WHAT IS THAT?

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Response #370

Teach Me Thy Will, O Lord

*You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn,
if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response

**May the grace of Christ, our Savior, and the love of God,
our Father, and the fellowship of the Spirit be with us.
Forever and ever, forevermore. Amen****

Postlude

United in Faith by Ritter

**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Larry Faulk

Lay Worship Participant: Jerry Palmer

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

Choir Director: Jim Stephenson

First Baptist Church Prayer List

Our Praises

Richard was able to go home for the weekend (Dave L.)

Larry took down the Chrismon tree (Jane M.)

Safety for kids as they go skiing (Dr. Allison)

Our Prayer Requests

Daniel J. upcoming brain surg. to relieve seizures (Randy T.)

Ellen B. upcoming surgery in March (Mary Lou L.)

Unspoken requests (2) (Jane MS.)

Ruby pancreas/health issues (Deb N.)

Kathy L. test results came in & it was good news (Sherry C.)

Trina & family, her dad passed away (Deb F.)

Richard, @University Hospital to receive treatment (Dave L.)

Daniel H. slight stroke (Randy T.)

Laurie, continued health issues (Dr. Allison)

John, cont. treatments for cancer, in good spirits (Jeanne E.)

Richard, going in for start of new treatment (Dave L.)

Margaret H. & Shirley M. cancer treatments (Pam F.)

Aunt Erma diag. w/cancer (Ken S.)

Alvin Cox, cont. chemo treatments

Our Church

Dr. Mark Allison, our pastor

Church Musicians

Our World

Prayers for our country's leaders and those who serve

Prayers for people who are traveling

Our Mission Outreach

Family Promise

Emerson & Ivy Wu – dev. workers, Macau/Hong Kong

Jeni Pedzinski – New Life Center, Thailand

Our College Students

Emily Bowman, Jane Mercer at Univ. of Miami, Ohio

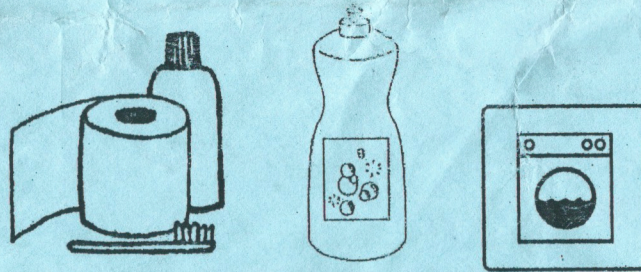
Ian Ferguson at College of Wooster

Sarah Bowman at Wright State University

Evan, Samuel, & Jonathan Allison at Univ. of Missouri

Our January Mission Focus
Family Promise

1. Liquid laundry soap
2. Liquid dish soap
3. Toilet tissue
4. Paper towels
5. Large bottles of shampoo



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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time
- MLK Service 3 p.m., Zion AME

This Week

- MLK Celebration Breakfast 1/18, 7:45 a.m. at OWU
- Choir Rehearsal 1/20, 7 p.m.
- Panera Pick-Up* 1/21, 8:45 p.m.

Next Sunday

- Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
- Worship Service 10:45 a.m.
- Newsletter Deadline
- Mission/Outreach Meeting 2 p.m. at the Lovell's (661 Cobblestone Drive)

Looking Ahead

- Quarterly Business Meeting 1/27,
 - 6:30 p.m. Potluck; 7 p.m. Business Meeting

*indicates more information in bulletin

Panera Bread Pick-Up January 21st pick-up people are *the Lovell Family*. Thank you!!

Thank you! Thank you to *Jeanne Ekelberry* for providing snacks for fellowship time today.

Family Promise Donations Please don't forget to bring needed items for our monthly outreach this month: Family Promise. The top five items needed are **liquid laundry detergent, liquid dish soap, toilet tissue, paper towels, and large bottles of shampoo**. There is a box in the welcome center to add in your donations. Thank you!

Attendance:	Sunday School	Jan 10	24
	Worship		30
Kid Connection Leader:	Today	Deb & Scott Nace	
	Jan 24th	Pam Faulk/Colin	

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TO EACH IS GIVEN

THE MANIFESTATION OF THE SPIRIT

FOR THE COMMON GOOD

- 1 CORINTHIANS 12:7





CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

January 31, 2016

And now these three remain: faith, hope, and love. But the greatest of these is love. Corinthians 13:13

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Who At My Door Is Standing* by Broughton

Introit

*Welcome & Call to Worship

L - We celebrate the loving presence of God in our life

P - May God's loving presence be a strong influence in our lives

L - Nurturing God, we gather in your presence to worship you

P - We rejoice that God teaches us about love and forgiveness

L - As we grow in faith, trust, and love for God;

P - May our worship, witness, and service bring honor to God's Holy Name

*Song of Worship #25 *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #2270 *He Has Made Me Glad*

Giving of Our Tithes

"...All shall give as they are able, according to the blessing of the Lord your God, that he has given you." Deuteronomy 16:17

Offertory *In His Love* by Ressler

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Pretty to look at.

Children's Moment

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #359

More Love to Thee

Scripture

Luke 6:27-36

Anthem

Nearer, Still Nearer by Morris

Children who are ages pre-K through 4th grade may leave at the end of the anthem with the Kid Connection leader.

Message

AND JESUS TAUGHT....

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #2223 *They Will Know We Are Christians*
You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn, if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.

*Benediction

*Benediction Response

May the grace of Christ, our Savior, and the love of God, our Father, and the fellowship of the Spirit be with us. Forever and ever, forevermore. Amen**

Postlude

Let the World Go Forth by Birchwood

**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Larry Faulk

Lay Worship Participant: Pam Shears

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

Choir Director: Jim Stephenson

Lenten Bible Study We will begin the Lenten book study on the first Sunday of Lent, which happens to be Valentine's Day, February 14. We will begin with a covered dish dinner in the Fellowship Hall at 6:00. This will be followed by the Lenten study from 6:30-7:30. We will be studying the book *He Set His Face to Jerusalem*. If you wish to have your own copy of the book, please check the Get Connected Slip so it can be ordered. If you wish to make a contribution toward the cost of the book, it will be around \$10.00, and that can be included in the Sunday offering with a notation or you can give money to Randy Turner.

February's Mission Focus This month we will be focusing on Salvation Army Guest House needs. This is a place that helps people who have been victims of human trafficking. Items are given to the individuals as they leave and set up an independent life. Items that can be donated are shelf stable food, new dish sets, pots & pans, pre-paid cell phone, cooking utensils, gift cards (Meijer, Wal-Mart, Target, Kroger, fuel-cards), hair products, hygiene products, new sheet sets, and new pillows.

First Baptist Church Prayer List

Our Praises

Glad the snowstorms passed over Delaware

Our Prayer Requests

Alvin Cox, treatment on Thursday & now at home (Dave L.)

Jennifer diagnosed as diabetic

Genevieve feeling better & on the mend (Ken P.)

Penny H. loss of sister & cont personal health issues (Lana P.)

Richard, home on & off in between treatments (Dave L.)

Susie good test results, manageable health issue (Deb N.)

Daniel J. upcoming brain surg. to relieve seizures (Randy T.)

Ellen B. upcoming surgery in March (Mary Lou L.)

Unspoken requests (2) (Jane MS.)

Kathy L. test results came in & it was good news (Sherry C.)

Daniel H. slight stroke (Randy T.)

Laurie, continued health issues (Dr. Allison)

Margaret H. & Shirley M. cancer treatments (Pam F.)

Aunt Erma diag. w/cancer (Ken S.)

Our Church

Dr. Mark Allison, our pastor

Trustees

Our World

Prayers for our country's leaders and those who serve

People on the East Coast in the blizzard, also safety of the
workers involved with clean-up

Our Mission Outreach

Family Promise

Emerson & Ivy Wu – dev. workers, Macau/Hong Kong

Jeni Pedzinski – New Life Center, Thailand

Our College Students

Emily Bowman, Jane Mercer at Univ. of Miami, Ohio

Ian Ferguson at College of Wooster

Sarah Bowman at Wright State University

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1-31-16

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time

This Week

- Board of Christian Ed 2/1, 5:30 p.m. @ Faulk's House
- Choir Rehearsal 2/3, 7 p.m.
- Panera Pick-Up* 2/4, 8:45 p.m.

Next Sunday

- Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
- Worship Service 10:45 a.m.

Looking Ahead

- Lenten Bible Study (more info to come soon!)

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Panera Bread Pick-Up February 4th pick-up people are the *Faulk's*. Thank you!!

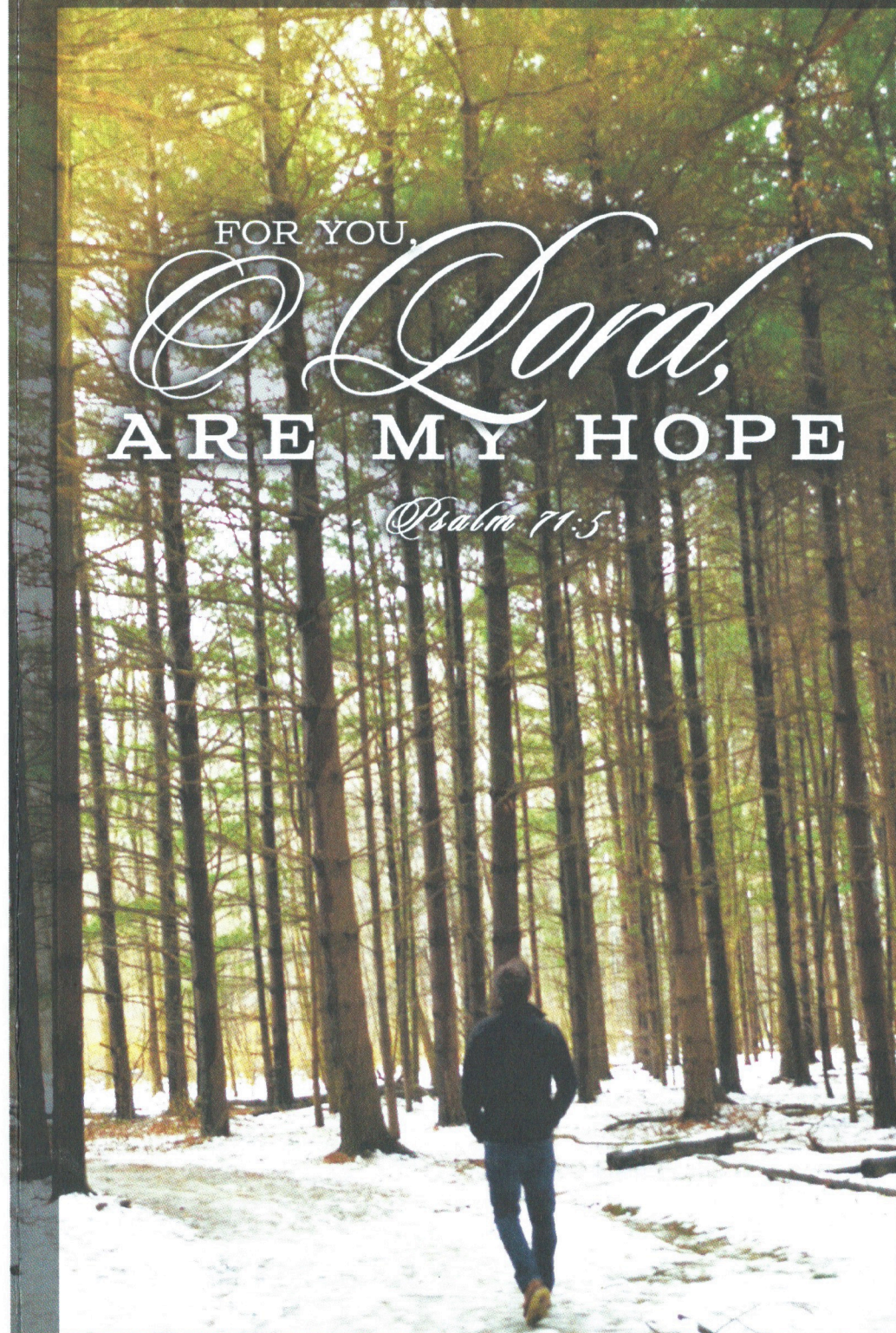
Thank you! Thank you to *Dave & Mary Lou Lovell* for providing snacks for fellowship time today. February is open for volunteers to bring in snacks, please sign up in the assembly room. Thank you!

Attendance:	Sunday School	Jan 24	24
	Worship		46
Kid Connection Leader:	Today	Debbie Fogle/Claire	
	Feb 7th	Pam Shears/Aidan	

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CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

February 7, 2016

Therefore we do not lose heart. Though outwardly we are wasting away, yet inwardly we are being renewed day by day. II Corinthians 4:16

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *The Pleading Voice* by Chopin

Introit

*Welcome & Call to Worship

L – The Lord reigns, let the earth shake. Great is the Lord, he
Is exalted over all the nations

**P – Let them praise your great and awesome name—he is
holy**

L – The king is mighty, he loves justice—you have established
equity

**P – Exalt the Lord our God and worship at his holy
mountain, for the Lord our God is holy**

*Song of Worship #31 *Praise Him, Praise Him*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #2271 *Come, Come*

Giving of Our Tithes

*"...All shall give as they are able, according to the blessing of the Lord your
God, that he has given you." Deuteronomy 16:17*

Offertory *Near the Cross* by Hayes

*Doxology #572 *Praise God from Whom All Blessings*

Children's Moment

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #441

Lead Us, O Father

Scripture

Luke 9:18-27

Anthem

*Children who are ages pre-K through 4th grade are welcome to go to Kid
Connection at end of the anthem with the Kid Connection leader.*

Message

TURNING POINT

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Response #213

Let Us Break Bread

The Lord's Supper

Prayer of Blessing
Sharing of the Bread
Sharing of the Cup

*Fellowship Circle & Song of Departure, #207 (vs 1)
Blest Be the Tie That Binds

*Benediction

Postlude

Praise to God the Father by Ritter
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Larry Faulk

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Organist: Jennifer Turner

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*Miracles
in 2016
to go to
the
service*

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Youth Group Meeting On February 21st, the youth will be sharing a pizza dinner with the members of the Lenten Bible Study at 6 p.m. and then we will follow it up with a youth group meeting about 6:30. We will be having a short devotion, an activity, and a "bacon" game. Come join us!

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First Baptist Church Prayer List

Our Praises

Warm week of weather coming up

Our Prayer Requests

Aunt Erma diag. w/cancer, doing well (Ken S.)

Harley 1 year old, serious health issues (Dave L.)

Ray in hospital, improving (Deb F.)

Susan & Family passing of her mom, back surgery (Deb F.)

Alvin Cox, treatment on Thursday & now at home (Dave L.)

Jennifer diagnosed as diabetic

Genevieve feeling better & on the mend (Ken P.)

Penny H. loss of sister & cont personal health issues (Lana P.)

Richard, home on & off in between treatments (Dave L.)

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Laurie, continued health issues (Dr. Allison)

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Our Church

Dr. Mark Allison, our pastor

Board of Christian Ed

Our World

Prayers for our country's leaders and those who serve

People on the East Coast in the blizzard, also safety of the
workers involved with clean-up

Our Mission Outreach

Salvation Army Guest House

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Jeni Pedzinski – New Life Center, Thailand

Our College Students

Emily Bowman, Jane Mercer at Univ. of Miami, Ohio

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **Fellowship Time**

This Week

- **Deacons** 2/8, 6:30 p.m. @ Lovell's House
- **Pancake Supper*** 2/9, 6 p.m.
- **Choir Rehearsal** 2/10, 7 p.m.
- **Panera Pick-Up*** 2/11, 8:45 p.m.
- **Women's Breakfast** 2/13, 9 a.m. @ Panera

Next Sunday

- **Sunday School** 9:30 a.m.
- **Worship Service** 10:45 a.m.
- **Lenten Bible Study*** 6:00 p.m. Potluck/6:30 p.m. Study

Looking Ahead

- **Men's Breakfast** 2/20, 8 a.m. @ Bob Evans
- **Youth Group Meeting*** 2/21, Pizza @ 6 p.m. with Lenten Bible Study / 6:30 p.m. Youth Group Meeting

*indicates more information in bulletin

Panera Bread Pick-Up February 11th pick-up people are the Triggs. Thank you!!

Thank you! Thank you to Pam & Larry Faulk for providing snacks for fellowship time today. Next week is the Lovells.

Pancake Supper Join us in the Fellowship Hall on Tuesday night for our annual Pancake Supper. We will have pancakes, waffles, sausage, fruit, and blueberry sauce. Guests are welcome. Please feel free to bring a talent or reading to share.

Attendance:	Sunday School	Jan 31	24
	Worship		41
Kid Connection Leader:	Today	Pam Shears/Aidan	
	Feb 7th	Pat Gosser/Alec	

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— Where the —
SPIRIT
 — of the —
LORD IS,
 — there is —
FREEDOM

2 Corinthians 3:17





CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

February 14, 2016

*Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is,
there is freedom. II Corinthians 3:17*

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Christians We Have Met to Worship* by Hayes

Introit

*Welcome & Call to Worship

L - We gather together in the name of Jesus Christ

P - **Members of God's family, and brothers and sisters to one another**

L - There are no outsiders here among us, no one has any special standing

P - **We have all been brought together by the redeeming love of Jesus**

L - As we grow in faith, trust, and love for God;

A - **Let us all join together in worship**

*Song of Worship #18 *Praise the Lord Who Reigns Above*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #40 *To God Be the Glory*

Giving of Our Tithes

"...All shall give as they are able, according to the blessing of the Lord your God, that he has given you." Deuteronomy 16:17

Offertory *His Eye Is on the Sparrow* by Hayes

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Children's Moment

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #403 *Walking in the Sunlight*

Scripture *Luke 9:28-36*

Anthem *The Shepherd of Love*
Children who are ages pre-K through 4th grade may leave at the end of the anthem with the Kid Connection leader.

Message **THE TRANSFIGURATION**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #2226 *Bind Us Together*
You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn, if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.

*Benediction

*Benediction Response
**May the grace of Christ, our Savior, and the love of God,
our Father, and the fellowship of the Spirit be with us.
Forever and ever, forevermore. Amen****

Postlude *A New Year's Song* by Hayes
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Dave Lovell

Lay Worship Participant: Jim Snyder

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Jennifer Turner

Choir Director: Jim Stephenson

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **Fellowship Time**
- **Lenten Bible Study*** 6:00 p.m. Potluck/6:30 p.m. Study

This Week

- **Choir Rehearsal** 2/17, 7 p.m.
- **Panera Pick-Up*** 2/18, 8:45 p.m.
- **Men's Breakfast** 2/20, 8 a.m. @ Bob Evans

Next Sunday

- **Sunday School** 9:30 a.m.
- **Worship Service** 10:45 a.m.
- **Lenten Bible Study*** 6:00 p.m. Pizza/6:30 p.m. Study
- **Youth Group Meeting*** 2/21, Pizza @ 6 p.m. with Lenten Bible Study / 6:30 p.m. Youth Group Meeting

Looking Ahead

- **Parish Council** 2/25, 7 p.m.
- **FBC Youth hosting Marion Assoc. Youth*** 3/14

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Panera Bread Pick-Up February 18th pick-up people are the *Nace Family*. Thank you!!

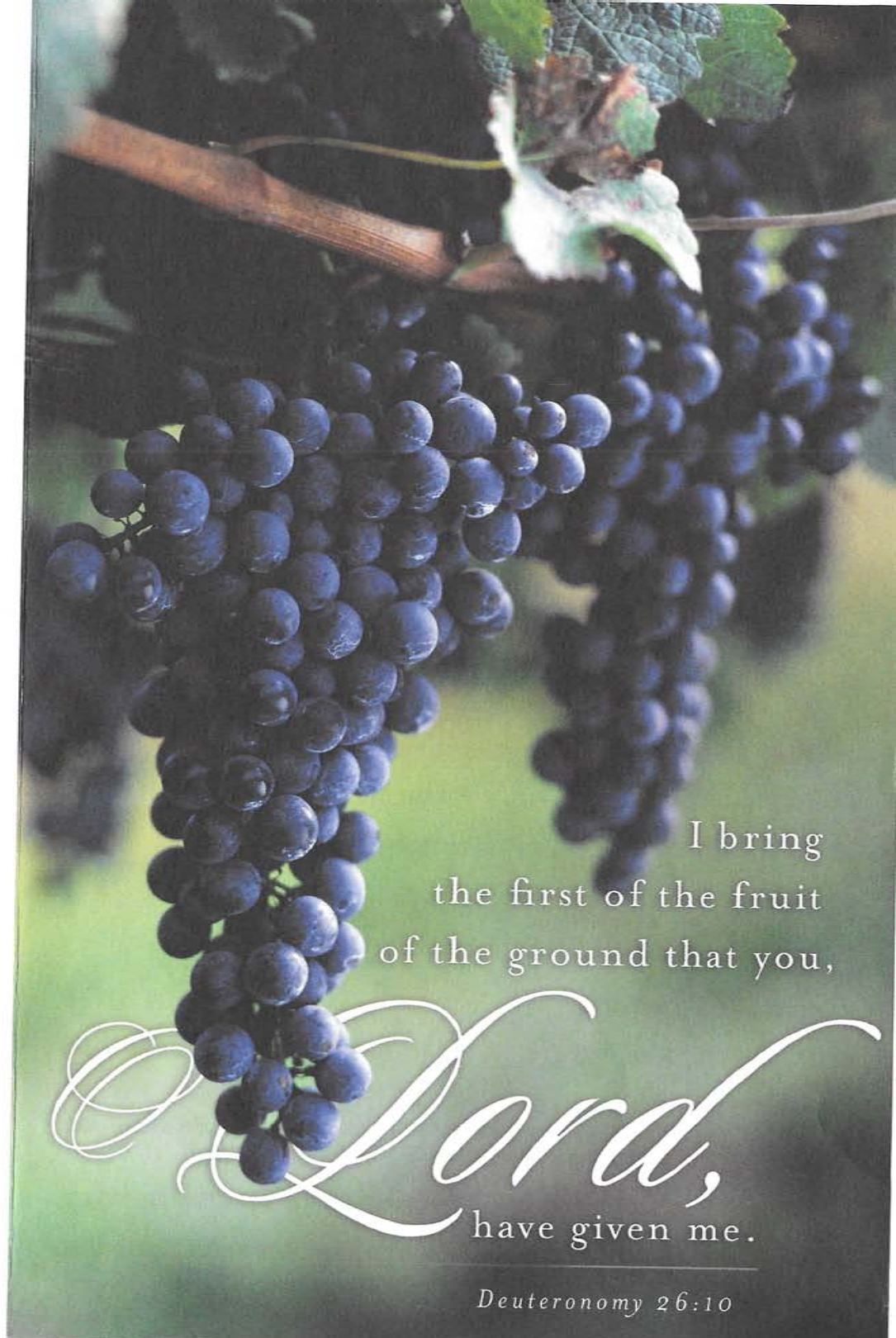
Thank you! Thank you to *Lovells* for providing snacks for fellowship time today. Next week is the *Shears*.

Attendance:	Sunday School	Feb 7	22
	Worship		40
Kid Connection Leader:	Today	Pat Gosser/Alec	
	Feb 21st	Pam Faulk/Will	

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I bring
the first of the fruit
of the ground that you,

Lord,
have given me.

Deuteronomy 26:10



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

February 21, 2016

*Abram believed the Lord, and he credited it to him as righteousness
Genesis 15:6*

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Lenten Song by Eliot*

Introit

*Welcome & Call to Worship

L - O Sing to the Lord a new song

P - **Sing to the Lord all the earth**

L - "For behold, I am doing a new thing," says your God

P - **And this we long to see and embrace**

L - Wait for the Lord, be strong and take heart and wait for
the Lord

A - **We come before our God with expectancy and hope!
Come, let us worship God**

*Song of Worship #36 *The God of Abraham Praise*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #2004 *Praise the Source of Faith & Learning*

Giving of Our Tithes

*"...All shall give as they are able, according to the blessing of the Lord your
God, that he has given you." Deuteronomy 16:17*

Offertory *How Lovely Are Thy Dwellings*

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Children's Moment

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #354 *I Am Thine O Lord*

Scripture *Luke 13:31-35*

Anthem *Burdens Are Lifted at Calvary by Moore*
*Children who are ages pre-K through 4th grade may leave at the
end of the anthem with the Kid Connection leader.*

Message **WAITING**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #2241 *The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve*
*You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn,
if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response
**May the grace of Christ, our Savior, and the love of God,
our Father, and the fellowship of the Spirit be with us.
Forever and ever, forevermore. Amen****

Postlude *O Lord Thou Righteous God*
**please stand as you are able*

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This Week

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- **Panera Pick-Up*** 2/25, 8:45 p.m.

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Looking Ahead

- **Parish Council** 3/3, 7 p.m.
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Panera Bread Pick-Up February 25th pick-up people are the Gossers. Thank you!!

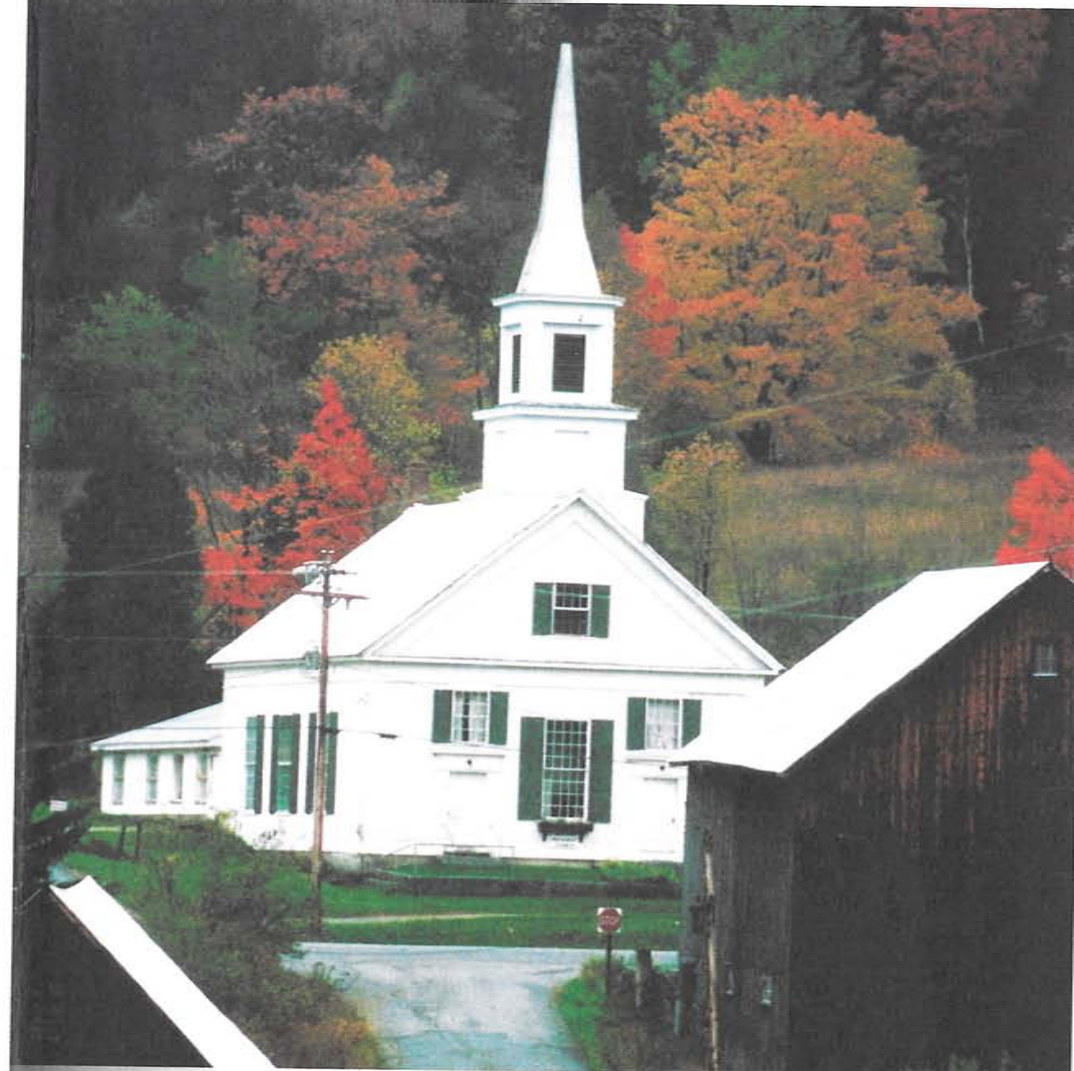
Thank you! Thank you to *Shears* for providing snacks for fellowship time today. Next week is the Gossers.

Attendance:	Sunday School	Feb 14	15
	Worship		33
Kid Connection Leader:	Today	Pam Faulk/Will	
	Feb 28th	Debbie Fogle/Colin	

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'Blessed is the one who comes
IN THE NAME OF THE
L O R D'

- Luke 13:35



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

February 28, 2016

No temptation has seized you except what is common to man. And God is faithful; he will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear.
1 Corinthians 10:13

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *He Cares for Me* by Ellis

Introit

*Welcome & Call to Worship

L - Happy are the people whose God is the Lord

P - **Great is the Lord and greatly to be praised**

L - Every day I will bless you, loving God, and praise your name forever and ever

P - **We worship the God who has conquered sin and death, who is raised to eternal life, and who claims us each one as brothers and sisters with our Lord, Jesus Christ**

*Song of Worship #35 *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #2208 *O How He Loves You and Me*

Giving of Our Tithes

Ascribe to the Lord, O families of nations, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength! Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; bring an offering and come into his courts Psalm 96:7-8

Offertory *I Hear Thy Welcome Voice* by Peterson

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Children's Moment

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #2132

You Who Are Thirsty

Scripture

Isaiah 55:1-9

Anthem

Whiter Than Snow by Paxton

Children who are ages pre-K through 4th grade may leave at the end of the anthem with the Kid Connection leader.

Message

HIGHER WAYS

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #273 *Give Me Thy Heart, Says the Father*
You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn, if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.

*Benediction

*Benediction Response

May the grace of Christ, our Savior, and the love of God, our Father, and the fellowship of the Spirit be with us. Forever and ever, forevermore. Amen**

Postlude

Christ, the Cornerstone by Wilson

**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Dave Lovell

Lay Worship Participant: Lana Palmer

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

Choir Director: Jim Stephenson

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **Fellowship Time**
- **Lenten Bible Study** 6:30 p.m., Fellowship Hall
- **Mission & Outreach Meeting**, 1:30 p.m., Fellowship Hall

This Week

- **Choir Rehearsal** 3/2, 7 p.m.
- **Panera Pick-Up*** 3/3, 8:45 p.m.
- **Parish Council** 3/3, 7 p.m.

Next Sunday

- **Sunday School** 9:30 a.m.
- **Worship Service** 10:45 a.m.

Looking Ahead

- **FBC Youth hosting Marion Assoc. Youth*** 3/14

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Panera Bread Pick-Up March 3rd pick-up people are the *Faulks*. Thank you!!

Thank you! Thank you to the *Gossers* for providing snacks for fellowship time today. Next week is the *Palmers*.

Youth Group hosting the ABY of Marion Association First Baptist Church Delaware is hosting the Marion Association Youth on Sunday, March 13th from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

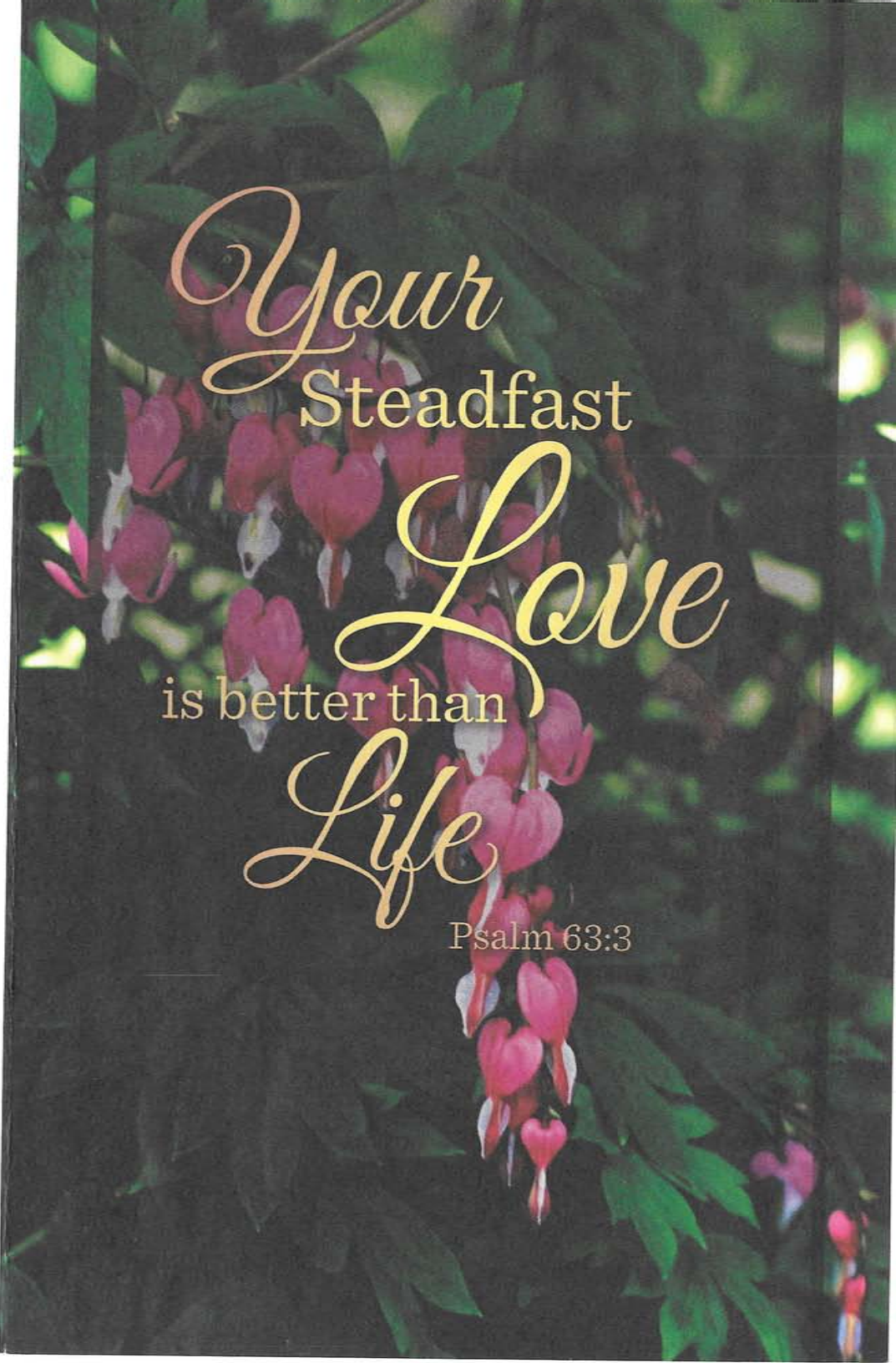
Easter Lilies If you would like to purchase an Easter lily, please fill out the yellow *Get Connected* slip. Orders will be taken up to Palm Sunday (3/20). See slip for more details.

Attendance:	Sunday School	Feb 21	21
	Worship		39
Kid Connection Leader:	Today	Pam Faulk/Colin	

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Your Steadfast Love
is better than
Life

Psalm 63:3



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

March 6, 2016

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has gone, the new has come! II Corinthians 5:17

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Jesus, I Come to Thee* by Thygerson

Introit

*Welcome & Call to Worship

L – Rejoice in the Lord and be glad, you righteous; sing, all you who are upright in heart!

P – Blessed is he whose transgressions are forgiven, whose sins are covered

L – Rejoice in the Lord and be glad, you righteous; sing, all you who are upright in heart!

P – You are my hiding place, you will protect me from trouble, and surround me with songs of deliverance

A – Rejoice in the Lord and be glad, you righteous; sing, all you who are upright in heart!

*Song of Worship #223 *God Hath Spoken by His Prophets*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #2088 *Lord, I Lift Your Name on High*

Giving of Our Tithes

"...All shall give as they are able, according to the blessing of the Lord your God, that he has given you." Deuteronomy 16:17

Offertory *Lord Jesus, Think on Me* by Southbridge

*Doxology #572

Praise God from Whom All Blessings

Children's Moment

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #2137 *Would I Have Answered*

Scripture *Luke 15:11-32*

Anthem *I Glory in the Cross* by Ballard/McDonald
Children who are ages pre-K through 4th grade are welcome to go to Kid Connection at end of the anthem with the Kid Connection leader.

Message **LOST AND FOUND**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Response #473 *Take Up Thy Cross and Follow Me*

The Lord's Supper

Prayer of Blessing
Sharing of the Bread
Sharing of the Cup

*Fellowship Circle & Song of Departure, #207 (vs 1)
Blest Be the Tie That Binds

*Benediction

Postlude *Chorale Postlude* by Wilson
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Dave Lovell

Lay Worship Participant: Pam Shears

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

Choir Director: Jim Stephenson

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time
- Lenten Bible Study 6:30 p.m., Fellowship Hall

This Week

- Board of Christian Ed 3/7, 6:30 p.m. at Faulk's
- Choir Rehearsal 3/9, 7 p.m.
- Panera Pick-Up* 3/10, 8:45 p.m.
- 2nd Friday Meal* Andrews House
- Women's Fellowship Breakfast 9 a.m. @ Panera
- TIME CHANGE! 3/12

Next Sunday

- Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
- Worship Service 10:45 a.m.
- FBC Youth hosting Marion Assoc. ABY* 3/13, 2-4

Looking Ahead

- Maundy Thursday Communion Service

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Panera Bread Pick-Up March 10th pick-up people are the Lovells and Fogles. Thank you!!

Thank you! Thank you to the Turners for providing snacks for fellowship time today. Next week is the Turners.

Easter Lilies If you would like to purchase an Easter lily, please fill out the yellow *Get Connected* slip. Orders will be taken up to Palm Sunday (3/20). See slip for more details.

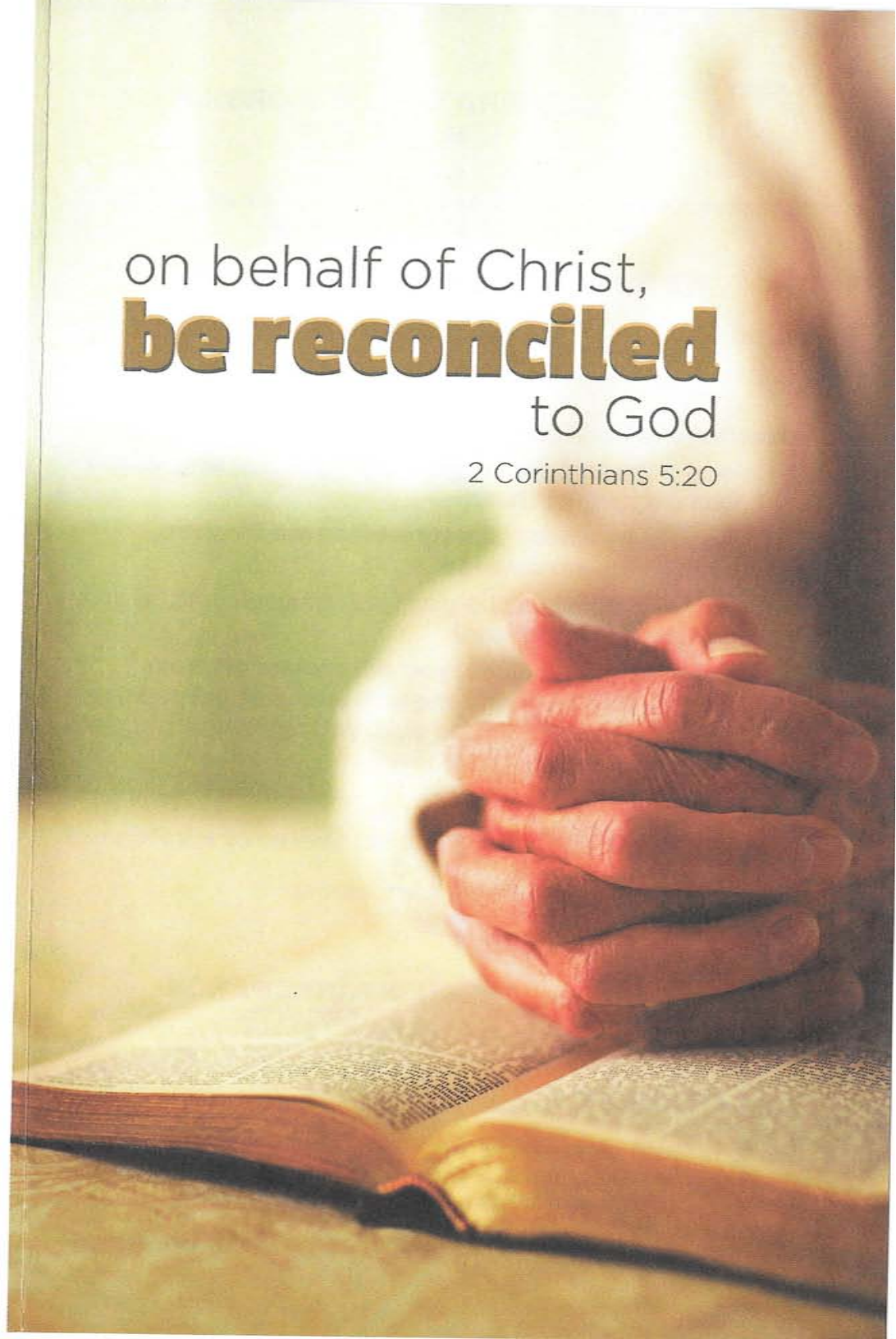
Attendance:	Sunday School	Feb 28	21
	Worship		42
Kid Connection Leader:	Today	Erin Faulk/Aidan Larry Faulk/Claire	

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on behalf of Christ,
be reconciled
to God

2 Corinthians 5:20





CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

March 13, 2016

Those who sow in tears will reap with songs of joy. Psalms 126:5

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *A Lenten Prelude by Pergolesi*

Introit

*Welcome & Call to Worship

L - Spring is about to break forth!

P - **In all the land, new life is happening!**

L - Feel the wonder and power of God's creative energy

P - **Feel the awe and joy of God's love for us**

L - Let us worship God with a sense of joy and expectation

P - **Let us open our hearts, our spirits, our souls, to God's lavish love.**

*Song of Worship #96 *Praise Him! Praise Him!*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #98 *O Savior, Precious Savior*

Giving of Our Tithes

Ascribe to the Lord, O families of nations, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength! Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; bring an offering and come into his courts Psalm 96:7-8

Offertory *Melodia Sacra by Smith*

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Children's Moment

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #2086

Open Our Eyes

Scripture

John 12:1-8

Anthem

Beneath the Shadow by Fettke

Children who are ages pre-K through 4th grade may leave at the end of the anthem with the Kid Connection leader.

Message

A BEAUTIFUL ANOINTING

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #66 *Take the Name of Jesus With You*
You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn, if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.

*Benediction

*Benediction Response

May the grace of Christ, our Savior, and the love of God, our Father, and the fellowship of the Spirit be with us. Forever and ever, forevermore. Amen**

Postlude

Recessional by Saxton

**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Jennifer Turner

Lay Worship Participant: Jerry Palmer

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

Choir Director: Jim Stephenson

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **Fellowship Time**
- **ABY*** 2-4 p.m., Fellowship Hall
- **Lenten Bible Study** 6:30 p.m., Fellowship Hall

This Week

- **Deacons** 3/14, 6:30 p.m. at Dr. Allison's Home
- **Choir Rehearsal** 3/16, 7 p.m.
- **Panera Pick-Up*** 3/17, 8:45 p.m.
- **ABM** 3/19, 8 a.m. @ Bob Evans, Delaware
- **Quilters Workday** 3/19, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Next Sunday (Palm Sunday)

- **Sunday School** 9:30 a.m.
- **Worship Service** 10:45 a.m.
- **Lenten Bible Study** 6:30 p.m., Fellowship Hall

Looking Ahead

- **Maundy Thursday Communion Service, 3/24**

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Panera Bread Pick-Up March 17th pick-up people are the *Palmers*. Thank you!!

Thank you! Thank you to the *Turners* for providing snacks for fellowship time today. Last week's snacks were provided by the *Palmers*. Next week is Jeanne Ekelberry.

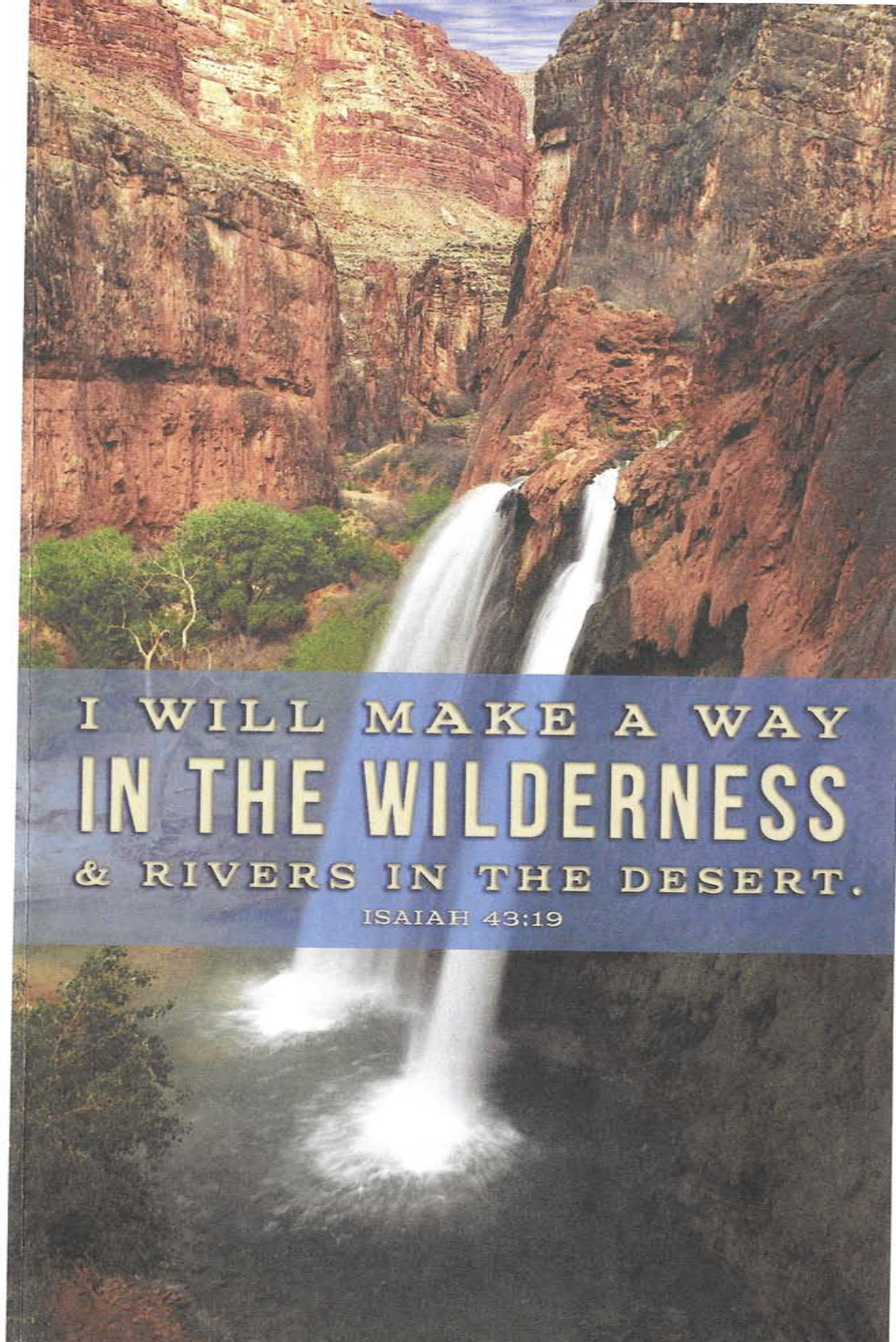
America for Christ Offering During the month of March, the AFC Offering is collected. Our goal is \$700. The total as of today is \$120. Thank you!

Attendance:	Sunday School	March 6	15
	Worship		31
Kid Connection Leader:	Today	Larry Faulk/Claire	
	March 20	Pat Gosser/Alec	

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I WILL MAKE A WAY
IN THE WILDERNESS
& RIVERS IN THE DESERT.

ISAIAH 43:19



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

March 20, 2016

*This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.
Psalms 118:24*

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *The Triumph of the King* by Broughton

*Call to Worship & Processional of the Palms

L: This is the day the Lord has made

P: **Let us rejoice and be glad in it**

L: O Lord, save us

P: **O Lord, grant us success**

L: Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord

P: **From the house of the Lord we bless you**

L: The Lord is God, and he has made his light shine upon us.

P: **With boughs in hand, join in the festal procession up to the horns of the altar**

L: You are my God, and I will give you thanks

P: **You are my God, and I will exalt you**

A: **Give thanks to the Lord for he is good; his love endures forever.**

*Song of Worship #134 *Hosanna, Loud Hosanna*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #131

All Glory Laud and Honor

Giving of Our Tithes

Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; bring an offering and come into his courts. Psalm 96:8

Offertory

There Is a Green Hill Far Away by Bolks

*Song of Giving #583

We Give Thee But Thine Own

Special Music

The Palms by Faure

Randy Turner-soloist

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

Anthem

Blessed Is the King! Hosanna by Larson

Scripture

Luke 23:26-49

*Song of Meditation #148 *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*
Children who are ages pre-K through 4th grade may leave at the end of the anthem with the Kid Connection leader.

Message

CRUCIFIED

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #72

My Jesus, I Love Thee

You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn, if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.

*Benediction

*Benediction Response #236 (vs 1)

The Old Rugged Cross

Postlude

Palm Sunday by Paxton

**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Jennifer Turner

Lay Worship Participant: Jim Snyder

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

Choir Director: Jim Stephenson

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **Fellowship Time**
- **Lenten Bible Study*** 6 p.m. Pizza/6:30 p.m. Fellowship Hall
- **Newsletter Deadline**

This Week

- **Choir Rehearsal** 3/23, 7 p.m.
- **Maundy Thursday Communion Service*** 3/24, 7 p.m.
- **Panera Pick-Up*** 3/24, 8:45 p.m.
- **Good Friday Ecumenical Services*** 3/25, 11 a.m.

Next Sunday (Easter)

- **Sunday School** 9:30 a.m.
- **Worship Service** 10:45 a.m.

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Panera Bread Pick-Up March 24th pick-up people are the *Nace Family*. Thank you!!

Thank you! Thank you to the *Jeanne Ekelberry* for providing snacks for fellowship time today. There will **not** be fellowship time next Sunday.

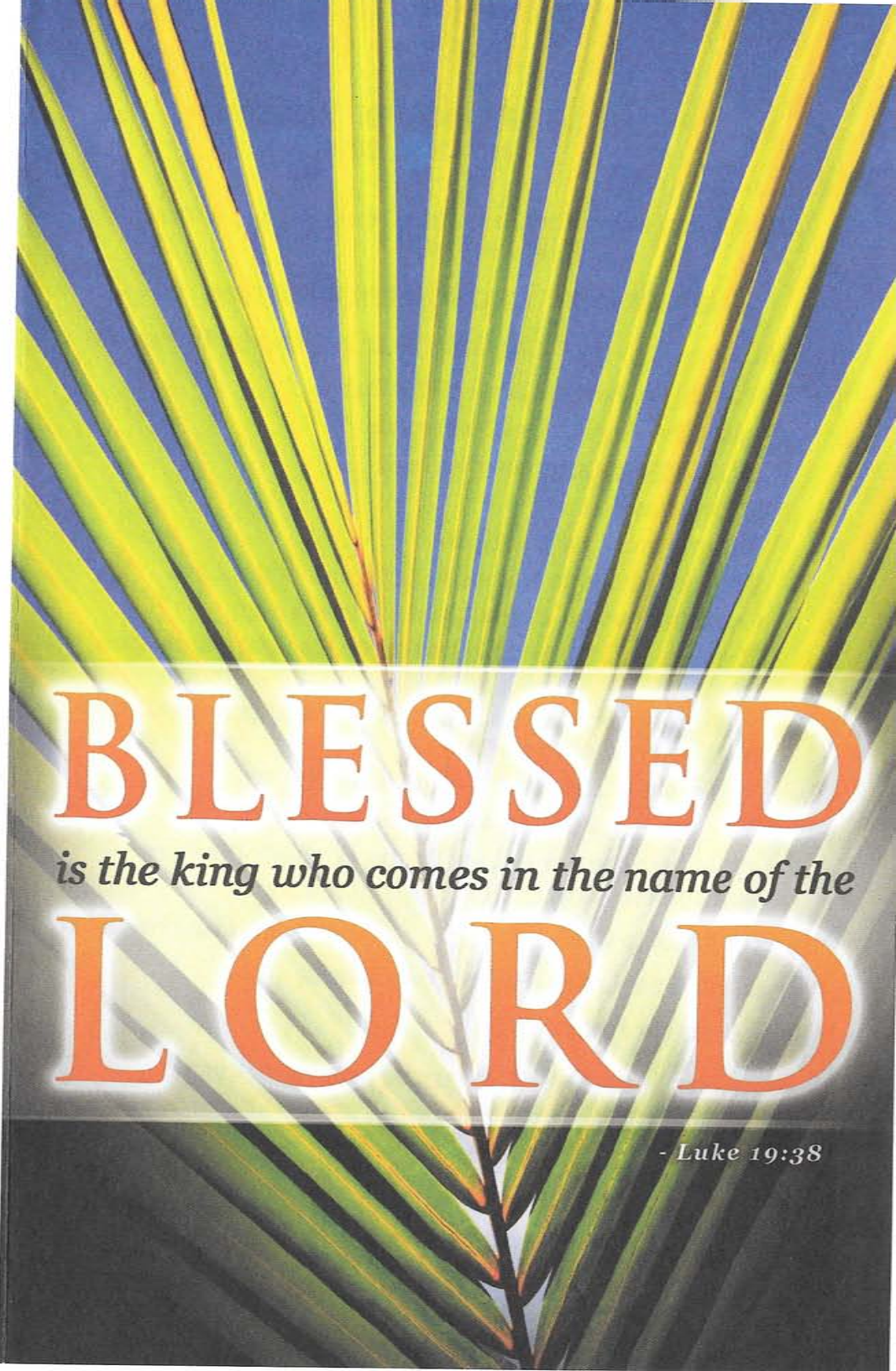
America for Christ Offering During the month of March, the AFC Offering is collected. Our goal is \$700. The total as of today is \$170. Thank you!

Lenten Bible Study The last Lenten Bible study will be tonight starting with a pizza meal at 6 p.m., pizzas will be provided. Please bring a salad or dessert to share.

Attendance:	Sunday School	March 13	20
	Worship		32
Kid Connection Leader:	Today	Pat Gosser/Alec	
	March 27	Pam Shears/Will	

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BLESSED

is the king who comes in the name of the

LORD

- Luke 19:38



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

March 27, 2016

*The death he died, he died to sin once for all; but the life he lives,
he lives to God. Romans 6:10*

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *My Lord, What a Morning* by Wilson

Introit *Christ the Lord is Risen* by Paxton

*Call to Worship

L: Hallelujah! Christ is risen!

P: He is risen indeed!

L: The kingdom of this world has become the
kingdom of our Lord, and of his Christ; and he
shall reign forever and ever

P: We give thanks to you, Lord God Almighty,
who was, and is, and is to come.

*Song of Worship #165 *Low in the Grave He Lay*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #63 *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*

Giving of Our Tithes

*Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; bring an offering and come into
his courts. Psalm 96:8*

Offertory *Thine is the Glory* by Handel
Aidan Ferguson, Colin Ferguson, & Will Fogle - violinists

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Special Music

The Holy City by Adams
Claire Turner-soloist

Children's Moment

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #168 *The Day of Resurrection*

Scripture *Luke 24:1-12*

Anthem *He Is Alive!* By Lantz III
*Children who are ages pre-K through 4th grade may leave at the
end of the anthem with the Kid Connection leader.*

Message **THE LIVING AMONG THE DEAD**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #163 *Christ the Lord is Risen Today*
*You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn,
if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Christ is Risen, Alleluia!*

Postlude *Good Christians All, Rejoice and Sing* by Paxton
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Jennifer Turner

Lay Worship Participant: Lana Palmer

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

Choir Director: Jim Stephenson

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **Easter Worship Service**

This Week

- **Parish Council** 3/31, 7 p.m.
- **Panera Pick-Up*** 3/31, 8:45 p.m.

Next Sunday

- **Sunday School** 9:30 a.m.
- **Worship Service** 10:45 a.m.
- **Stepping Up Mission Moment Speaker**

*Indicates more information in bulletin

Panera Bread Pick-Up March 31st pick-up people are the Gossers. Thank you!!

Fellowship Time There will **not** be fellowship time today. Please greet your neighbor and enjoy your Easter celebration.

America for Christ Offering During the month of March, the AFC Offering is collected. Our goal is \$700. The total as of today is \$455. Thank you!

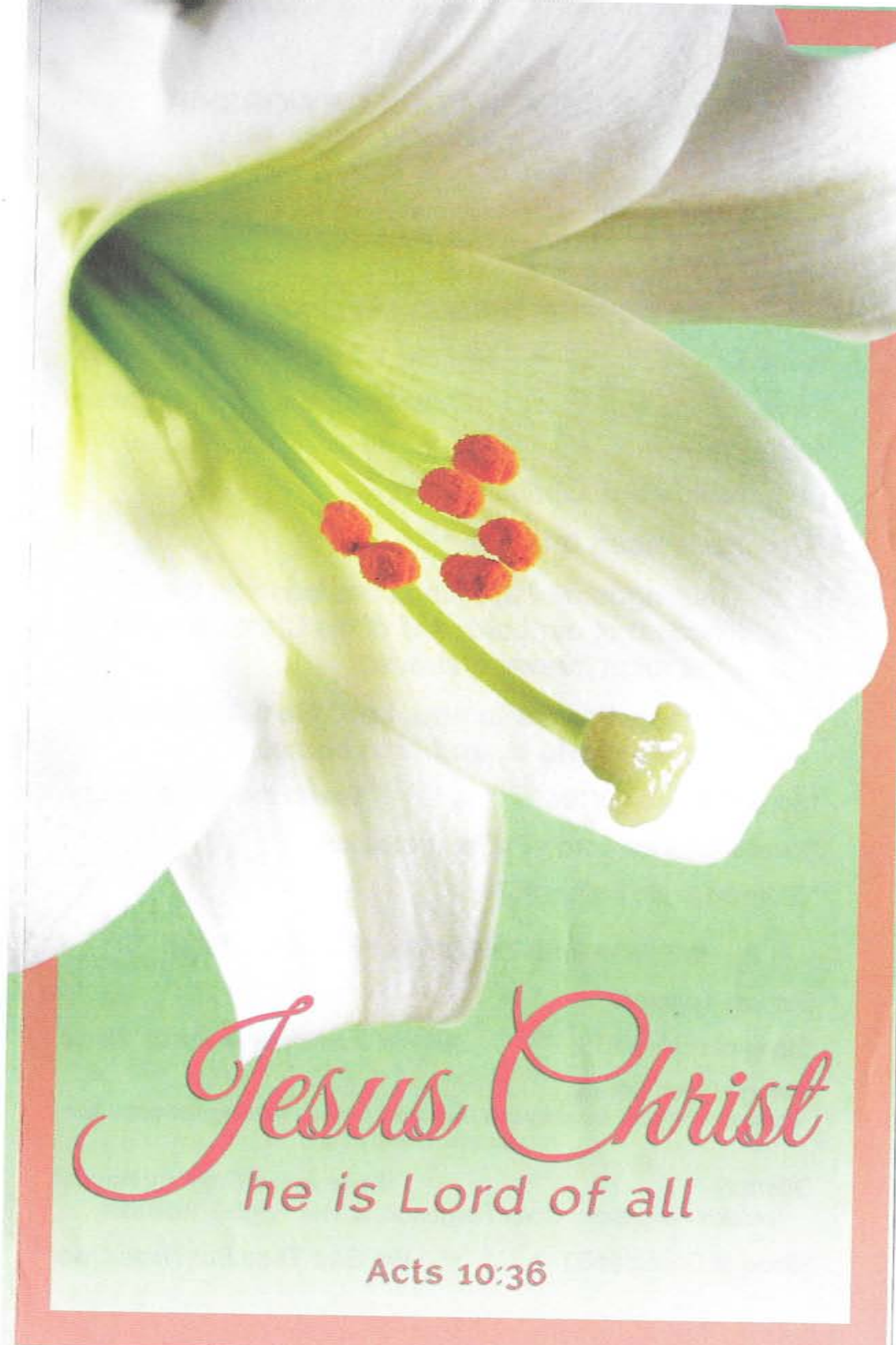
Easter Offering The money from the Easter offering envelopes will be sent to the Common Ground Free Store.

Attendance:	Sunday School	March 20	18
	Worship		45
Kid Connection Leader:	Today	Pam Shears/Will	
	April 3	Lana Palmer/Colin	

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Jesus Christ
he is Lord of all

Acts 10:36



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

April 3, 2016

I am the Alpha and the Omega, says the Lord God, who is and was and is to come, the almighty. Revelation 1:8

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Prelude on "Morning Song" by Paxton*

Introit

*Welcome & Call to Worship (Psalm 150)

L – Praise the Lord. Praise God in his sanctuary; praise him in his mighty heavens.

P – Praise him for his acts of power; praise him for his surpassing greatness

L – Praise him with the sounding of the trumpets; praise him with the harp and the lyre

P – Praise him with the tambourine and dancers; praise him with the strings and flute

L – Praise him with the clash of cymbals; praise him with resounding cymbals

P – Let everything that has breath praise the Lord

A – Praise the Lord!

*Song of Worship #174 *Alleluia! Sing to Jesus*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

Mission Moment *Getting Ahead, Stepping Up, & Bridges*
Bonnie Ristau & Nancy Miller

*Song of Praise #2115 *Christ Has Risen*

Giving of Our Tithes

Honor the Lord with all your substance and with the first fruits of all your produce. Proverbs 3:9

Offertory

He Is Lord by Bolks

*Doxology #572

Praise God from Whom All Blessings

Children's Moment

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #2119 *Where the Spirit of the Lord Is*

Scripture *John 20:19-31*

Anthem *Fill All My Vision by Christiansen/Hammontree*
Children who are ages pre-K through 4th grade are welcome to go to Kid Connection at end of the anthem with the Kid Connection leader.

Message **STOP BEING FAITHLESS**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Response #360 *Speak Lord in the Stillness*

The Lord's Supper

Prayer of Blessing
Sharing of the Bread
Sharing of the Cup

*Fellowship Circle & Song of Departure, #207 (vs 1)
Blest Be the Tie That Binds

*Benediction

Postlude *Christ in Triumph by Smith*
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Jennifer Turner

Lay Worship Participant: Pam Faulk

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

Choir Director: Jim Stephenson

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time

This Week

- Board of Christian Ed 4/4, 5:30 p.m.
- Choir Rehearsal 4/6, 7 p.m.
- Panera Pick-Up* 4/7, 8:45 p.m.
- Women's Fellowship 4/9, 9 a.m. @ Panera

Next Sunday

- Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
- Worship Service 10:45 a.m.
- Mission & Outreach Team 1:30 p.m.

*Indicates more information in bulletin

Panera Bread Pick-Up April 7th pick-up people are the Faulks. Thank you!!

Fellowship Time Thank you to the Gossers for providing snacks today. Next week snack providers are the Faulks.

America for Christ Offering During the month of March, the AFC Offering was collected. Our goal was \$700. The total as of today is \$656. Thank you!

Teacher Appreciation Don't forget to bring items for Conger Elementary School Teacher Appreciation gift bags.

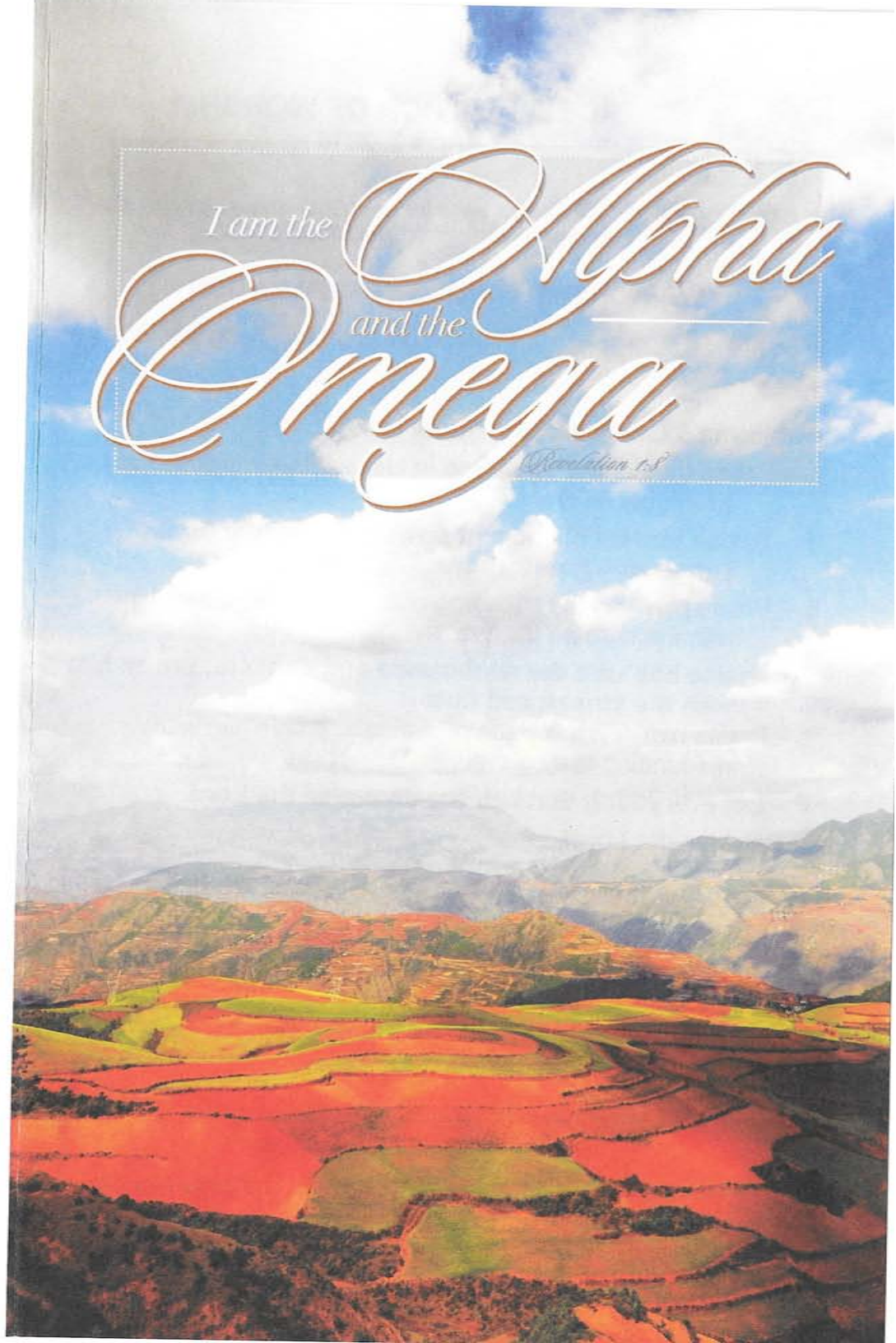
Mission Evening Ann Clemmer is presenting her stories of her mission work in South Sudan. FBC Mt. Gilead (53 W. High St., Mt Gilead, OH 43338) will be hosting her on April 17th at 7 p.m.. There will be refreshments and fellowship following the presentation.

Attendance:	Sunday School	March 27	20
	Worship		72
Kid Connection Leader:	Today	Lana Palmer/Colin	
	April 10	Debbie Fogle/Claire	

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*I am the Alpha
and the Omega*
Revelation 1:8





CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

April 10, 2016

Sing to the Lord, you saints of his; praise his holy name. For his anger lasts only a moment, but his favor lasts a lifetime. Psalm 30:4-5a

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Tocatta by Diemer*

Introit

*Call to Worship

L: Praise the Lord!

P: **I will exalt you, O Lord, for you lifted me up out of the depths**

L: Great are the works of the Lord

P: **O Lord my God, I called to you for help and you healed me. You brought me up from the grave.**

L: The Lord is gracious and merciful

P: **You turned my wailing into dancing, you removed my sackcloth and clothed me with joy**

A: **O Lord My God, I will give you thanks forever**

*Song of Worship #19 *Ye Servants of God*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #2018 *Honor and Praise*

Giving of Our Tithes

Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; bring an offering and come into his courts. Psalm 96:8

Offertory *Pastorale by Held*

*Song of Giving #583

We Give Thee But Thine Own

Children's Moment

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #2166

Christ Beside Me

Scripture

John 21:1-19

Anthem

Children who are ages pre-K through 4th grade may leave at the end of the anthem with the Kid Connection leader.

Message

OUT OF THE DEPTHS

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #417

What a Fellowship

You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn, if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.

*Benediction

*Benediction Response

Postlude

Postlude by Dinda

**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Claire Turner

Lay Worship Participant: Jerry Palmer

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Jennifer Turner

Choir Director: Jim Stephenson

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time
- Mission & Outreach Team 1:30 p.m.

This Week

- Choir Rehearsal 4/13, 7 p.m.
- Stepping Up Meal 4/13, 4:30 p.m.
- Panera Pick-Up* 4/14, 8:45 p.m.
- ABM 4/16, 8 a.m. @ Bob Evans

Next Sunday

- Sunday School 9:30 a.m.,
 - Adult Topic: "Faith Recovered" Luke 8:26-36
- Worship Service* 10:45 a.m.
- Youth Group 6:30 p.m.
- Mission Event* 7 p.m. @ Mt. Gilead FBC

Looking Ahead

- Deacons 4/18, 6:30 p.m.

*Indicates more information in bulletin

Panera Bread Pick-Up April 14th pick-up people are the Chambers. Thank you!!

Fellowship Time Thank you to the Faulks for providing snacks today. Next week snack providers are the Chambers.

Teacher Appreciation Don't forget to bring items for Conger Elementary School Teacher Appreciation gift bags.

Pastor Vacation Please note Dr. Allison will be on vacation from 4/11-4/18. If there is a concern that needs to be addressed, please contact a Deacon. Dr. Dave Brown will be our guest minister on April 17th while our pastor is out of town.

Attendance:	Sunday School	April 3	21
	Worship		42
Kid Connection Leader:	Today	Debbie Fogle/Claire	
	April 17	Randy Turner/Aidan	

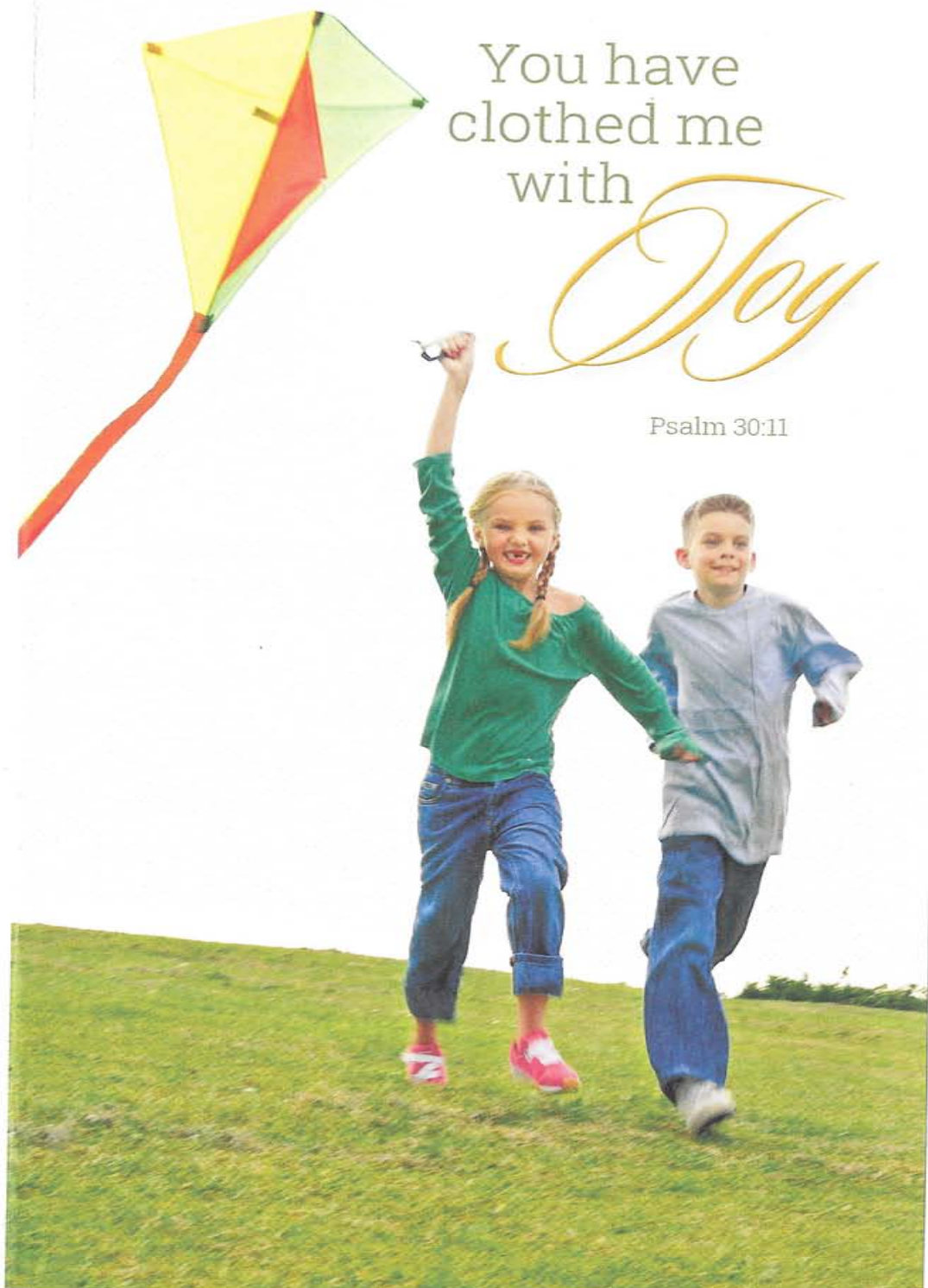
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You have
clothed me
with

Joy

Psalm 30:11





CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

April 17, 2016

My soul finds rest in God alone; my salvation comes from him. He alone is my rock and my salvation; he is my fortress, I will never be shaken.

Psalm 62:1-2

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Son of God, Eternal Savior* by Schack

Introit

*Call to Worship (adapted from PC of Aotearoa, New Zealand reading on Matthew 10:28-30)

L: Christ calls us to come to worship
P: **To rest from the things that are troubling us**
L: To learn what Christ can teach of life
P: **To realize what we can offer to others**
L: And so to return into the world to serve
A: **Let us worship God**

*Song of Worship #63 *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #2042 *How Lovely, Lord, How Lovely*

Giving of Our Tithes

Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; bring an offering and come into his courts. Psalm 96:8

Offertory *Praise Medley* by Hayes

*Song of Giving #583

We Give Thee But Thine Own

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #435 *What a Friend We Have in Jesus*

Scripture *Matthew 10:28-30*

Anthem *My Faith Has Found a Resting Place* by Denton
Children who are ages pre-K through 4th grade may leave at the end of the anthem with the Kid Connection leader.

Message **THE WAY TO REST**
Dr. Dave Brown-guest pastor

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #252 *O Soul, Are You Weary and Troubled?*
You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn, if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, & Fellowship*

Postlude *Psalm of Redemption* by Smith
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Guest Pastor: Dr. Dave Brown

Worship Leader: Claire Turner

Lay Worship Participant: Pam Shears

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Jennifer Turner

Choir Director: Jim Stephenson

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time
- Youth Group 6:30 p.m.
- Mission Event* 7 p.m. @ Mt. Gilead FBC

This Week

- Deacons 4/18, 6:30 p.m.
- Choir Rehearsal 4/20, 7 p.m.
- Panera Pick-Up* 4/21, 8:45 p.m.

Next Sunday

- Sunday School 9:30 a.m.,
- Worship Service* 10:45 a.m.

Looking Ahead

- Children's Day 6/5

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Panera Bread Pick-Up April 21st pick-up people are the *Faulks*. Thank you!!

Fellowship Time Thank you to the *Chambers* for providing snacks today. Next week snack providers are the *Triggs*.

Teacher Appreciation Don't forget to bring items for Conger Elementary School Teacher Appreciation gift bags.

Welcome! Please welcome Dr. Dave Brown to our worship service today. He is giving the message this morning while Dr. Allison is out of town. We are happy to have him here this morning to worship with us!

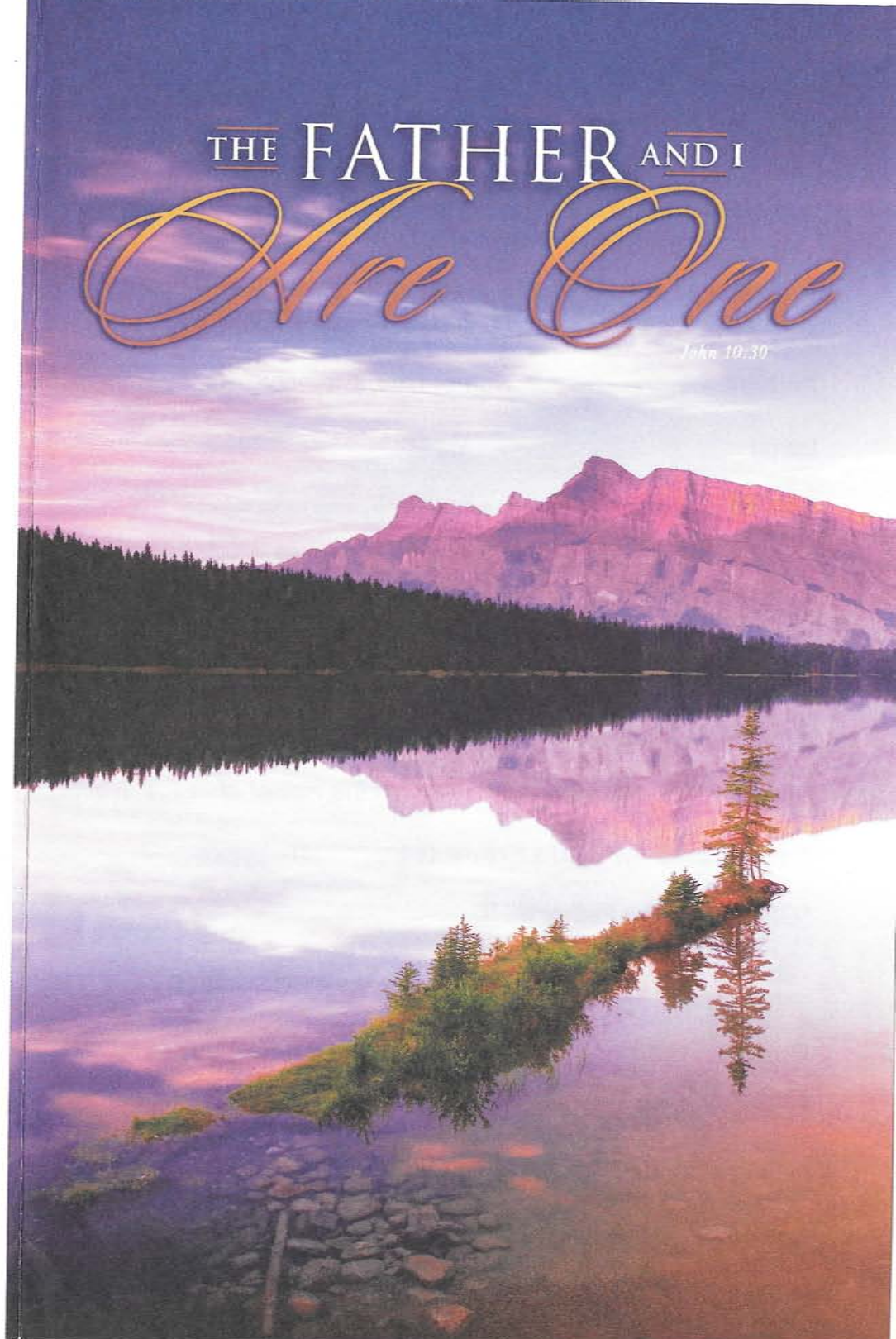
Mission Evening Ann Clemmer is presenting her stories of her mission work in South Sudan. FBC Mt. Gilead (53 W. High St., Mt Gilead, OH 43338) will be hosting her **today** at 7 p.m.. There will be refreshments and fellowship following the presentation.

Attendance:	Sunday School	April 10	17
	Worship		37
Kid Connection Leader:	Today	Pat Gosser/Aidan	
	April 23	Randy Turner/Alec	

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THE FATHER AND I

We Are One

John 10:30



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

April 24, 2016

Let them praise the name of the Lord, for his name alone is exalted, his splendor is above the earth and the heavens. Psalm 148:13

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Joyful, We Adore Thee* by Fedak

Introit

*Call to Worship

L: Praise the Lord. I will extol the Lord with all my heart

P: **Great are the works of the Lord. They are pondered by all who delight in them**

L: Glorious and majestic are his deeds, and his righteousness endures forever

P: **He has caused his wonders to be remembered. The Lord is gracious and compassionate**

L: He provides food for those who fear him

A: **He remembers his covenant forever. Praise the Lord!**

*Song of Worship #12 *Praise the Lord, His Glories Show*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #2008 *Let All Things Now Living*

Giving of Our Tithes

Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; bring an offering and come into his courts. Psalm 96:8

Offertory *Melody* by Kihlken

*Song of Giving #583

We Give Thee But Thine Own

Children's Message

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #329

Walk in the Light!

Scripture

Acts 11:1-18

Anthem

Children who are ages pre-K through 4th grade may leave at the end of the anthem with the Kid Connection leader.

Message

EVEN THE GENTILES

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #350 *Open My Eyes, That I May See*
You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn, if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, & Fellowship*

Postlude *Toccata* by Fedak
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Claire Turner

Lay Worship Participant: Pam Faulk

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Jennifer Turner

Choir Director: Jim Stephenson

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time

This Week

- Potluck/Business Meeting 4/27, 6:30 / 7:00 p.m.
- Panera Pick-Up* 4/28, 8:45 p.m.

Next Sunday

- Sunday School 9:30 a.m.,
- Worship Service* 10:45 a.m.

Looking Ahead

- Children's Day 6/5

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Panera Bread Pick-Up April 28th pick-up people are the Gossers. Thank you!!

Fellowship Time Thank you to *Carol Grubbs* for providing snacks today. Next week snack providers are the *Triggs*.

Teacher Appreciation Don't forget to bring items for Conger Elementary School Teacher Appreciation gift bags. If you are bringing apples, please bring them next week on May 1st. Thank you!

Attendance:	Sunday School	April 24	9
	Worship		28
Kid Connection Leader:	Today	Randy Turner/Alec	
	May 1st	Pam Faulk/Will	

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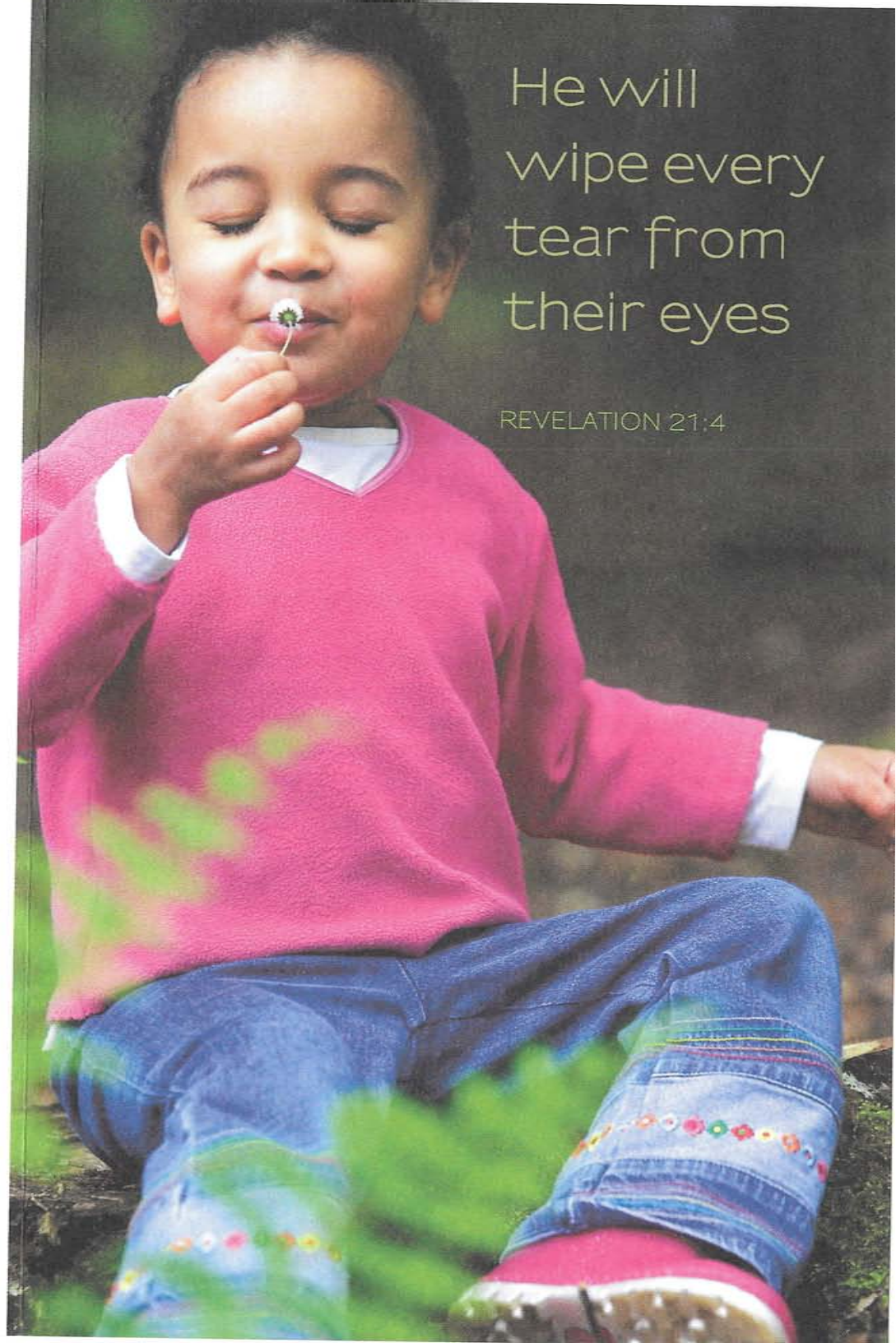
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He will
wipe every
tear from
their eyes

REVELATION 21:4





CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

May 1, 2016

There will be no more night, they will not need the light of a lamp or the light of the sun for the Lord God will be their light. Revelation 22:5

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *What Wondrous Love* by Burkhardt

Introit

*Welcome & Call to Worship (Psalm 67:1-5)

L – As we gather to worship God we pray

P – May God be gracious to us, and bless us and make his face shine upon us

L – That your ways may be known upon the earth, your salvation among all nations

P – May the peoples praise you, O God, May all the peoples praise you

L – May the nations be glad and sing for joy, for you rule the peoples justly, and guide the nations of the earth

A – May the peoples praise you, O God, may all the peoples praise you

*Song of Worship #17 *Praise the Lord!*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #2271 *Come! Come! Everybody Worship*

Giving of Our Tithes

Honor the Lord with all your substance and with the first fruits of all your produce. Proverbs 3:9

Offertory *Andante Religioso* by Beethoven

*Doxology #572 *Praise God from Whom All Blessings*

Children's Moment

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #536 *Jerusalem the Golden*

Scripture *Revelation 21:22-22:5*

Anthem

Children who are ages pre-K through 4th grade are welcome to go to Kid Connection at end of the anthem with the Kid Connection leader.

Message **THE HEAVENLY CITY**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Response #2265 *Time Now to Gather*

The Lord's Supper

Prayer of Blessing
Sharing of the Bread
Sharing of the Cup

*Fellowship Circle & Song of Departure, #207 (vs 1)
Blest Be the Tie That Binds

*Benediction

Postlude *Fanfare Joyeux* by Kohlmann
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

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Worship Leader: Claire Turner

Lay Worship Participant: Lana Palmer

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Jennifer Turner

Choir Director: Jim Stephenson

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time
- Mission/Outreach Team 1:30 p.m.

This Week

- Board of Christian Ed. 5/2, 5:30 @ church
- Choir Rehearsal 5/4, 7:00 p.m.
- Panera Pick-Up* 5/5, 8:45 p.m.

Next Sunday

- Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
- Worship Service 10:45 a.m.

Looking Ahead

- Last day of Sunday School 5/22
- Summer Hours Begin 5/29, 10 a.m.
- Youth Sunday 6/5

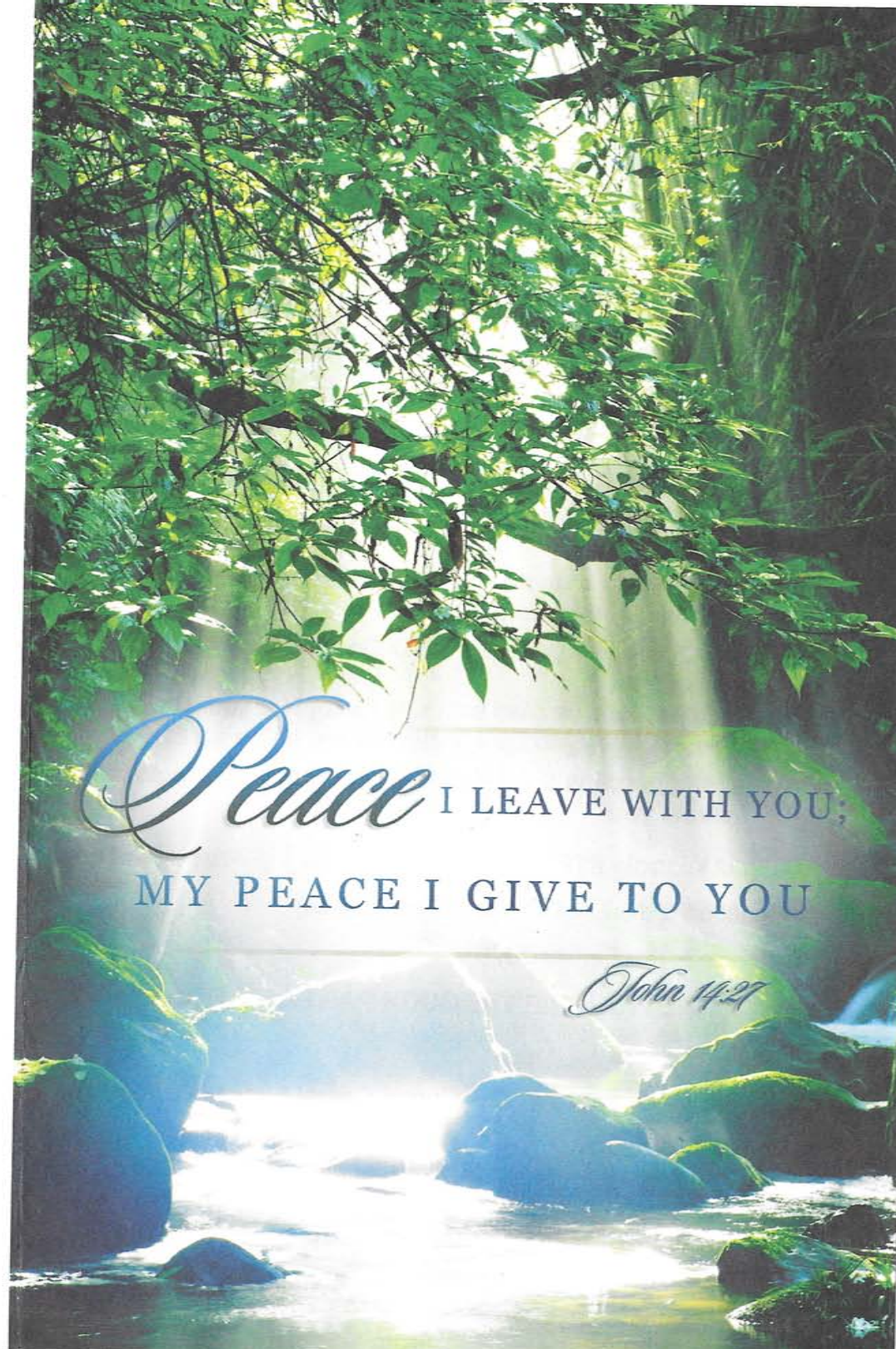
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Panera Bread Pick-Up May 5th is OPEN for pick-up people. *Please sign up in assembly room today!* Thank you!!

Fellowship Time Thank you to *Triggs* for providing snacks today. May 8th & May 15th snack providers are *Open for Volunteers!* Please take a minute and sign up in the assembly room during fellowship time today.

CWS Blanket Sunday On Mother's Day, May 8th, we have an opportunity to honor the women in our lives by contributing money for Blanket Sunday. These donations go to help in our nation and around the world for people in need.

Attendance:	Sunday School	April 24	18
	Worship		36
Kid Connection Leader:	Today	Pam Faulk/Will	
	May 8th	Jennifer Turner/Colin	



Peace I LEAVE WITH YOU;
MY PEACE I GIVE TO YOU

John 14:27



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

May 8, 2016

Whoever is thirsty, let him come; and whoever wishes, let him take the free gift of the water of life. Revelation 22:17b

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies* by Peterson

Introit

*Call to Worship

L: Let us worship the name of our wonderful God

P: **The Lord reigns, he is robed with majesty**

L: The world is firmly established, it cannot be moved

P: **Mightier than the thunder of the great waters, mightier than the breakers of the sea**

L: The Lord on high is mighty

A: **May God give strength to all who gather here today; may the Lord bless us with peace and joy**

*Song of Worship #550 *When Morning Gilds the Skies*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

Blanket Dedications

*Song of Praise #2189 *A Mother Lined a Basket*

Giving of Our Tithes

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and do not forget all his benefits. Psalm 103:2

Offertory *A Mother's Prayer* by Ritter

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Children's Message

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #174

Alleluia, Sing to Jesus

Scripture

Luke 24:44-53

Anthem

Happy the Home by Ritter

Children who are ages pre-K through 4th grade may leave at the end of the anthem with the Kid Connection leader.

Message

THE ASCENSION

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #177

Rejoice, the Lord is King

You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn, if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.

*Benediction

*Benediction Response

Grace, Love, & Fellowship

Postlude

Christ Ascends! by Kendall

**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Larry Faulk

Lay Worship Participant: Pam Shears

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

Choir Director: Jim Stephenson

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time

This Week

- Board of Deacons 5/9, 6:30 @ church
- Choir Rehearsal 5/11, 7 p.m.
- Panera Pick-Up* 5/12, 8:45 p.m.
- Women's Breakfast 5/14, 9 a.m. @ Panera's

Next Sunday

- Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
- Worship Service 10:45 a.m.
- Youth Group Meeting* 6:30 p.m. @ Blue Limestone Park

Looking Ahead

- Last day of Sunday School 5/22
- Summer Hours Begin 5/29, 10 a.m.
- Youth Sunday 6/5

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Panera Bread Pick-Up May 12th is Pat Gosser for pick-up. Please sign up in assembly room today! Thank you!!

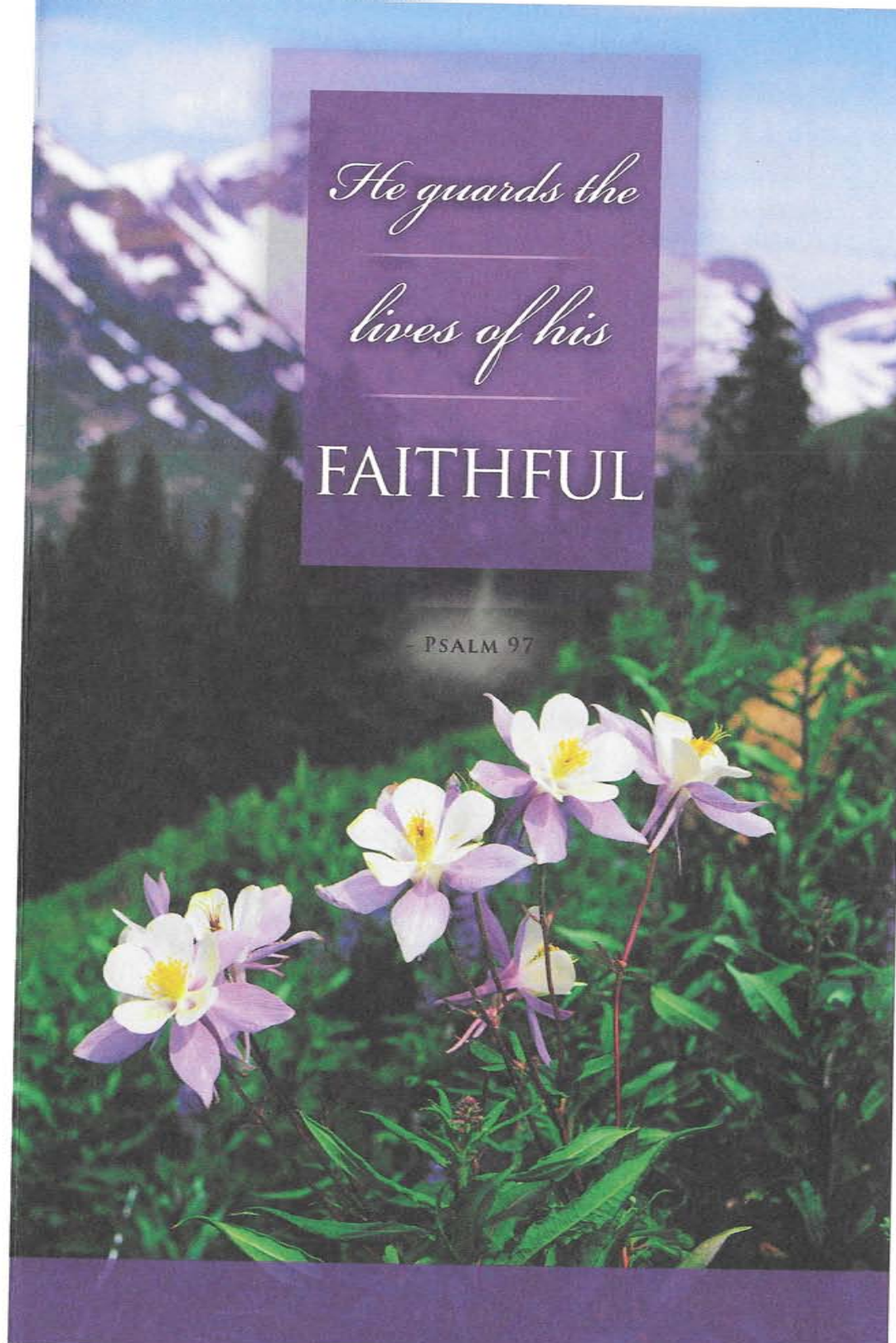
Fellowship Time Thank you to Jeanne Ekelberry for providing snacks today. May 15th snack providers are the Kilhefners. Thank you!

Attendance:	Sunday School	May 1	20
	Worship		38
Kid Connection Leader:	Today	Jennifer Turner/Colin	
	May 15th	Erin Faulk/Aidan	

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CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

May 15, 2016

*I will sing to the Lord all my life; I will sing praise to my God
as long as I live. Psalm 104:33*

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Holy Spirit, Truth Divine* by Hegarty

Introit *Spirit of the Living God, Fall Fresh on Me*

*Call to Worship

L: Come, Holy Spirit of God! Bring your mighty power into our
lives

P: Rush through our spirits, inspiring us to witness to the great
love of God

L: Come, Holy Spirit of God! Burn bright flames in our hearts

P: Emblazon us with the confident spirit of faith that our lives
will show your love

L: Come, Holy Spirit of God! Be with us today in our thoughts
and our prayers

A: Come, Holy Spirit of God! Be with us in our words and our
deeds

*Song of Worship #187 *Breathe on Me, Breath of God*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #200 *The Church's One Foundation*

Old Testament Reading *Genesis 11: 1-9*

Giving of Our Tithes

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and do not forget all his benefits. Psalm 103:2

Offertory

*Song of Giving #583

Children's Message

Prayers for the Community

Lord, Let Thy Spirit by Paxton

We Give Thee But Thine Own

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #2120

Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness

Scripture

Acts 2:1-21

Anthem

Rain Down on Me by Schram

*Children who are ages pre-K through 4th grade may leave at the
end of the anthem with the Kid Connection leader.*

Message

PENTECOST

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #2119

Where the Spirit of the Lord Is

*You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn,
if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response

Grace, Love, & Fellowship

Words & music on card in the pew rack in black hymnal

Postlude

Postlude on "I Feel the Winds of God Today" by Paxton

**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Larry Faulk

Lay Worship Participant: Jim Snyder

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

Choir Director: Jim Stephenson

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **Fellowship Time**
- **Youth Group Meeting*** 6:30 p.m. @ Blue Limestone Park

This Week

- **Choir Rehearsal** 5/18, 7 p.m.
- **Panera Pick-Up*** 5/19, 8:45 p.m.
- **Men's Breakfast** 5/21, 8 a.m. @ Panera's

Next Sunday

- **Last Day of Sunday School** 9:30 a.m.
- **Worship Service** 10:45 a.m.
- **Newsletter Deadline**

Looking Ahead

- **Summer Hours Begin** 5/29, 10 a.m.
- **Youth Sunday** 6/5

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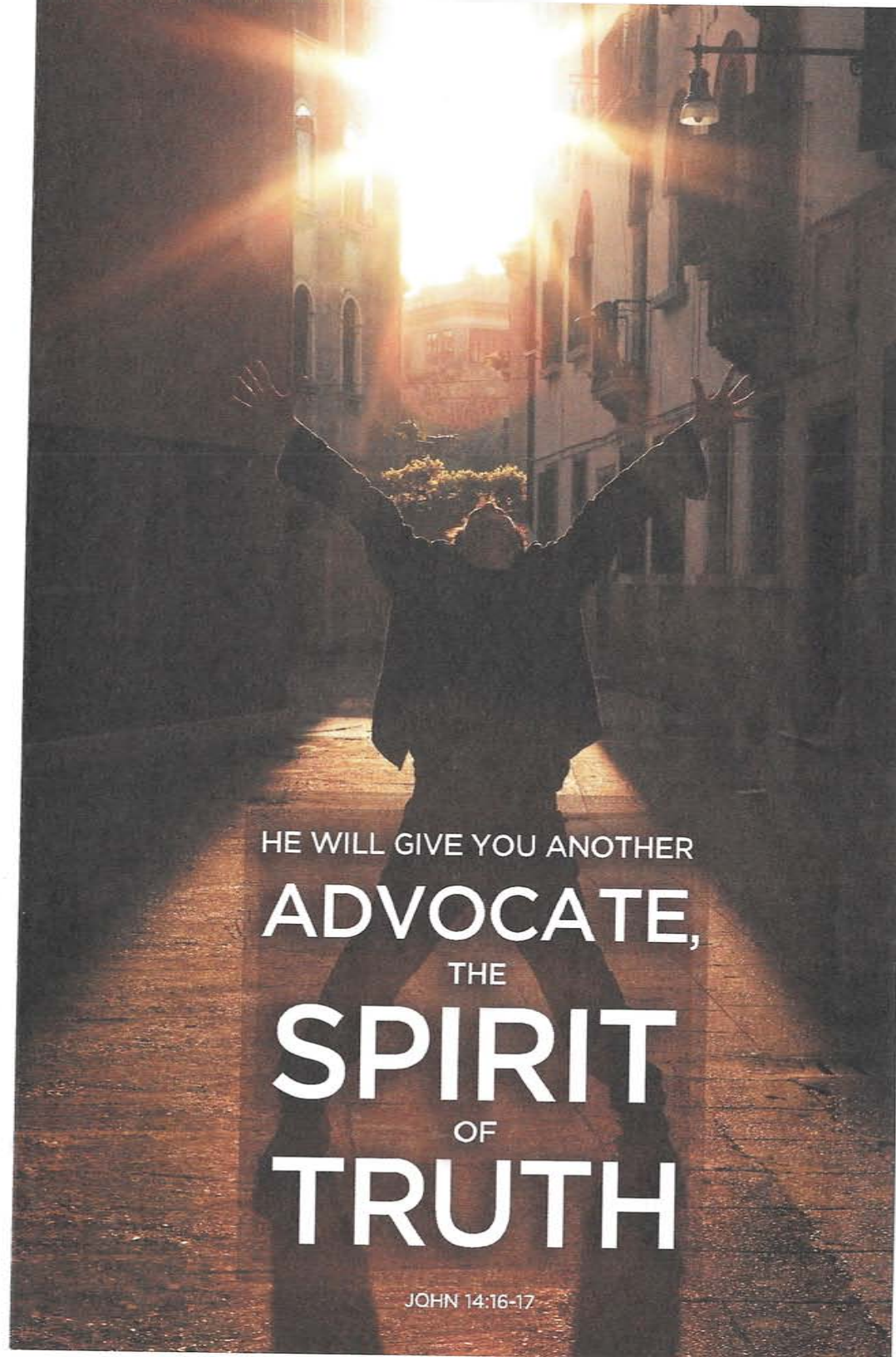
Fellowship Time Thank you to *Kilhefners* for providing snacks today. May 22nd snack provider is *Sally Williams*. Thank you!

Attendance:	Sunday School	May 8	14
	Worship		31
Kid Connection Leader:	Today	Erin Faulk/Aidan	
	May 22nd	Pat Gosser/Will	

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HE WILL GIVE YOU ANOTHER
ADVOCATE,
THE
SPIRIT
OF
TRUTH

JOHN 14:16-17



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

May 22, 2016

O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth.

Psalm 8:1

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Glory to His Name* by Ritter

Introit

*Call to Worship

L: When the world divides us

P: **Come, Holy Spirit, make us one**

L: When the world calls us orphaned

P: **Come, Holy Spirit, make us a family**

L: When the world leads us astray

P: **Come, Holy Spirit, call us home**

A: **Come, Holy Spirit, fill this place**

*Song of Worship #40 *To God Be the Glory*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

Mission Moment *One Great Hour of Sharing*

*Song of Praise #240 *Marvelous Grace*

Giving of Our Tithes

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and do not forget all his benefits. Psalm 103:2

Offertory *Open My Eyes, That I May See* by Scott

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Children's Message

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #198 *Spirit of God*

Scripture *Romans 5:1-5*

Anthem *Make Us One* by Pethel

Children who are ages pre-K through 4th grade may leave at the end of the anthem with the Kid Connection leader.

Message **LIFE LESSONS**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #2162 *Grace Alone*

You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn, if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, & Fellowship*

Words & music on card in the pew rack in black hymnal

Postlude *Unto God Be the Glory* by Martin

**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Larry Faulk

Lay Worship Participant: Jerry Palmer

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

Choir Director: Jim Stephenson

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time
- Newsletter Deadline Today

This Week

- Stepping Up Meal 5/23
- Choir Rehearsal 5/25, 7 p.m.
- Panera Pick-Up* 5/26, 8:45 p.m.

Next Sunday

- No Sunday School
- Summer Worship Service 10:00 a.m.

Looking Ahead

- Youth Sunday 6/5

*indicates more information in bulletin

Panera Bread Pick-Up May 26th is *Faulks* for pick-up. More dates are available, please sign up in the assembly room. Thank you!!

Fellowship Time Thank you to *Sally Williams* for providing snacks today. May 29th snack providers are *Petersons*. Thank you!

Sunday School Surveys Please take a minute to fill out the Sunday School Surveys and place them in the box in the welcome center by next Sunday. These will help the Board of Education plan for next year. Thank you!

Attendance:	Sunday School	May 15	16
	Worship		40
Kid Connection Leader:	Today	Erin Faulk/Will	

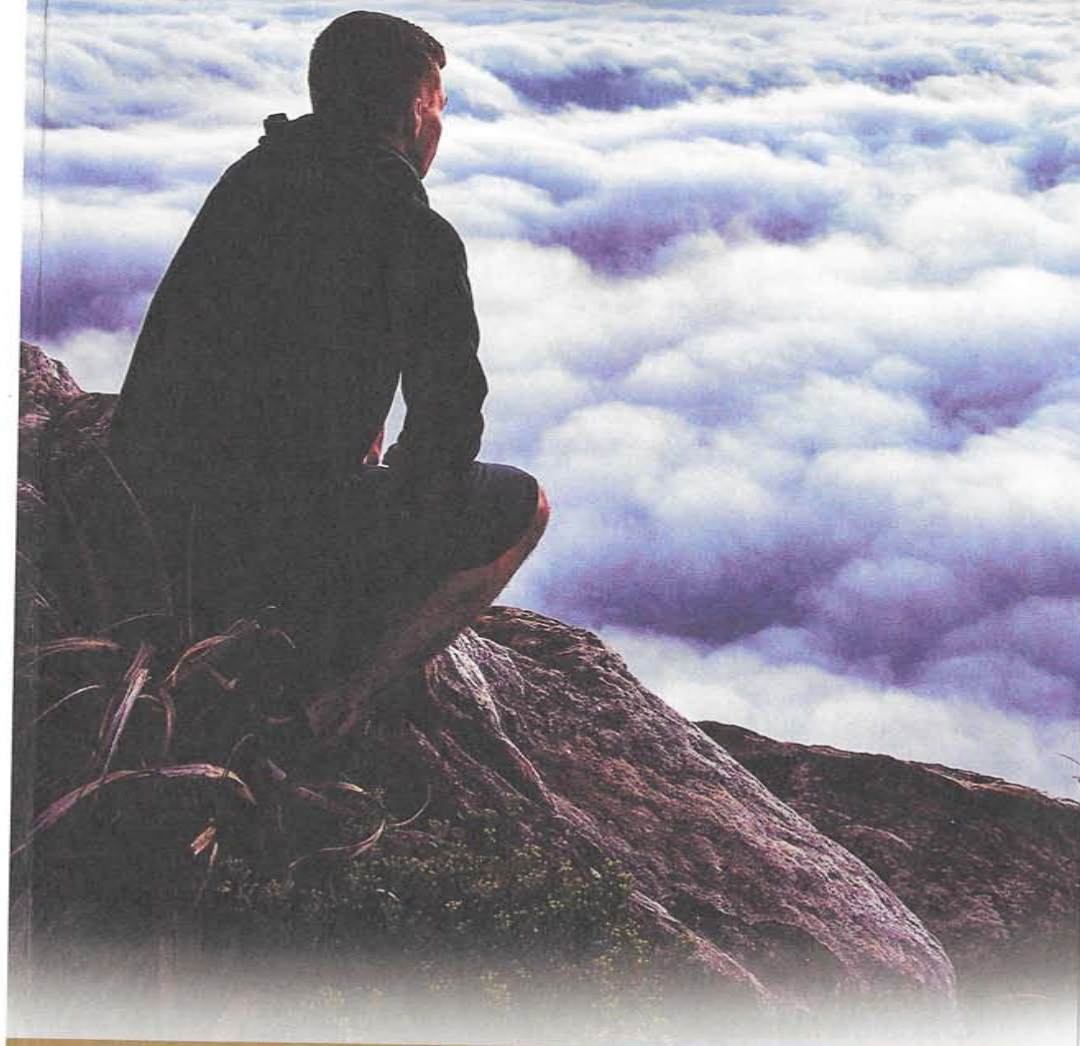
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Faith

- Romans 5:1





CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

May 29, 2016

*Sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth.
Psalm 96:1*

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *I Have Decided to Follow Jesus* by Thygerson

Baptism of Sarah Durbin

*Call to Worship

L: By grace we have been saved through faith

P: **And this is not our own doing; it is the gift of God**

L: For we are God's handiwork, redeemed in Christ Jesus for
good works

P: **Works God has prepared for us, that we should walk in them**

L: Praise the Lord!

A: **The Lord's name be praised!**

*Song of Worship #2248 *Baptized in Water*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #313 *My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less*

Giving of Our Tithes

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and do not forget all his benefits. Psalm 103:2

Offertory *Take My Life and Let It Be* by Malan

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Children's Message

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #520 *O Beautiful for Spacious Skies*

Scripture *I Kings 18:20-21; 30-39*

Message **AHAB & ELIJAH**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #304 *There Is a Name I Love to Hear*
*You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn,
if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, & Fellowship*
Words & music on card in the pew rack in black hymnal

Postlude *Praise Him with Pipes* by Logan
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Larry Faulk

Lay Worship Participant: Pam Faulk

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

Choir Director: Jim Stephenson

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time

This Week

- Panera Pick-Up* 6/2, 8:45 p.m.

Next Sunday

- Youth Sunday 10:00 a.m.
- Youth Sunday Cookout* after worship

Looking Ahead

- Multi-Church & Community Block Party 7/16
- *indicates more information in bulletin

Panera Bread Pick-Up June 2nd is Lovells for pick-up. More dates are available, please sign up in the assembly room. Thank you!!

Fellowship Time Thank you to the Petersons for providing snacks today. There isn't fellowship time next week. Instead, please meet in the Fellowship Hall after the worship service for the all-church picnic. Meat and beverages provided, please bring a side dish or dessert and your own table service. Thank you!

Sunday School Surveys Please take a minute to fill out the Sunday School Surveys and place them in the box in the welcome center by **today**. These will help the Board of Education plan for next year. Thank you!

One Great Hour of Sharing Offering Our June mission focus will be the One Great Hour of Sharing. We will be using a sharing calendar along with a "House Bank" to collect our monetary units in. If you did not get your Share Calendar and "House Bank" or if you have questions about them, please speak to Pam Faulk.

Attendance:	Sunday School	May 22	15
	Worship		35

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answer me,

so that
this people
may know that you,
O Lord,
are God

1 Kings 18:37



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

June 5, 2016

Praise the Lord, O my soul, I will praise the Lord all my life, I will sing praises to my God as long as I live. Psalm 146:2

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Concerto No. 5, 1st Movement by F. Seitz
Aidan Ferguson-violin*

*Call to Worship *Colin Ferguson*

L: The Lord is the Everlasting God, the creator of the ends of the earth

P: **He gives strength to the weary and increases the power of the weak**

L: Even the young grow tired and weary, and young men stumble and fall

P: **But those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength**

L: They will soar on wings like eagles, they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not faint

A: **Praise the Lord!**

*Song of Worship #4 *Come Thou Almighty King*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses) *Will Fogle*

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

Recognition of Graduates *Alec Ferguson & Claire Turner*

*Song of Praise #225 *Standing on the Promises*

Giving of Our Tithes *Claire Turner*

I appeal to you, therefore, brothers and sisters, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship. Romans 12:1

Offertory *Minuet in G Minor by Bach
Aidan Ferguson, Colin Ferguson & Will Fogle - violins*

*Doxology #572 *Praise God from Whom All Blessings*

Special Music *Amazing Grace
Will Fogle - violin*

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #1 *Holy, Holy, Holy!*

Scripture *Galatians 1:11-24
Colin Ferguson*

Solo *Claire Turner - vocalist*

Message **THE TRADITIONS OF OUR FATHERS**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Response #2160 *Into My Heart*

The Lord's Supper
*Prayer of Blessing
Sharing of the Bread
Sharing of the Cup*

*Fellowship Circle & Song of Departure, #207 (vs 1)
Blest Be the Tie That Binds

*Benediction

Postlude *Medley of Children's Songs
please stand as you are able

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Larry Faulk

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

Greeters: Gabe Fogle & Jacob Thatcher

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **All Church Picnic*** in Fellowship Hall, after worship

This Week

- **Board of Christian Ed** 6/6, 5:30 p.m.
- **Angel Food Cake Money** due to Larry Faulk by 6/8
- **Panera Pick-Up*** 6/9, 8:45 p.m.
- **Women's Breakfast** 6/11, 9 a.m. at Panera

Next Sunday

- **Worship Service** 10 a.m.
- **Mission & Outreach Team Meeting** after worship
- **Summer Movie Night*** 6:30 p.m.

Looking Ahead

- **Multi-Church & Community Block Party** 7/16

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Panera Bread Pick-Up June 9th is Jeanne Ekelberry for pick-up. *More dates are available, please sign up in the assembly room.* Thank you!!

Fellowship Time Today, please meet in the Fellowship Hall after the worship service for the all-church picnic. Meat and beverages provided, please bring a side dish or dessert and your own table service. Thank you! Fellowship Time for 6/12 are the *Chambers*. Thank you!

One Great Hour of Sharing Offering Don't forget to start putting you "money" into your coin boxes today for the One Great Hour of Sharing. If you did not get a coin box and share calendar, please see Pam Faulk.

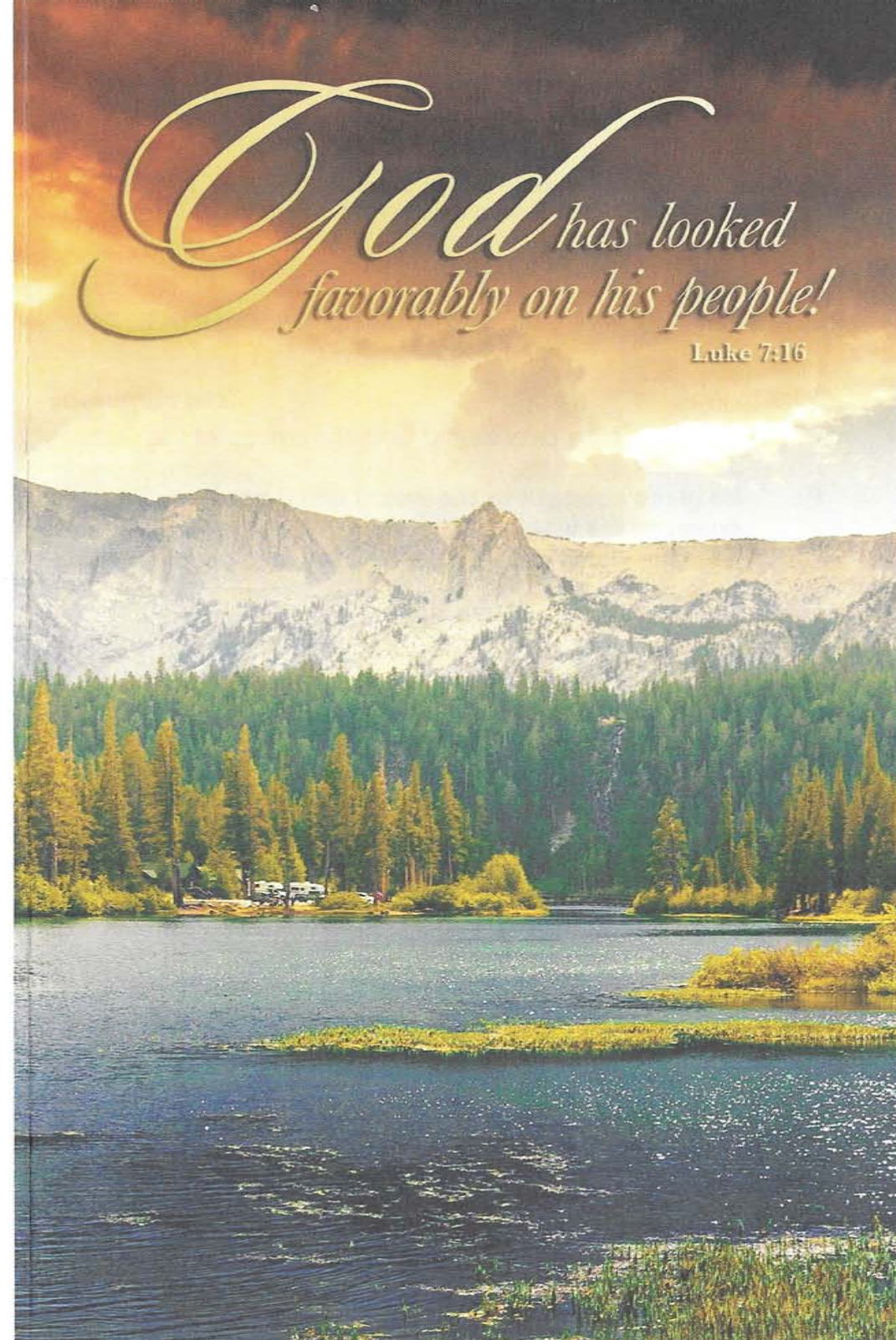
Night at the Movies Summer movies start on 6/12 and is an activity for the whole church family. Come at 6:30 p.m. and bring a snack to share if you wish. We will be viewing the film **"Apostle Peter and the Last Supper."**

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CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

June 12, 2016

*Blessed is he whose transgressions are forgiven, whose sins are covered.
Psalm 32:1*

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Spirit of God* by Hayes

*Call to Worship

L: Let us worship the name of our wonderful God
P: **We rejoice that God teaches us about love and forgiveness**
L: As we grow in faith and love for God
P: **May our worship, witness, and service bring honor to God's holy name**
A: **Let us worship God with love, thanksgiving, and praise**

*Song of Worship #55 *For the Beauty of the Earth*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

Solo *One Great Hour to Share* by Lee & Gretz
Randy Turner - soloist

*Song of Praise #513 *In Christ There Is No East or West*

Giving of Our Tithes
Bless the Lord, O my soul, and do not forget all his benefits. Psalm 103:2

Offertory *Wings of Healing* by Blake

*Song of Giving #583

We Give Thee But Thine Own

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #434 *Sweet Hour of Prayer*

Scripture *Galatians 2:15-21*

Message **THREE STORIES AND A FOURTH**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #2214 (sing 2x) *Lead Me, Guide Me*
*You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn,
if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, & Fellowship*
Words & music on card in the pew rack in black hymnal

Postlude *Psalm of Redemption* by Smith
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Larry Faulk

Lay Worship Participant: Lana Palmer

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Jennifer Turner

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **Fellowship Time***
- **Mission & Outreach Team Meeting** after worship
- **Summer Movie Night*** 6:30 p.m.

This Week

- **Deacons** 6/13, 6:30 p.m., at church
- **Panera Pick-Up*** 6/16, 8:45 p.m.
- **Men's Breakfast** 6/18, 8 a.m.

Next Sunday

- **Worship Service** 10 a.m.

Looking Ahead

- **Multi-Church & Community Block Party** 7/16

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Panera Bread Pick-Up June 16th the Gossers are doing pick-up. *More dates are available, please sign up in the assembly room.* Thank you!!

Fellowship Time Thank you to the *Chambers* for donating snacks for fellowship time today. Next week, the *Faulks* are signed up for snacks.

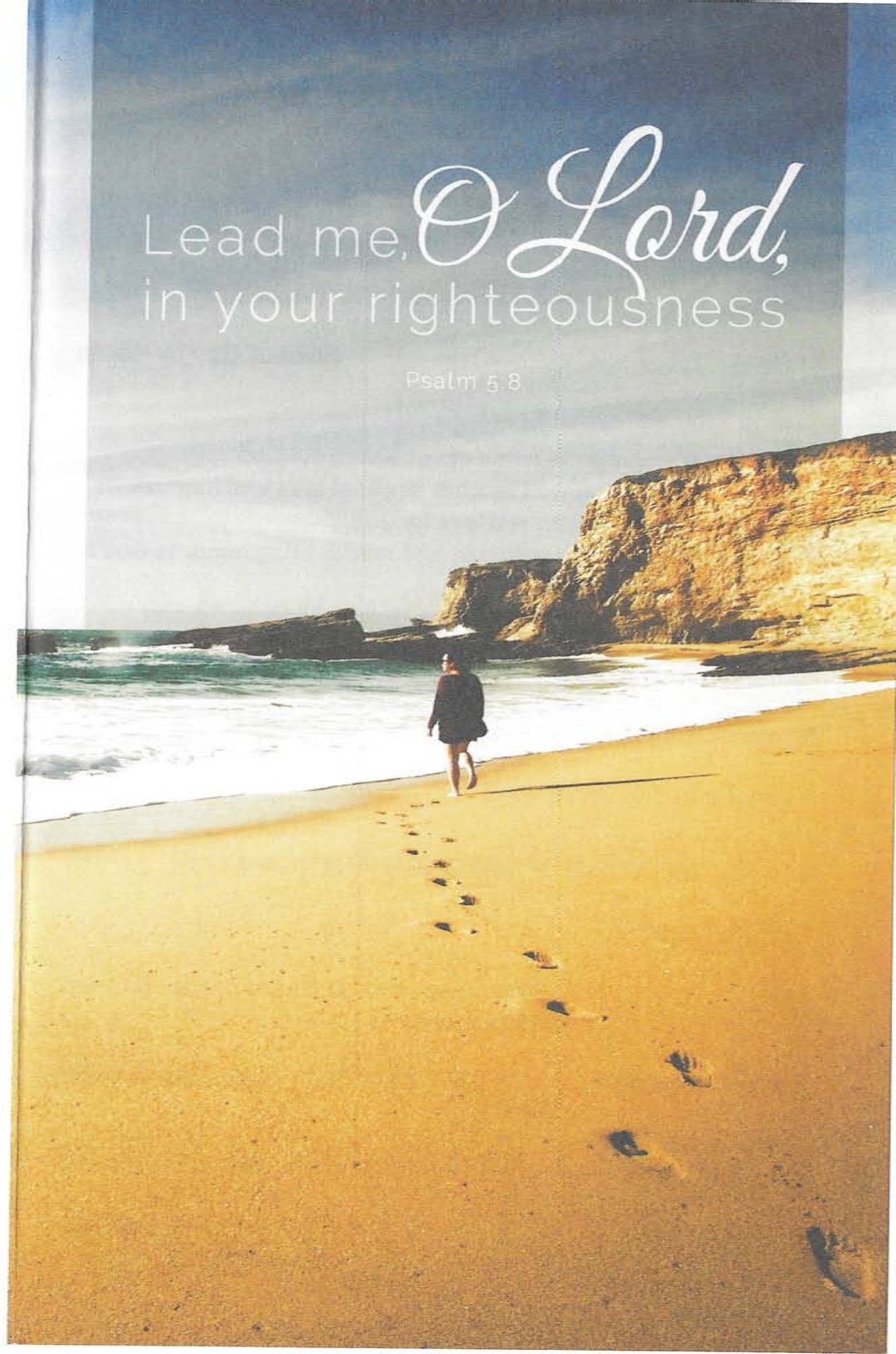
One Great Hour of Sharing Offering Don't forget to be putting tokens in your banks for the Share Calendars for the One Great Hour of Sharing. You may give additional donations in the envelopes provided with the bulletin. To date, we have received \$255 for this offering.

Night at the Movies Join us tonight at 6:30 for our Summer Movie Series for the whole church family. Bring a snack to share if you wish. We will be viewing the film "**Apostle Peter and the Last Supper.**"

Father's Day Next Sunday on Father's Day, you will have an opportunity to honor special men in your lives by donating to Tools of Hope.

Lead me, *O Lord,*
in your righteousness

Psalms 58



Attendance:	Worship	35
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CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

June 19, 2016

*There is neither Jew nor Greek, slave nor free, male nor female,
for you are all one in Christ Jesus. Galatians 3:28*

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Morning Song by Schirrmann*

*Call to Worship

L: The Lord is my rock, my fortress, my deliverer

P: **My rock in whom I take refuge**

L: My shield and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold

A: **We love you, O Lord, our strength and our redeemer**

*Song of Worship #60 *Come, Christians, Join to Sing*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

Tools of Hope *Church World Service Plus*

*Song of Praise #313 *My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less*

Giving of Our Tithes

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and do not forget all his benefits. Psalm 103:2

Offertory *Summer Idyl by Grieg*

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #2025

As the Deer

Scripture

Psalm 42

Message

IN THE ROAR OF THE WATERFALLS

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #515

Hope of the World

*You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn,
if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response

Grace, Love, & Fellowship

Words & music on card in the pew rack in black hymnal

Postlude

Praise Canon by Taylor

**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Dave Lovell

Lay Worship Participant: Pam Shears

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Jennifer Turner

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time*
- Newsletter Deadline

This Week

- Panera Pick-Up* 6/23, 8:45 p.m.

Next Sunday

- Worship Service 10 a.m.
- Summer Movie Night* 6:30 p.m.

Looking Ahead

- Multi-Church & Community Block Party* 7/16
- *indicates more information in bulletin

Panera Bread Pick-Up June 23rd the *Fogles* are doing pick-up. Thank you!!

Fellowship Time Thank you to the *Faulks* for donating snacks for fellowship time today. Next week, the *Gossers* are signed up for snacks.

One Great Hour of Sharing Offering Don't forget to be putting tokens in your banks for the Share Calendars for the One Great Hour of Sharing. You may give additional donations in the envelopes provided with the bulletin. To date, we have received \$255 for this offering.

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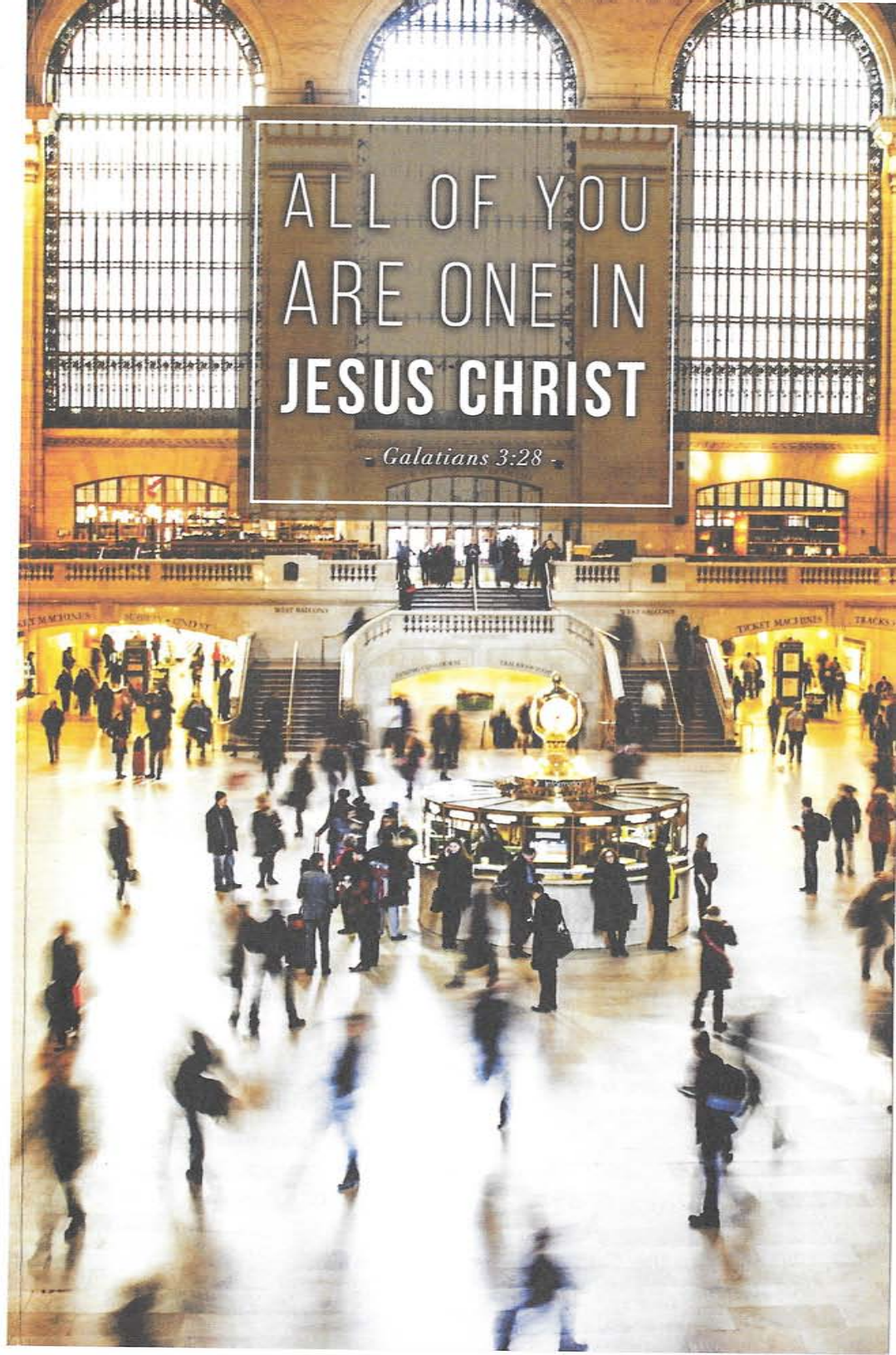
Father's Day Today, you have an opportunity to honor special men in your lives by donating to Tools of Hope. Please bring your donation and slip down to the blanket during the music. The donation slips are in the vestibule.

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CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

June 26, 2016

It is for freedom that Christ has set us free. Stand firm then, and do not let yourselves be burdened again by a yoke of slavery. Galatians 5:1

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude

Melody by Kihlken

*Call to Worship

L: I was glad when they said unto me, "let us go to the house of the Lord."

P: **Our God is loving and true, steadfast and faithful**

L: How blessed are we to be called children of God

A: **To worship God who is with us always**

*Song of Worship #2084 *Come, Let Us with Our Lord Arise*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #2270

He Has Made Me Glad

Giving of Our Tithes

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and do not forget all his benefits. Psalm 103:2

Offertory

What Wondrous Love by Burkhardt

*Song of Giving #583

We Give Thee But Thine Own

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #198

Spirit of God

Scripture

Galatians 5:13-25

Message

OUR FREEDOM

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #2241 *The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve*

*You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn,
if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response

Grace, Love, & Fellowship

Words & music on card in the pew rack in black hymnal

Postlude

The Thanks of God by Paxton

**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Dave Lovell

Lay Worship Participant: Jerry Palmer

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Jennifer Turner

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **Fellowship Time***
- **Newsletter Deadline* *extended deadline***
- **Meet the new intern/candidate*** after Fellowship Time
- **Summer Movie Night*** 6:30 p.m.

This Week

- **Parish Council** 6/30, 7 p.m.
- **Panera Pick-Up*** 6/30, 8:45 p.m.

Next Sunday

- **Worship Service** 10 a.m.

Looking Ahead

- **Multi-Church & Community Block Party*** 7/16

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Panera Bread Pick-Up June 30th the *Faulks* are doing pick-up. *There is a new sign-up sheet in the Gathering Place for volunteers for this much needed mission that our church performs. Please sign up. Thank you!!*

Fellowship Time Thank you to the *Gossers* for donating snacks for fellowship time today. *There is a new sign-up sheet in the Gathering Place for Fellowship time for the rest of the summer. Volunteers are needed to bring just a small snack item like cookies, cheese & crackers, brownies, etc. Beverages are provided. Please sign up!*

Movie Night Tonight! Join us tonight at 6:30 for our Summer Movie Series for the whole church family. Bring a snack to share if you wish. We will be seeing the Oscar-winning movie **"Inside Out."** This is for all ages.

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CHRIST
has set us free.

— Galatians 5:1 —



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

July 3, 2016

Neither circumcision nor uncircumcision means anything; what counts is a new creation. Galatians 6:15

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Song of Freedom* by Peterson

*Call to Worship

L: Shout with joy to God, all the earth!

P: **Sing the glory of his name; make his praise glorious**

L: Come and see what God has done; how awesome his works on mankind's behalf

A: **Praise be to God, who has not rejected my prayer, nor withheld his love from me**

*Song of Worship #55 *For the Beauty of the Earth*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #525 *My Country 'Tis of Thee*

Giving of Our Tithes

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and do not forget all his benefits. Psalm 103:2

Offertory *Let There Be Peace on Earth* by Jackson Will Fogle - violinist

*Doxology #572 *Praise God from Whom All Blessings*

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #318 *When We Walk with the Lord*

Scripture *2 Kings 5:1-14*

Message **NAAMAN THE LEPER**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Response #389 *Purer in Heart, O God*

The Lord's Supper

Prayer of Blessing
Sharing of the Bread
Sharing of the Cup

*Fellowship Circle & Song of Departure, #207 (vs 1)
Blest Be the Tie That Binds

*Benediction

Postlude *Sortie on "National Hymn" by Smith*
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

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Worship Leader: Dave Lovell

Lay Worship Participant: Pam Faulk

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **Fellowship Time***

This Week

- **Panera Pick-Up*** 7/7, 8:45 p.m.
- **Women's Breakfast** 7/9, 9 a.m.

Next Sunday

- **Worship Service** 10 a.m.
- **Summer Movie Night*** 6:30 p.m.

Looking Ahead

- **Multi-Church & Community Block Party*** 7/16
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Panera Bread Pick-Up July 7th the Fogles/Lovells are doing pick-up. *There is a new sign-up sheet in the Gathering Place for volunteers for this much needed mission that our church performs. Please sign up. Thank you!!*

Fellowship Time Next week, the Faulks are donating snacks. *There is a new sign-up sheet in the Gathering Place for Fellowship time for the rest of the summer. Volunteers are needed to bring just a small snack item like cookies, cheese & crackers, brownies, etc. Beverages are provided. Please sign up!*

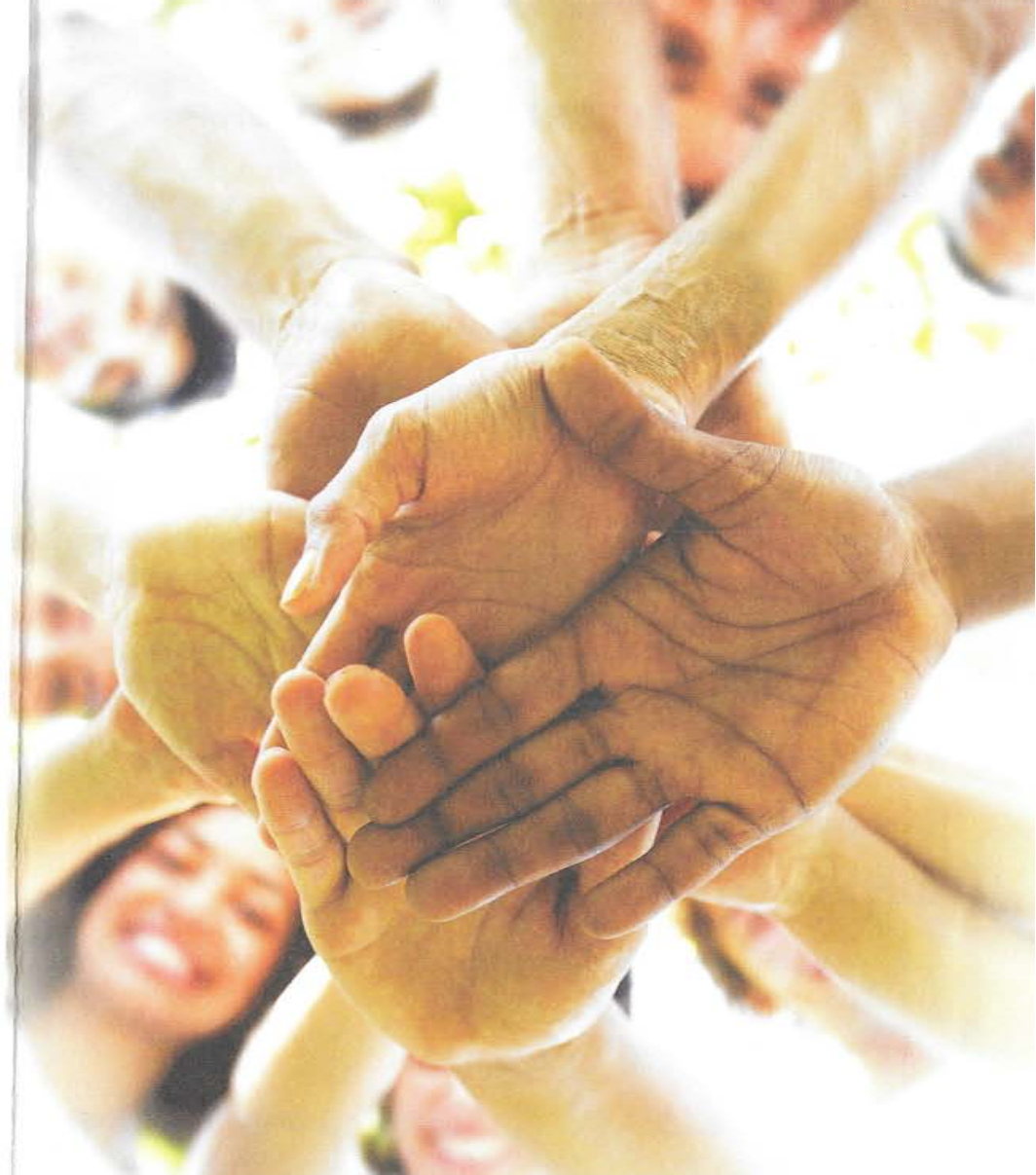
Movie Night Tonight! Join next Sunday at 6:30 for our Summer Movie Series for the whole church family. Bring a snack to share if you wish. We will be watching "When the Game Stands Tall," a movie about a football coach with a message. This is for the whole family.

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CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

July 10, 2016

Show me your ways, O Lord, teach me your paths. Psalm 25:4

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Lord, I Want to be a Christian* by Binckes

*Call to Worship

L: Let us worship the name of our wonderful God

P: **We are amazed at every gift you send, at blessings without number and mercies without end**

L: We lift our hearts before you and wait upon your word

A: **May you give us strength and bless us with peace**

*Song of Worship #19 *Ye, Servants of God*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #2149 *Living for Jesus*

Giving of Our Tithes

*Therefore, be imitators of God, as beloved children, and live in love,
as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us,
a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God. Ephesians 5:1-2*

Offertory *Jesus Calls Us* by Ritter

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #509 *Is Your Life a Channel of Blessing?*

Scripture *Luke 10:25-37*

Message **THE GOOD SAMARITAN**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #2176 *Make Me a Servant*
*You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn,
if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response #2241 *The Spirit Sends Us*

Postlude *The Glory of the Spirit* by Paxton
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Claire Turner

Lay Worship Participant: Lana Palmer

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time*
- Summer Movie Night* 6:30 p.m.

This Week

- Panera Pick-Up* 7/14, 8:45 p.m.
- Men's Breakfast 7/16, 9 a.m.
- Multi-Church & Community Block Party* 7/16

Next Sunday

- Worship Service 10 a.m.

Looking Ahead

- Quarterly Business Meeting 7/27
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Panera Bread Pick-Up July 7th was the *Faulks*, thank you! July 14th pick-up are the *Gossers*. There is a new sign-up sheet in the Gathering Place for volunteers for this much needed mission that our church performs. Please sign up. Thank you!!

Fellowship Time The snack providers for last Sunday were the *Lovells*. Today's snack providers are the *Faulks*. Next week, the *Chambers* are snack providers. Thank you!!

Movie Night Tonight! Join us *tonight* at 6:30 for our Summer Movie Series. Bring a snack to share if you wish. We will be watching "When the Game Stands Tall," a movie about a football coach with a message. This is for the whole family. We will meet in Fellowship Hall.

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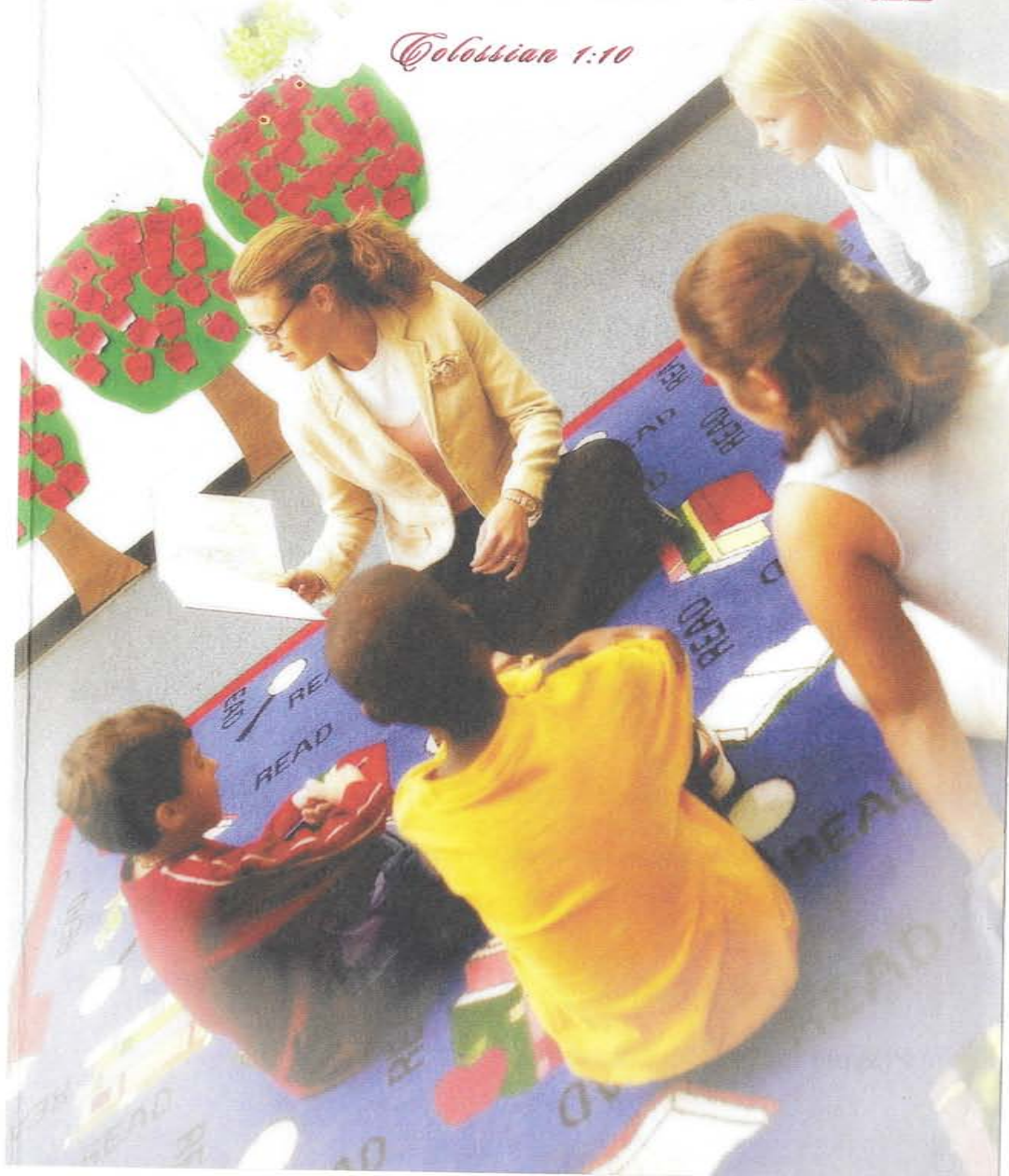
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Bear fruit

IN EVERY GOOD WORK

Colossian 1:10





CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

July 17, 2016

Surely goodness and love will follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord, forever. Psalm 23:6

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus* by Thygerson

*Call to Worship

L: Now is the moment of grace. This is the hour of blessing.

P: **Today is the day of salvation. Here is the path to new life.**

L: Already joy is abounding, and love is flowing.

A: **For this is the day God is making. Let us rejoice and sing.**

*Song of Worship #79 *We Come, O Christ, to Thee*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #2018 *Honor and Praise*

Giving of Our Tithes

Therefore, be imitators of God, as beloved children, and live in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.
Ephesians 5:1-2

Offertory *He Leadeth Me* by Paxton

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #370 *Teach Me Thy Will, O Lord*

Scripture *Genesis 18:1-15*

Message **THE MOMENT OF GRACE**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #320 *Simply Trusting Every Day*
You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn,
if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, and Fellowship*
The words and music for this are on a sheet inside the black hymnal.

Postlude *Let Praise Ring Forth* by Broughton
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Claire Turner

Lay Worship Participant: Jim Snyder

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time*

This Week

- Panera Pick-Up* 7/21, 8:45 p.m.

Next Sunday

- Worship Service 10 a.m.
- Movie Night 6:30 p.m. "Paul"

Looking Ahead

- Quarterly Business Meeting 7/27
- Newsletter Deadline 7/31

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Panera Bread Pick-Up July 21st pick-up is open for volunteers. There is a new sign-up sheet in the Gathering Place for volunteers for this much needed mission that our church performs. Please sign up. Thank you!!

Fellowship Time Today's snack providers are the Chambers. Next week, the Shears are snack providers. Thank you!!

July Mission Focus Our July mission focus will be school supplies for Conger Elementary School. We would like to buy headsets again this year, so your monetary contributions can be put into the special envelopes in the pew racks for these. We would also like to see how many notebooks, #2 pencils, glue sticks, and board games we can collect in a month! Thank you!

Pokemon Go Our church and other local churches are a "gym" for Pokemon battles. The players stand near the church and battle on their phones. So, if you see people standing near the church, they are probably playing the game. It's a great way to have people find out where we are and make connections in our community! Ask a player how it works and they usually are more than happy to tell you about it! Please be kind as this could be an outreach into the community and people can know where First Baptist is!

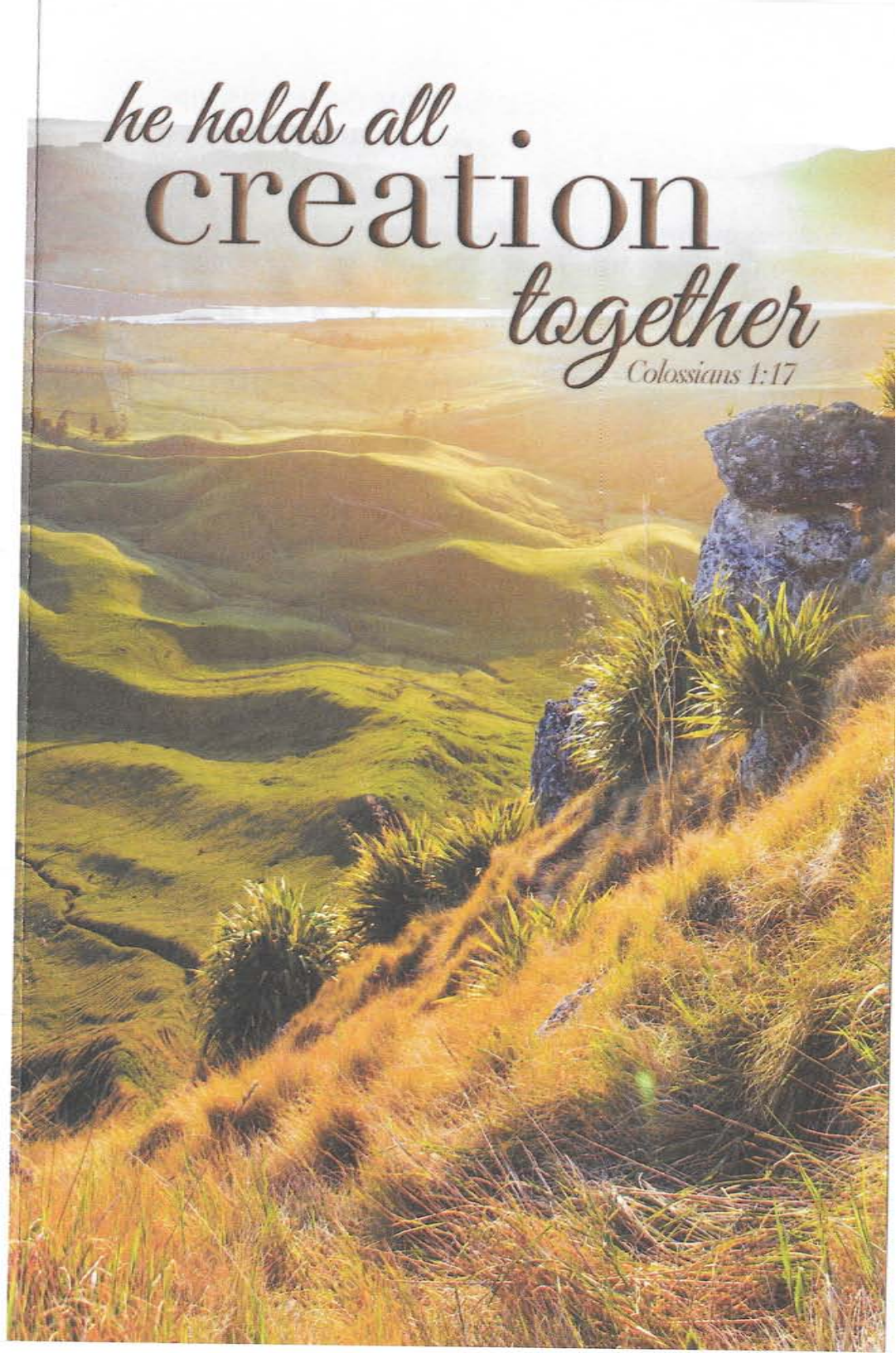
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he holds all
creation
together
Colossians 1:17





CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

July 24, 2016

So then, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to live in him, rooted and built up in him, strengthened in the faith as you were taught, overflowing with thankfulness. Colossians 2:6

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us* by Bradbury

*Call to Worship

L: At all times I will bless the Lord

P: **God's praise will be in my mouth continually, and I will shout, "Alleluia!"**

L: Celebrate the greatness of the Lord with me

A: **Let us exalt God's mighty name together!**

*Song of Worship #6 *Holy Father, Great Creator*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #2011 *We Sing of Your Glory*

Giving of Our Tithes

*Therefore, be imitators of God, as beloved children, and live in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.
Ephesians 5:1-2*

Offertory *Prayer by Andrews*

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #438 *Teach Me to Pray, Lord*

Scripture *Luke 11:1-13*

Special Music *The Lord's Prayer*
Claire Turner - soloist

Message **AND YOU SHALL RECEIVE**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #2150 *Lord, Be Glorified*
*You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn,
if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, and Fellowship*
The words and music for this are on a sheet inside the black hymnal.

Postlude *Postlude in C by Simpson*
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Claire Turner

Lay Worship Participant: Pam Shears

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **Fellowship Time***
- **Movie Night** 6:30 p.m. "Paul the Apostle"

This Week

- **Potluck** 7/27, 6:30 p.m.
- **Quarterly Business Meeting** 7/27, 7 p.m.
- **Panera Pick-Up*** 7/28, 8:45 p.m.

Next Sunday

- **Worship Service** 10 a.m.

Looking Ahead

- **Newsletter Deadline** 7/31
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Panera Bread Pick-Up July 28th pick-up are the Fogles/Lovells. August 4th pick-up date is *still* available. There is a new sign-up sheet in the Gathering Place for volunteers for this much needed mission that our church performs. Please sign up. Thank you!!

Fellowship Time Today's snack providers are the Shears. Next week, the Gossers are snack providers. Thank you!!

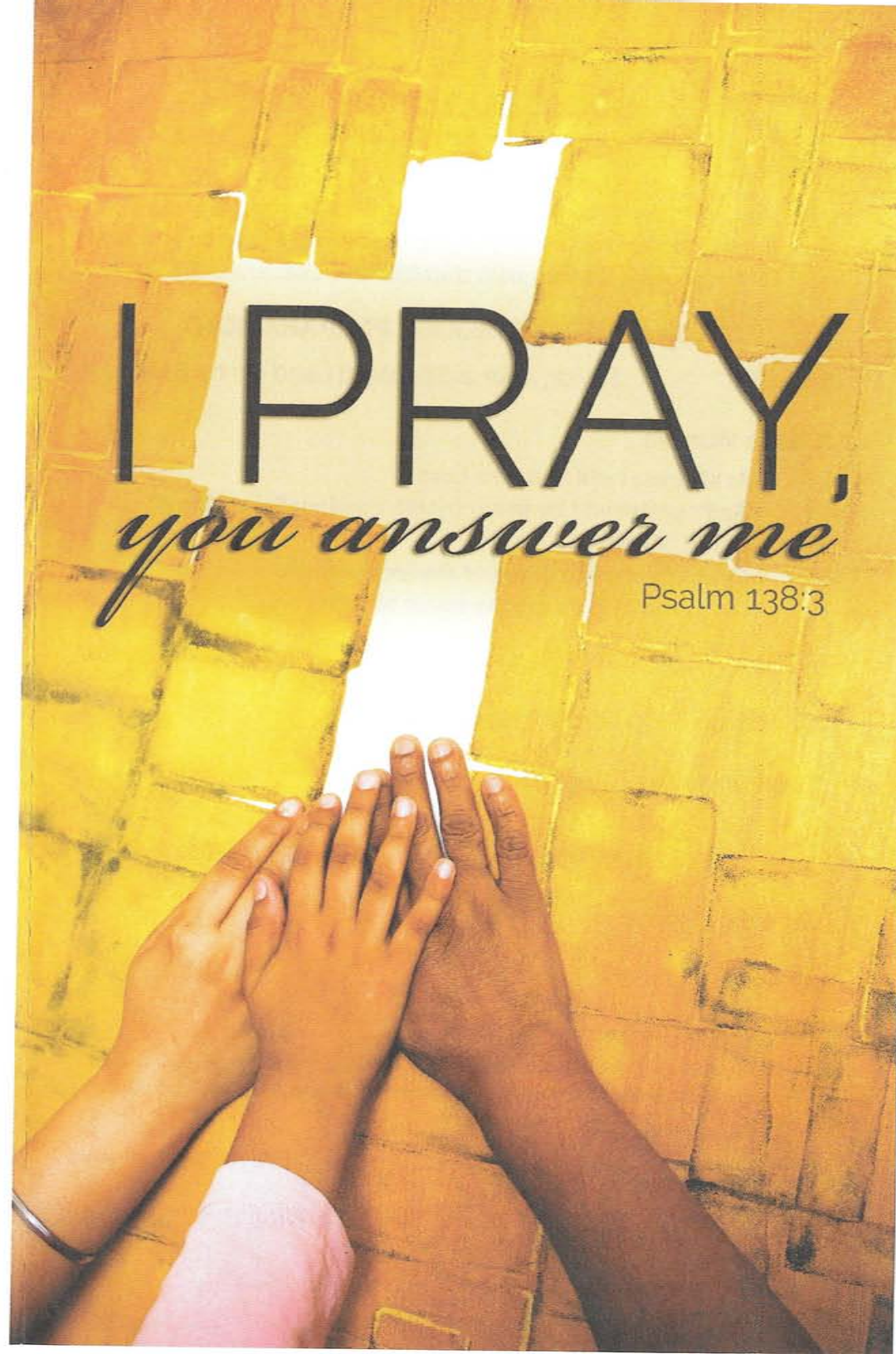
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CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

July 31, 2016

*Give thanks to the Lord for he is good; his love endures forever.
Psalm 107:1*

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Aria by Simper*

*Call to Worship

L: Let us give thanks to the Lord for his unfailing love and his wonderful deeds for all people

P: For he satisfies the thirsty and fills the hungry with good things

L: Let the redeemed of the Lord say this, let them consider the great love of the Lord

A: We gather to worship the Lord with thanksgiving and praise

*Song of Worship #2270 *He Has Made Me Glad*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #2066 *Praise the Name of Jesus*

Giving of Our Tithes

*Therefore, be imitators of God, as beloved children, and live in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.
Ephesians 5:1-2*

Offertory *It Is Good to Give Thanks to the Lord* by Howell

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #233 *There's a Wideness in God's Mercy*

Scripture *Hosea 11:1-11*

Special Music *For the Boys* by Dianna Laddio
Will Fogle – violinist

Message **THE LORD'S GOODNESS**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #291 *All My Sins Have Been Forgiven*
*You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn,
if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, and Fellowship*
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Postlude *Rigaudon* by Purcell
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Dave Lovell

Lay Worship Participant: Jerry Palmer

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time*
- Newsletter Deadline

This Week

- Panera Pick-Up* 8/4, 8:45 p.m.

Next Sunday

- Worship Service 10 a.m.

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Panera Bread Pick-Up August 4th pick-up people are the *Triggs*. Thank you!!

Fellowship Time Today's snack providers are the *Gossers*. Next week, *Jeanne Ekelberry* is the snack provider. Thank you!!

July Mission Focus Our July mission focus will be school supplies for Conger Elementary School. We would like to buy headsets again this year, so your monetary contributions can be put into the special envelopes in the pew racks for these. We would also like to see how many notebooks, #2 pencils, glue sticks, and board games we can collect in a month! Thank you!

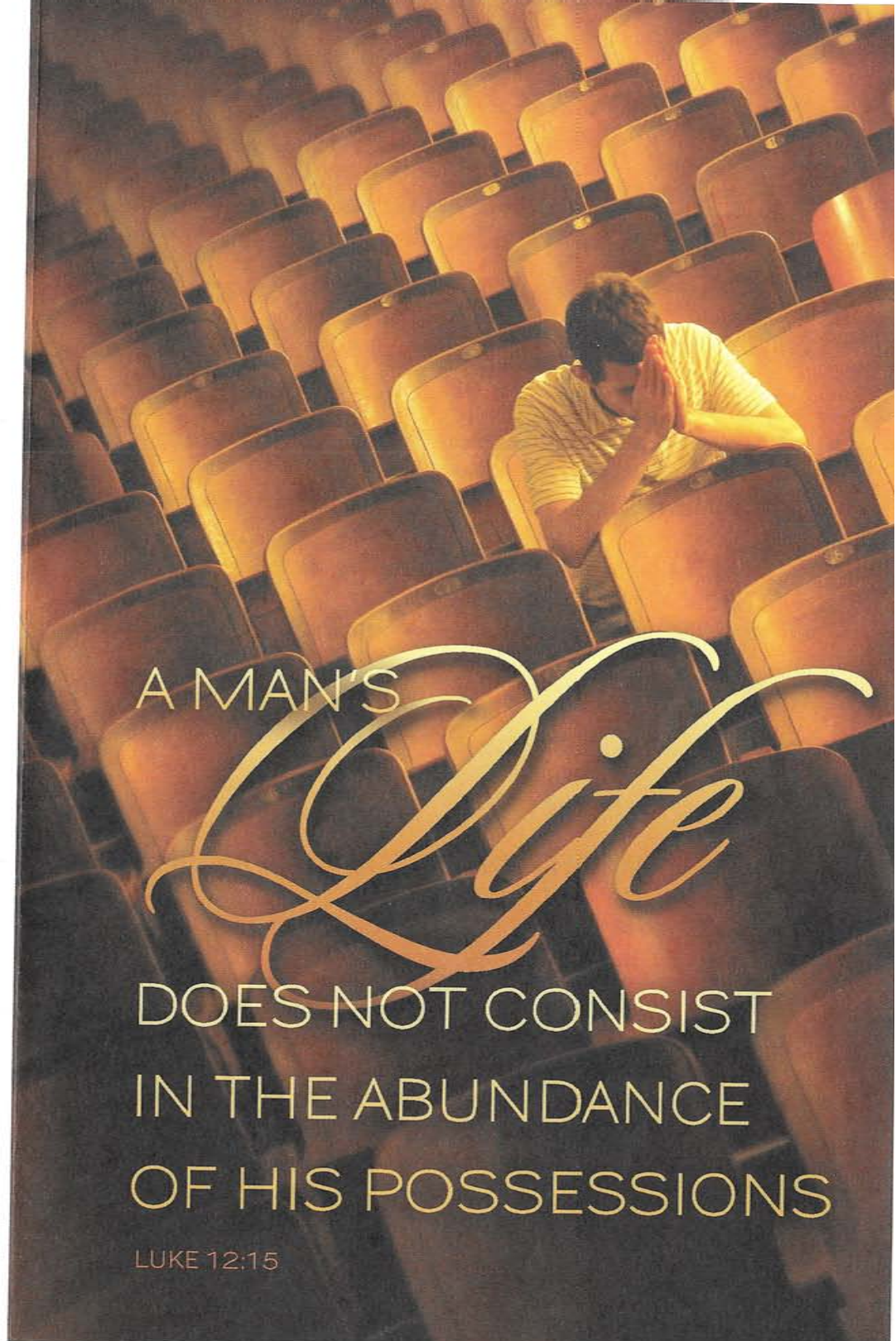
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A MAN'S
Life
DOES NOT CONSIST
IN THE ABUNDANCE
OF HIS POSSESSIONS

LUKE 12:15



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

August 7, 2016

*Abram believed God, and he credited it to him as righteousness.
Genesis 15:6*

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Summer Reverie* by Paxton

*Call to Worship

L: Welcome, in the name of the Lord

P: **We welcome each other in the name of the Lord**

L: We gather because of our common faith in the law of love, the forgiveness of sin, and the resurrections of the dead

P: **O Lord, help us in our unbelief**

A: **We offer ourselves as living sacrifices, with gratitude and praise in our hearts.**

*Song of Worship #27 *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #2004 *Praise the Source of Faith and Learning*

Giving of Our Tithes

Honor the Lord with your substance and with the first fruits of all your produce.

Proverbs 3:9

Offertory *Melody* by Kihlken

*Doxology #572 *Praise God from Whom All Blessings*

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #319 *Trust in the Lord with All Your Heart*

Scripture *Hebrews 11:1-16*

Message **WE KNOW BY FAITH**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Response #2264 *Come to the Table*

The Lord's Supper

Prayer of Blessing
Sharing of the Bread
Sharing of the Cup

*Fellowship Circle & Song of Departure, #207 (vs 1)
Blest Be the Tie That Binds

*Benediction

Postlude *Paeon* by Nolte
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Jennifer Turner

Worship Participant: David Harris

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **Fellowship Time***

This Week

- **Panera Pick-Up*** 8/11, 8:45 p.m.
- **Women's Breakfast** 8/13, 9 a.m. @ Panera

Next Sunday

- **Worship Service** 10 a.m.
- **Movie Night* (last one!)** 6:30 p.m. @ church

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Panera Bread Pick-Up August 11th pick-up people are the Fogles/Lovells. Thank you!!

Fellowship Time Today's snack providers are *Jeanne Ekelberry & Carol Grubbs*. Next week, the *Faulks* are the snack providers. Thank you!!

UNDY Sunday As August tradition, it's time to bring some undies to church! We are collecting NEW underwear for all ages and sizes to donate to the Common Ground Free Store. Let's see how many pairs we can collect!

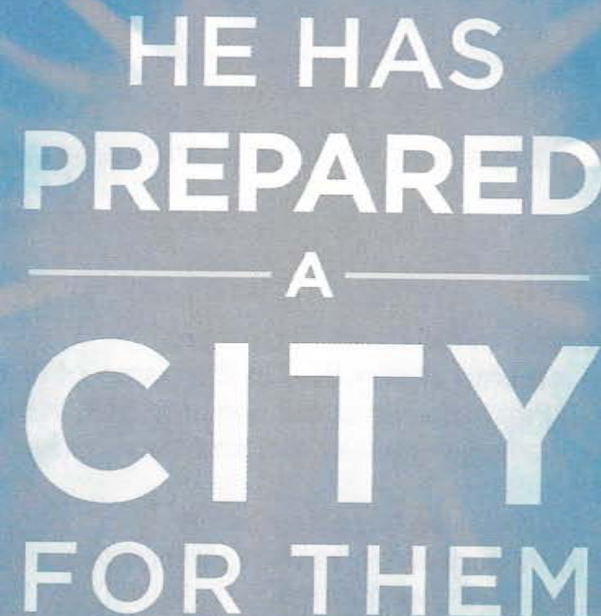
Movie Night As the movies night come to an end, come join us at the last movie night of the summer on Sunday, August 14th @ 6:30 p.m.. We are watching "God's Not Dead." Please bring a snack to share if you wish!

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HE HAS
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CITY
FOR THEM

HEBREWS 11:16



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

August 14, 2016

*A time is coming and now has come when true worshippers will
worship the father in spirit and truth. John 4:23*

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *The Healing Hand of God by Ritter*

*Call to Worship

L: The work of the creator is visible

P: **Let us respond with praise**

L: The example of Jesus is apparent

P: **Let us respond with obedience**

L: The wind of the spirit is blowing

P: **Let us respond with joy**

L: The word of God is calling

A: **Let us worship in spirit and truth**

*Song of Worship #3 *God, Our Father, We Adore Thee*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #51 *I Will Sing of the Mercies of the Lord*

Giving of Our Tithes

*Honor the Lord with your substance and with the first fruits of all your produce.
Proverbs 3:9*

Offertory *A Prayer from the Hills by Martin*

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #2132 *You Who Are Thirsty*

Scripture *John 4:1-4*

Message **THREE THINGS TO SEE**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #2162 *Grace Alone*
*You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn,
if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, and Fellowship*
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Postlude *Hymn of Praise by Denton*
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Guest Pastor: Rev. David Nuhfer

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Jennifer Turner

Lay Worship Participant: Pam Faulk

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **Fellowship Time***
- **Movie Night* (last one!)** 6:30 p.m. @ church

This Week

- **Panera Pick-Up*** 8/18, 8:45 p.m.
- **Men's Breakfast** 8/13, 8 a.m. @ Bob Evans

Next Sunday

- **Worship Service** 10 a.m.
- **Newsletter Deadline**

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Welcome! Please welcome Rev. David Nuhfer to our worship service this morning! Thank you for being here!

Panera Bread Pick-Up August 18th pick-up is open for volunteers. Please sign up in the assembly room if you can volunteer for this day. Thank you!!

Fellowship Time Today's snack providers are *the Faulks*. Next week, the *Lovells* are the snack providers. Thank you!!

UNDY Sunday As August tradition, it's time to bring some undies to church! We are collecting NEW underwear for all ages and sizes to donate to the Common Ground Free Store. Let's see how many pairs we can collect!

Movie Night As the movies night come to an end, come join us at the last movie night of the summer **tonight @ 6:30 p.m.** We are watching "God Is Not Dead." Please bring a snack to share if you wish!

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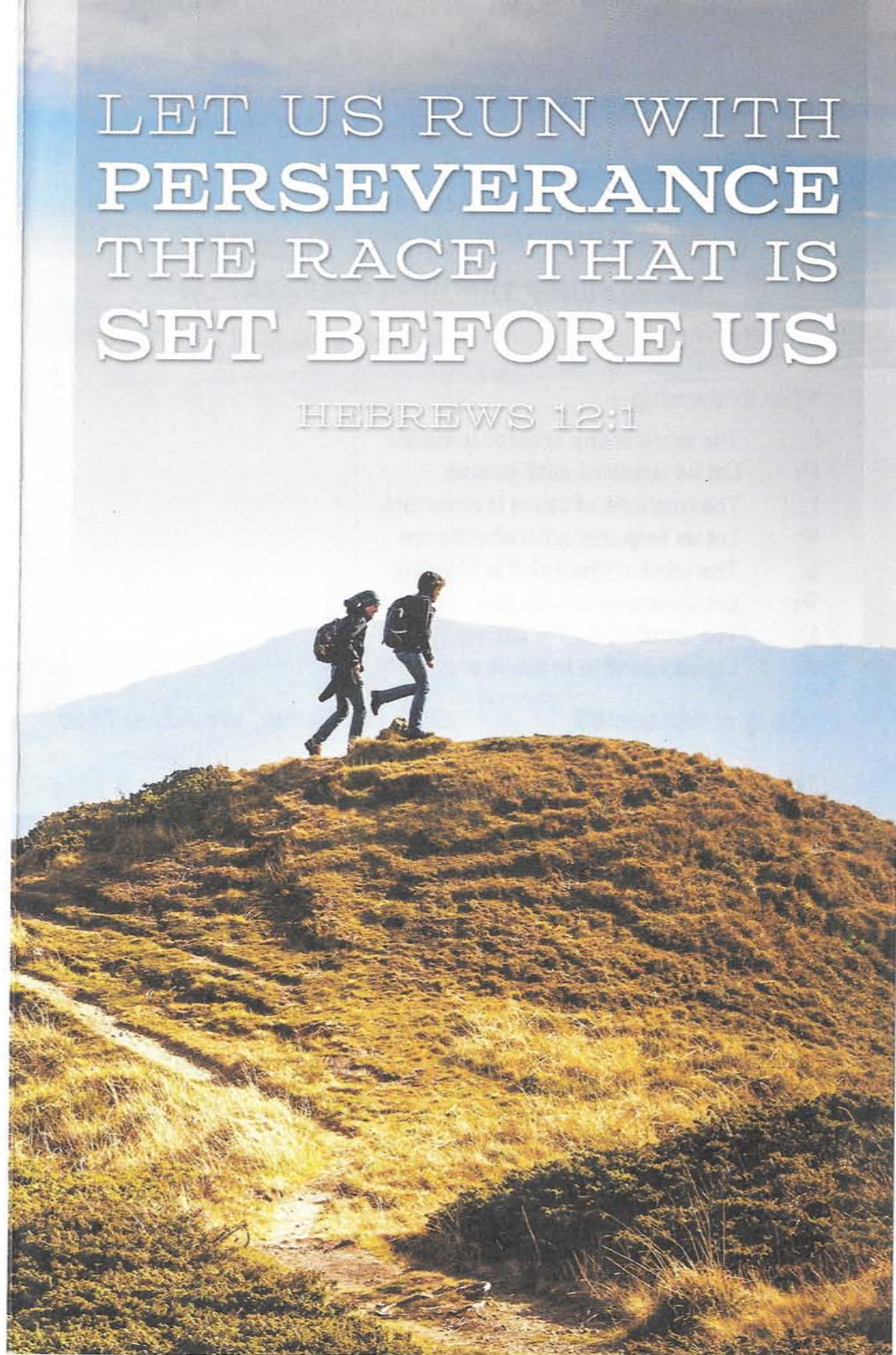
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LET US RUN WITH PERSEVERANCE THE RACE THAT IS SET BEFORE US

HEBREWS 12:1





CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

August 21, 2016

*Bless the Lord, O my soul; and all that is within me,
bless his holy name! Psalm 103:1*

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee* by Smith

*Call to Worship

L: Bless the Lord, O my soul; and forget not all his benefits
P: **Who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases**
L: Who redeems your life from the pit, who crowns you with
steadfast love and mercy
P: **Who satisfies you with good things as long as you live, so
that your youth is renewed like the eagle's**
L: The Lord works vindication and justice for all who are
oppressed
A: **Bless the Lord, O my soul; and all that is within me,
bless his holy name**

*Song of Worship #17 *Praise the Lord!*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #7 *Praise Ye the Father*

Giving of Our Tithes

*Honor the Lord with your substance and with the first fruits of all your produce.
Proverbs 3:9*

Offertory *Andante Grazioso* by Mozart

*Song of Giving #583

We Give Thee But Thine Own

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #2071 *Jesus, Name Above All Names*

Scripture *Luke 13:10-17*

Solo *Claire Turner*

Message **SABBATH HEALING**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #2166 *Christ Beside Me*
*You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn,
if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, and Fellowship*
The words and music for this are on a sheet inside the black hymnal.

Postlude *How Majestic Is Your Name!* by Broughton
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Jennifer Turner

Lay Worship Participant: Lana Palmer

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time*
- Newsletter Deadline

This Week

- Parish Council 8/25, 7 p.m.
- Panera Pick-Up* 8/25, 8:45 p.m.

Next Sunday

- Worship Service 10 a.m.
- *indicates more information in bulletin

Panera Bread Pick-Up August 25th pick-up are the *Faulks*. Please sign up in the assembly room if you can volunteer to do this one week. Thank you!!

Fellowship Time Today's snack providers are *the Lovells*. Next week, *Jane Moore* is the snack provider. Thank you!!

UNDY Sunday As August tradition, it's time to bring some undies to church! We are collecting NEW underwear for all ages and sizes to donate to the Common Ground Free Store. Let's see how many pairs we can collect!

School Supplies Success! Thank you for contributing school supplies for the students of Conger! We were able to provide 20 head phone sets as well as all the supplies for starting a successful school year! Great Job!

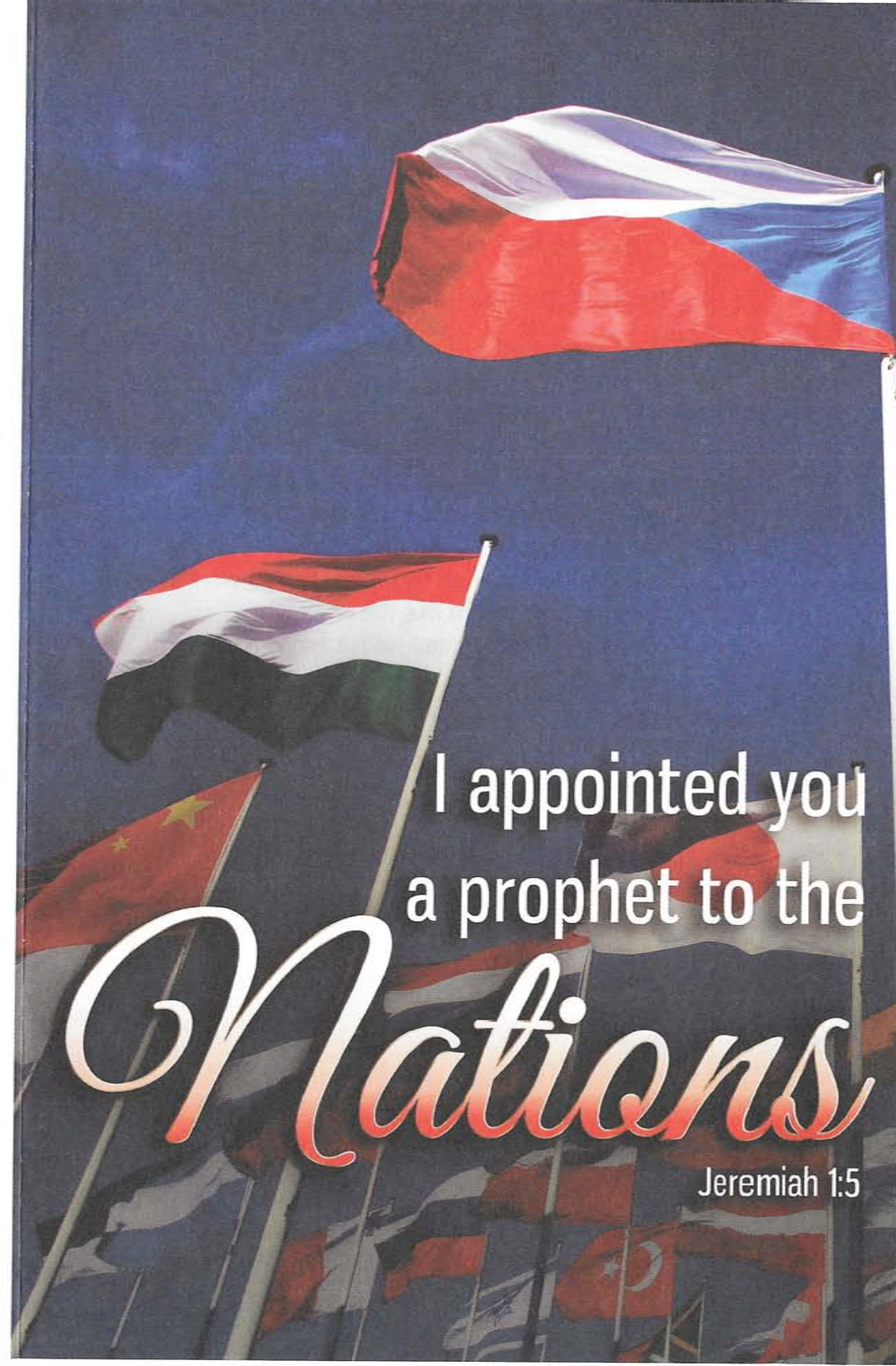
Fashion & Fixin's Common Ground Free Store is having their 10th Anniversary BBQ in the Barn Fundraiser, Fri. Aug. 26th from 6-8:30 p.m. *See bulletin board in the gathering place for more information

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CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

August 28, 2016

*Blessed is the man who fears the Lord, who finds great delight
in his commands! Psalm 112:1*

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *The King of Love My Shepherd* by Englert

*Call to Worship

L: Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth. Worship the Lord with gladness; come before him with joyful songs

P: **Know that the Lord is God. It is he who made us, and we are His; we are his people, the sheep of his pasture**

L: Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name

A: **For the Lord is good and his love endures forever; his faithfulness continues through all generations**

*Song of Worship #18 *Praise the Lord Who Reigns Above*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #2021 *What a Mighty God We Serve*

Giving of Our Tithes

*Honor the Lord with your substance and with the first fruits of all your produce.
Proverbs 3:9*

Offertory *Sweet Hour of Prayer* by Harris

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #304 *There Is a Name I Love to Hear*

Scripture *Luke 14:1, 7-14*

Message EXALTATION AND HUMILIATION

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #2167 *More Like You*
*You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn,
if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, and Fellowship*
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Postlude *Sing Praise to God* by Paxton
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Jennifer Turner

Lay Worship Participant: Pam Faulk

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **Fellowship Time***

This Week

- **Board of Christian Education** 8/29, 5:30 p.m.
- **Panera Pick-Up*** 9/1, 8:45 p.m.

Next Sunday

- **Worship Service** 10 a.m.

Upcoming Events

- **Rally Day*** 9/11, See announcements for times
- **Youth Group Kick-Off Meeting** 9/11, 5:30 p.m.

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Panera Bread Pick-Up September 1st pick-up people are the *Lovells*. Please sign up in the assembly room if you can volunteer for an upcoming week. Thank you!!

Fellowship Time Today's snack provider is *Jane Moore*. Next week, *Pat Gosser* is the snack provider. Thank you!!

UNDY Sunday As August tradition, it's time to bring some undies to church! We are collecting NEW underwear for all ages and sizes to donate to the Common Ground Free Store. Let's see how many pairs we can collect!

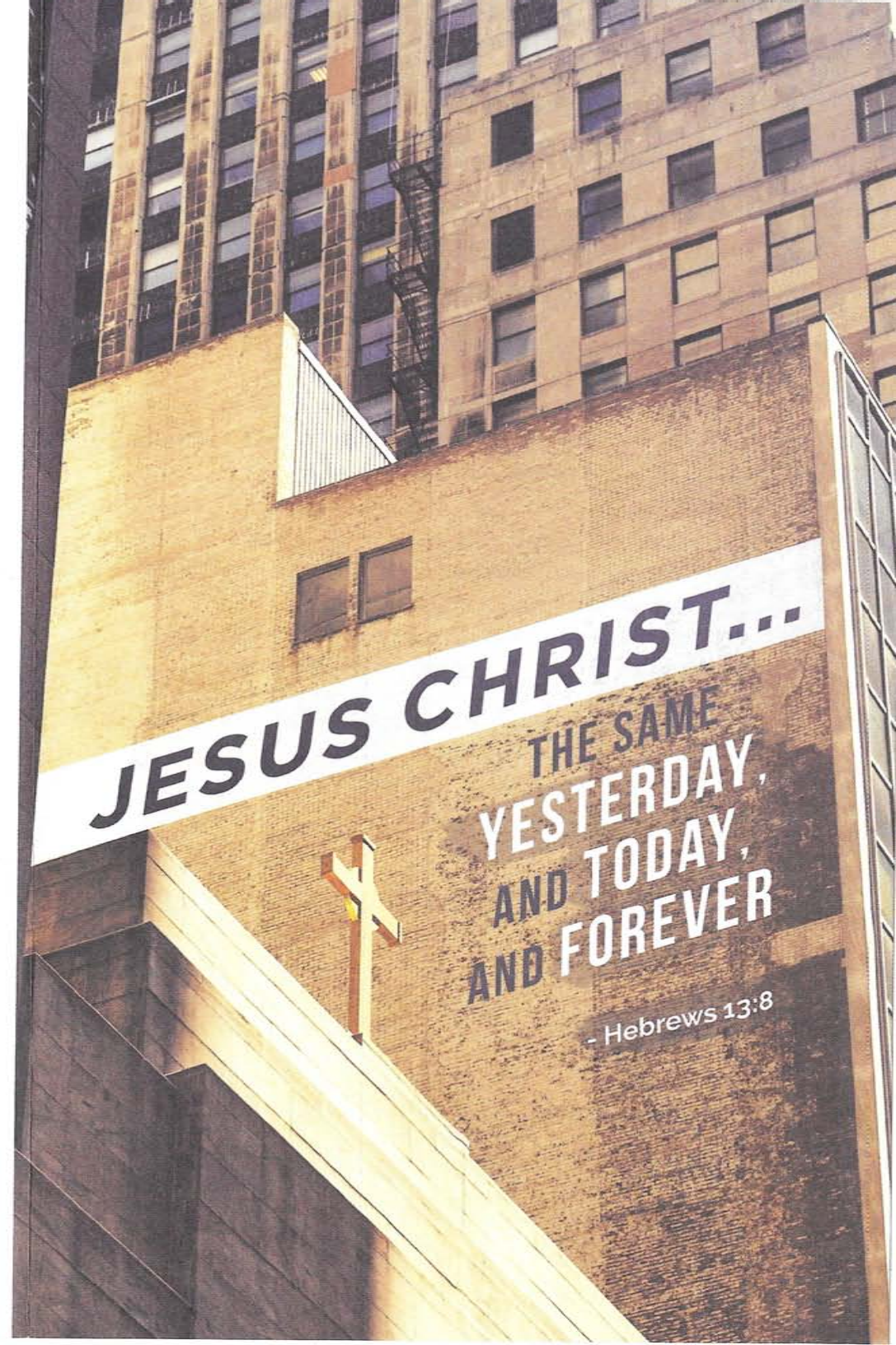
Second Friday Meal Our church has volunteered to provide cupcakes of the Second Friday meal at Andrews House on September 9th. Your \$5 donation will help with the expense of this. Please see Larry Faulk by Sept. 4th to contribute money for the cupcakes.

Attendance:	Worship	30
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CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

September 4, 2016

*Blessed is the man who does not walk in the counsel of the wicked...
but his delight is in the law of the Lord. Psalm 1:1-2*

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Morning Song by Schirrmann*

*Call to Worship

L: Trust in the Lord at all times, O People: God is a refuge
for us

P: **God is our rock and our salvation, we shall not be
shaken**

L: God is good and in God's work we find our strength

A: **We sing of all God's wonderful works! We give
thanks and praise to the Lord**

*Song of Worship #21 *O Worship the King*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #31 *Praise Him, O Praise Him*

Giving of Our Tithes

*For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life
for my sake, and of the sake of the gospel, will save it. Mark 8:35*

Offertory *Arabesque by Ritter*

*Doxology #572 *Praise God from Whom All Blessings*

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #349 *May the Mind of Christ My Savior*

Scripture *Deuteronomy 30:15-20*

Message **IT DOESN'T MAKE SENSE**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Response #2264 *Come to the Table*

The Lord's Supper

Prayer of Blessing
Sharing of the Bread
Sharing of the Cup

*Fellowship Circle & Song of Departure, #207 (vs 1)
Blest Be the Tie That Binds

*Benediction

Postlude *Benediction Medley by Hayes*
**please stand as you are able*

*this is the word of God for the people
of God thanks be to God.*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: David Harris, Jr.

Lay Worship Participant: Jim Snyder

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Jennifer Turner

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **Fellowship Time***

This Week

- **Field Education Committee** 9/8, 7:30 p.m. @ Panera
- **Panera Pick-Up*** 9/8, 8:45 p.m.

Next Sunday

- **Worship Service** 10 a.m.

Upcoming Events

- **Rally Day*** 9/11, See announcements for times
- **Youth Group Kick-Off Meeting*** 9/11, 5:30 p.m.

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Panera Bread Pick-Up September 8th pick-up people are the Gossers. Thank you!!

Fellowship Time Today's snack providers are the Gossers. Next week, the Petersons are the snack providers. Thank you!!

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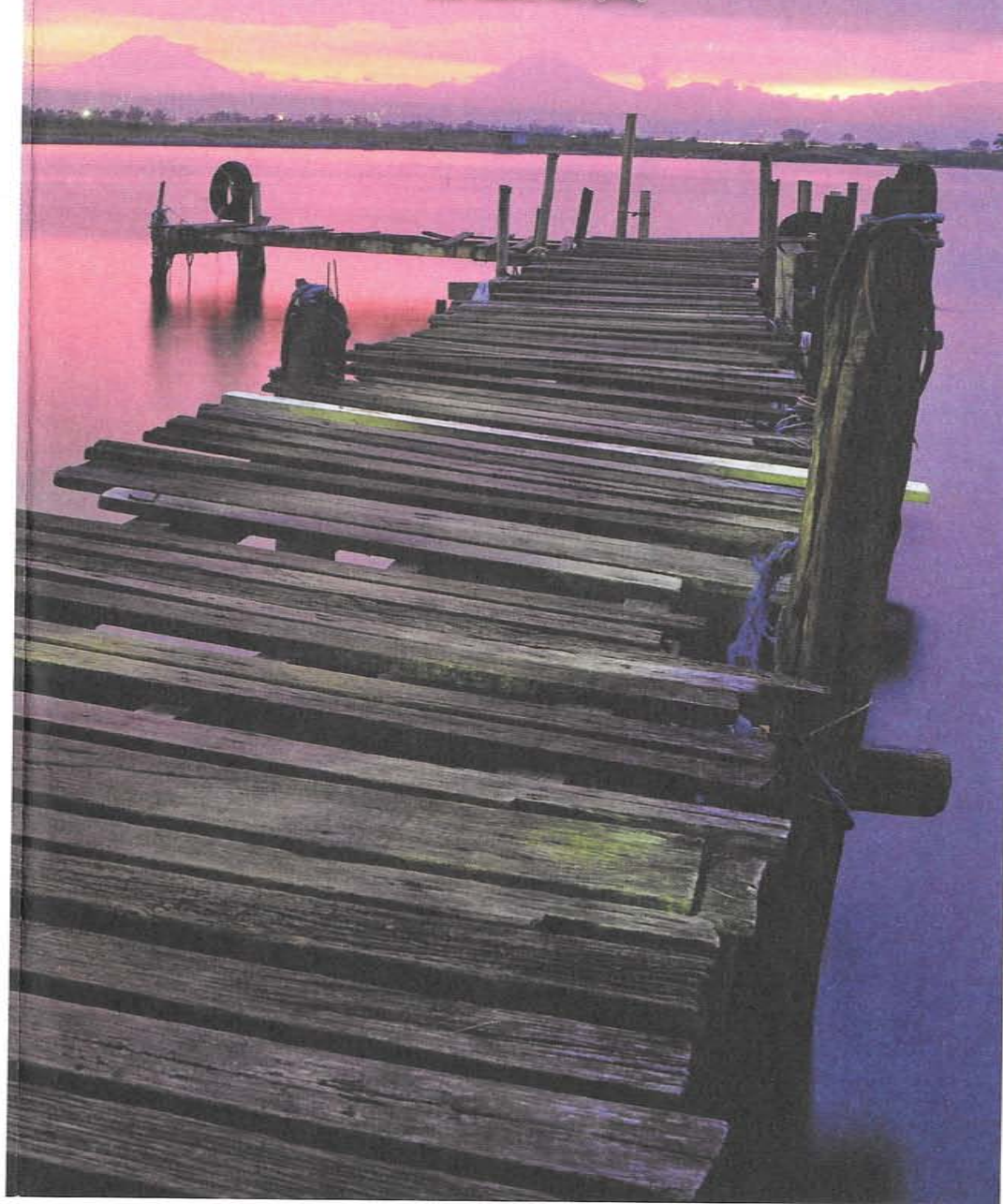
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Today I AM GIVING YOU A CHOICE BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH

DEUTERONOMY 30:15





CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

September 11, 2016

The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise. Psalm 51:17

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Enter His Courts with Praise!* by Mason

Introit

*Call to Worship

L: Sisters and brothers, we come together to worship God who offers us freedom through our Lord Jesus Christ

P: For Christ has set us free from sin and death that we might live to God's glory and praise

L: We have not received a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear

P: We have received the living Christ that we might become children of God

A: Come, let us worship the Lord

*Song of Worship #60 *Come, Christians, Join to Sing*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #2070 *He Is Exalted*

Giving of Our Tithes

*Honor the Lord with your substance and with the first fruits of all your produce.
Proverbs 3:9*

Offertory *I Love To Tell the Story* by Hankey

*Song of Giving #583

We Give Thee But Thine Own

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #390

More Holiness Give Me

Scripture

Psalm 51:1-12

Anthem

There Is Sunshine in My Soul by Ritter

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Message

GRANT ME A WILLING SPIRIT

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #491

I'll Tell to All That God Is Love

*You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn,
if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response

Grace, Love, and Fellowship

The words and music for this are on a sheet inside the black hymnal.

Postlude

Sing Praise to God by Paxton

**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Larry Faulk

Lay Worship Participant: David Harris

Song Leader: Randy Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time*
- Youth Group Kick-Off Meeting* 9/11, 5:30 p.m.

This Week

- Deacons 9/12, 6:30 p.m.
- Marion Association Trustees 9/13, 7 p.m.
- Choir Rehearsal 9/14, 7 p.m.
- Panera Pick-Up* 9/15, 8:45 p.m.
- Men's Breakfast 8 a.m. @ Bob Evan's

Next Sunday

- Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
- Worship Service 10:45 a.m.
- Mission & Outreach Team Meeting 1:30 p.m.

Upcoming Events

- Marion Assoc. Rally Day* 9/25 @ Grand Prairie
- CROP Walk* Oct. 2nd

*indicates more information in bulletin

Panera Bread Pick-Up September 15th pick-up people are the *Triggs*. Thank you!

Fellowship Time Today's snack providers are the *Petersons*. Next week, the *Shears* are the snack providers. Thank you!!

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Rejoice



with me,
for I have
found my
sheep that
was lost.

LUKE 15:6



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

September 18, 2016

*For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only son,
that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.*

John 3:16

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Ayre by Telemann*

Introit

*Call to Worship

L: Sing to the Lord a new song, for he has done marvelous things

P: The Lord has made his salvation known and revealed his
righteousness to the nations

L: Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth, burst into jubilant song
with music

P: He has remembered his love and his righteousness to the
house of Israel; all the ends of the earth have seen the
salvation of our God

A: Shout for joy before the Lord

*Song of Worship #57 *I Sing the Mighty Power of God*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

Dedication of Sunday School Teachers

*Song of Praise #223 *God Has Spoken by His Prophets*

Giving of Our Tithes

Honor the Lord with your substance and with the first fruits of all your produce.
Proverbs 3:9

Offertory *Lead Me, Lord by Wesley*

*Song of Giving #583

We Give Thee But Thine Own

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #2037 *I Sing Praises of Your Name*

Scripture *I Corinthians 1:18-25*

Anthem *At the Name of Jesus by Broughton*

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may leave with our adult volunteer out the side of the sanctuary.*

Message **WISDOM**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #2196 *We Walk by Faith*

*You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn,
if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, and Fellowship*

The words and music for this are on a sheet inside the black hymnal.

Postlude *When in Our Music God Is Glorified by Broughton*
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Larry Faulk

Lay Worship Participant: Pam Shears

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time*
- Newsletter Deadline
- Mission & Outreach Team Meeting 1:30 p.m.

This Week

- Stepping Up Meal 9/19, 4:30 p.m.
- International Day of Prayer for Peace* 9/21
- Choir Rehearsal 9/21, 7 p.m.
- Panera Pick-Up* 9/22, 8:45 p.m.

Next Sunday

- Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
- Worship Service 10:45 a.m.
- Marion Assoc. Rally Day* 9/25 @ Grand Prairie

Upcoming Events

- CROP Walk Oct. 2nd

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Panera Bread Pick-Up September 22nd pick-up people are the *Naces and the Youth Group*. Thank you!

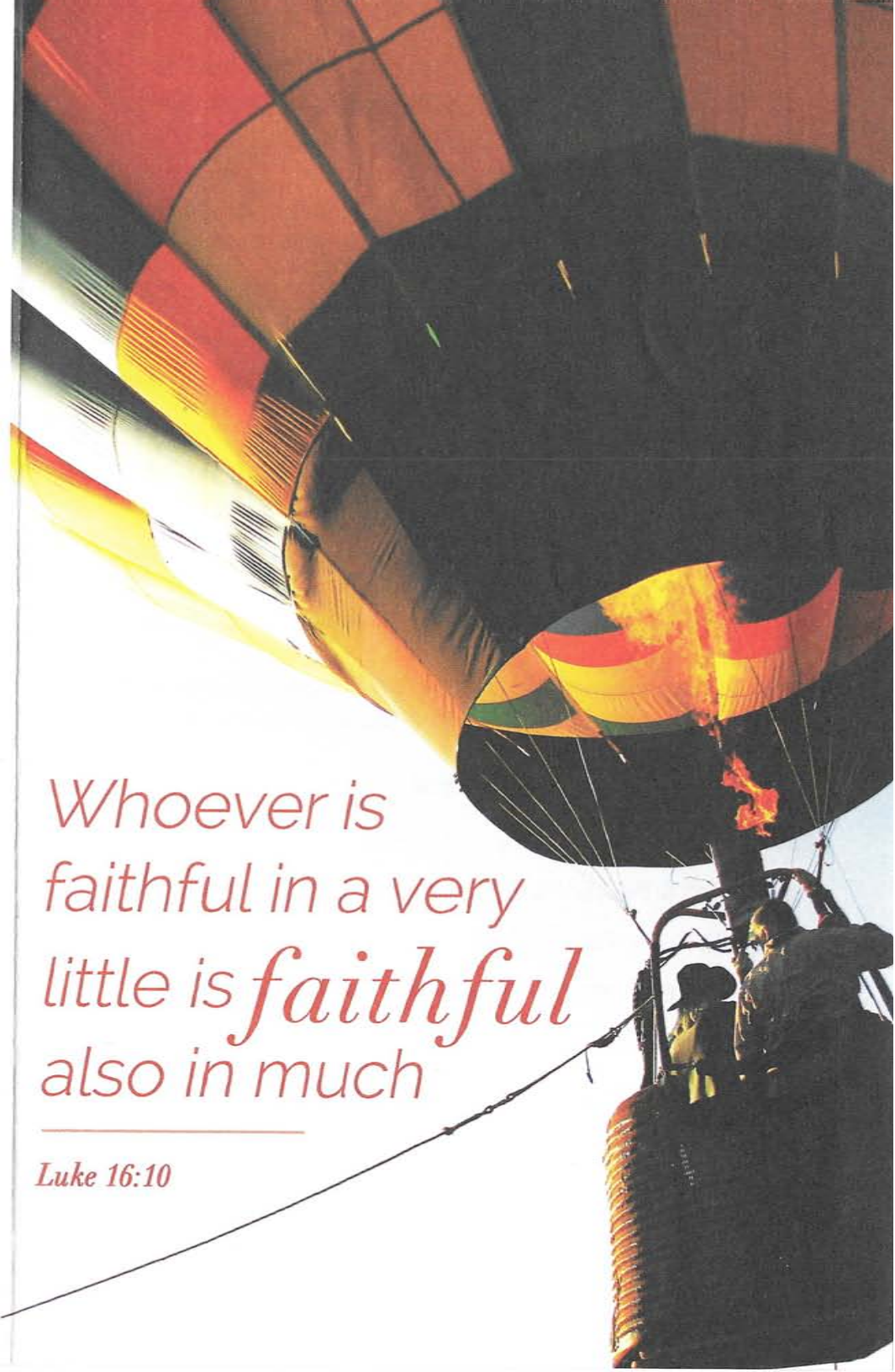
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	Worship	36
Kid Connection	Today	Pam F./Colin F.
	Sept. 25	Erin F./Bowen N.

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Whoever is
faithful in a very
little is faithful
also in much

Luke 16:10



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

September 25, 2016

*Do not put your trust in princes, in mortal men, who cannot save.
When their spirit departs they return to the ground, on that very day
their plans come to nothing. Psalm 146:3-4*

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Morning Song by Broughton*

Introit

*Call to Worship

L: Praise to the Lord

P: **The Almighty, the king of creation**

L: O my soul, praise him

P: **For he is thy health and salvation**

L: All ye who hear, now to his temple draw near, join me in glad
adoration

A: **Praise the Lord**

*Song of Worship #36 *The God of Abraham Praise*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #219 *O Word of God Incarnate*

Giving of Our Tithes

*Honor the Lord with your substance and with the first fruits of all your produce.
Proverbs 3:9*

Offertory *Melody by Kihlken*

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #2164 *Sanctuary*

Scripture *Luke 16:19-31*

Anthem *Thee, God, We Praise* by Remesiana & Strassburg
***At this time, any child (PreK – Grade 4) wanting to join Kid Connection
may leave with our adult volunteer out the side of the sanctuary.*

Message **THE GREAT CHASM**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #2103 *We Have Come*
*You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn,
if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, and Fellowship*
The words and music for this are on a sheet inside the black hymnal.

Postlude *Psalm of Glory* by Smith
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Larry Faulk

Lay Worship Participant: Jerry Palmer

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time*
- Marion Assoc. Rally Day*

This Week

- Choir Rehearsal 9/28, 7 p.m.
- Parish Council 9/29, 7 p.m.
- Panera Pick-Up* 9/29, 8:45 p.m.

Next Sunday

- Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
- Worship Service 10:45 a.m.
- CROP Walk 2 p.m.

Upcoming Events

- Board of Christian Ed 10/3, 5:30 p.m.

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Panera Bread Pick-Up September 29th pick-up people are the *Faulks*. Thank you!

Fellowship Time The snack volunteer list still needs volunteers. Please sign up if you would like to volunteer for this. Next week, *Faulks* are the snack providers. Thank you!! We will be celebrating the pastor's one year anniversary and Pastor Appreciation Month.

PIN Donations People In Need (PIN) is our September Mission. There will be a box in the welcome center for you to add your donations. Our goal is to fill 3 boxes with donations! Thank you!

Attendance:	Sunday School	22
	Worship	32
Kid Connection	Today	Erin F./Bowen N.
	Oct. 2	Pat G./Aidan F.

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Fight the good fight of the

Faith

1 Timothy 6:12



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

October 2, 2016

Be still before the Lord and wait patiently for him. Psalm 137:7a

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Son of God Eternal Savior* by Schack

*Call to Worship

L: We are gathered together in the name of Christ Jesus

P: **In the presence of God's Holy Love**

L: Without God we are like feathers in the wind, blown all over without any choice in where to rest

P: **O come, let us return to the Living God**

A: **Let us bow before the one who made us.**

*Song of Worship #5 *Father of Heaven, Whose Love Profound*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #2061 *Praise Our God Above*

Giving of Our Tithes

Let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your father in heaven. Matthew 5:16

Offertory *Pastorale* by Held

*Doxology #572 *Praise God from Whom All Blessings*

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #37 *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

Scripture *Lamentations 3:19-26*

Solo *O Rest in the Lord* by Mehndelsson

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Message **WAITING**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Response #2264 *Come to the Table*

The Lord's Supper

Prayer of Blessing
Sharing of the Bread
Sharing of the Cup

*Fellowship Circle & Song of Departure, #207 (vs 1)
Blest Be the Tie That Binds

*Benediction

Postlude *Postlude* by Dinda
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

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Worship Leader: David Harris, Jr.

Lay Worship Participant: Pam Faulk

Organist: Jennifer Turner

Song Leader: Randy Turner

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **Fellowship Time***
- **CROP Walk 2 p.m.**

This Week

- **Board of Christian Ed 10/3, 5:30 p.m.**
- **Panera Pick-Up* 10/6, 8:45 p.m.**

Next Sunday

- **Sunday School 9:30 a.m.**
- **Worship Service 10:45 a.m.**

Upcoming Events

- **World Mission Offering** *Our goal: \$700*

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Panera Bread Pick-Up October 6th is *open for volunteer*. If you can sign up, please do so in the Gathering Place! Thank you!

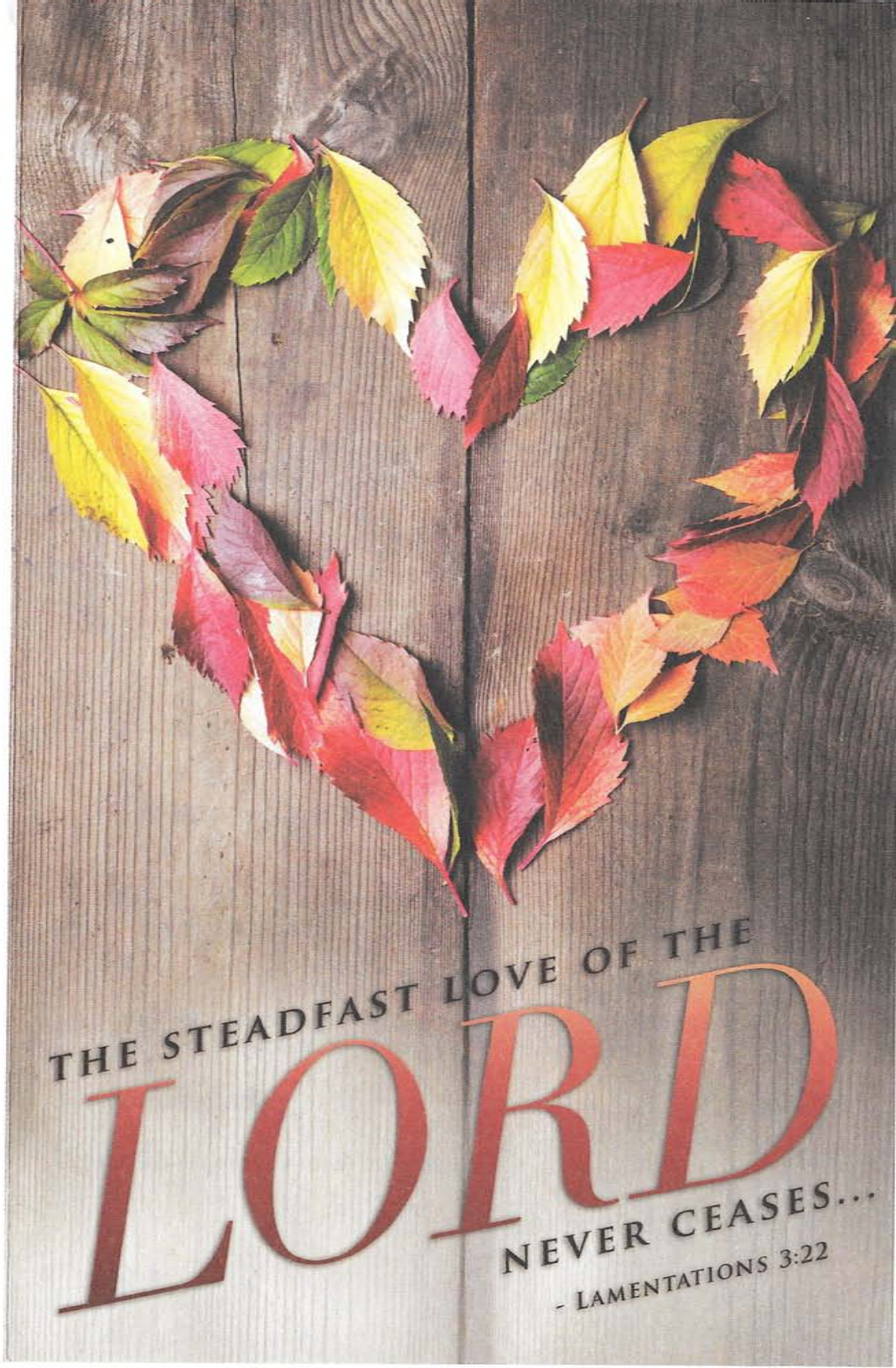
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Attention Ladies! Next Saturday, Oct. 8th will be our monthly women's fellowship breakfast. We will be gathering at the Corner Café(not Panera) at 9 a.m.. Please join us and bring a friend!

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	Worship	36
Kid Connection	Today	Pat G./Aidan F.
	Oct. 9	Deb N./Gabe F.

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CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

October 9, 2016

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom Psalm 111:10a

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Tocatta by Diemer*

Introit

*Call to Worship

L: Shout with joy to God, all the earth! Sing the glory of his name; make his name glorious

P: **All the earth bows down to you; they sing praise to you, they sing praise to your name**

L: Come and see what God has done, how awesome his works in man's behalf

P: **He turned the sea into dry land, they passed through the waters on foot**

A: **Come, let us rejoice in Him!**

*Song of Worship #28 *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

Mission Moment

*Song of Praise #2087 *We Will Glorify the King of Kings*

Giving of Our Tithes

Let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your father in heaven. Matthew 5:16

Offertory *Priere by Schirrmann*

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #2157 *Come & Fill Our Hearts*

Scripture *Luke 17:11-19*

Anthem *Teach Me Your Way O Lord by Smith*

***At the conclusion of the anthem, any child (PreK – Grade 4) wanting to join Kid Connection may leave with our adult volunteer out the side of the sanctuary.*

Message **WHOLENESS**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #502 *Master, No Offering, Costly & Sweet*
You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn, if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, and Fellowship*
The words and music for this are on a sheet inside the black hymnal.

Postlude *Sonatina in C by Marcello*
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: David Harris, Jr.

Lay Worship Participant: Pam Shears

Organist: Jennifer Turner

We extend a warm welcome to our guests this morning. Whether you are just visiting or looking for a church home, we are delighted you are here.

Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **Fellowship Time** (Dan & Sherry Chambers)

This Week

- **Board of Deacons** 10/10, 6:30 pm
- **Choir Rehearsal** 10/12, 7 pm
- **Panera Pick-Up** 10/13, 8:45 pm (Faulks)
- **ABM** 10/15, 8 am, Bob Evan's
- **Chamber's Farm Party*** 10/15, 5 pm

Next Sunday

- **Sunday School** 9:30 am
- **Worship Service** 10:45 am
- **Fellowship Time** (Lovells)
- **Mission & Outreach Team Meeting** 2 pm
- **Youth Group Game Night/Bible Study** 6:30 pm

Upcoming Events

- **Panera Pick-Up** 10/20, 8:45 p.m. (Lovells)
- **World Mission Offering** *Our goal: \$700; TTD \$290*

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Nursery For infants and toddlers, nursery care is provided during the worship service. An usher or greeter would be happy to direct you.

Kid Connection Kid Connection is available for children PreK – 4th grade. The children can leave the worship service with our adult volunteer following the anthem or special music.

Attendance:	Sunday School	18
	Worship	32
Kid Connection	Today	Deb N./Gabe F.
	Oct. 16	Jennifer T./Hannah N.

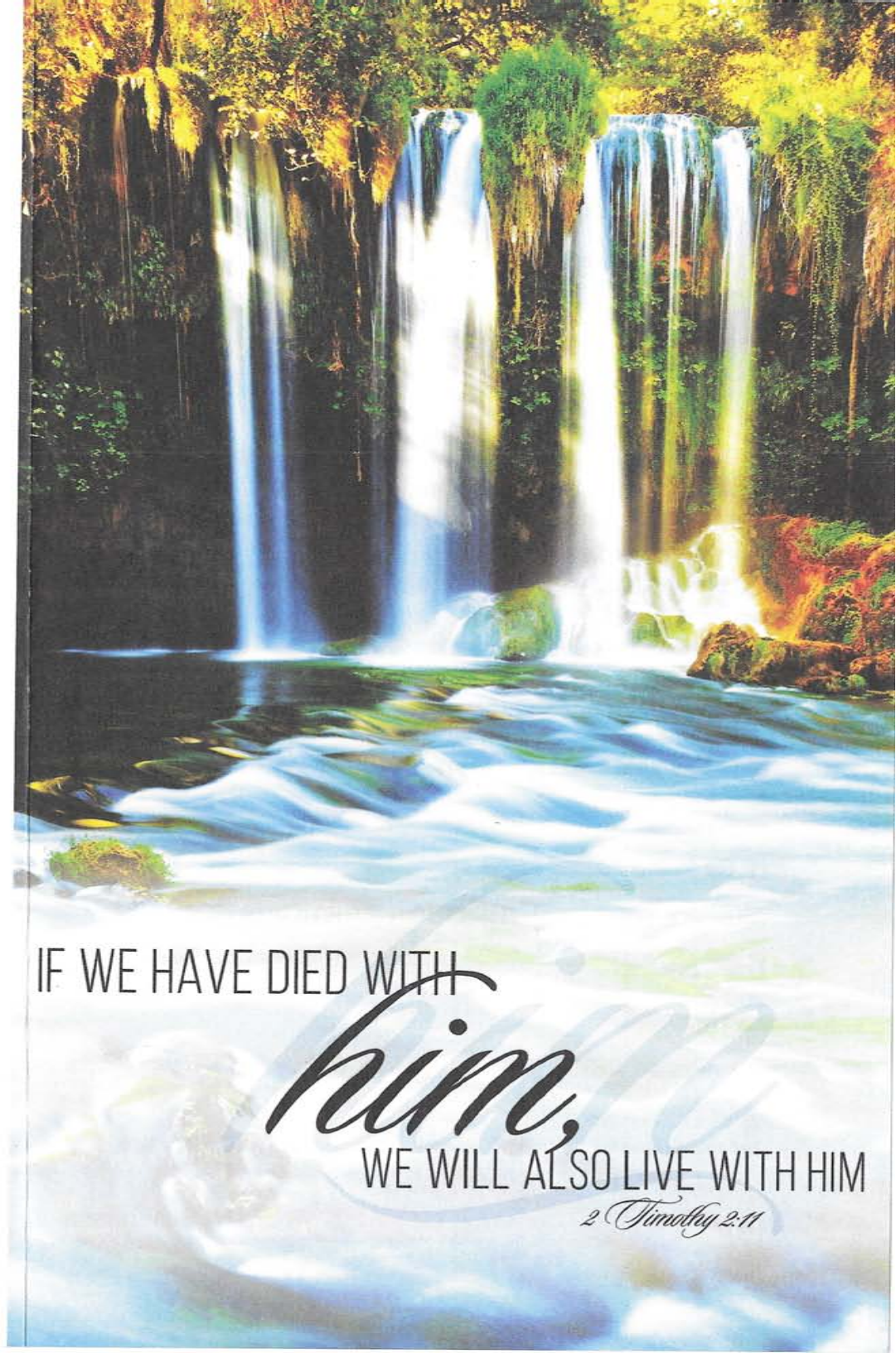
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IF WE HAVE DIED WITH
him,
WE WILL ALSO LIVE WITH HIM
2 Timothy 2:11



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

October 9, 2016
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I lift my eyes to the hills-where does my help come from? My help comes from the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth. Psalm 121:1-2

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Flourish on "Lobe den Herren" by Wagner*

Introit *This Is the Day* by Jeanne Ekelberry

*Call to Worship

L: Praise the Lord

P: Praise God in his sanctuary, praise him in his mighty heavens

L: Praise him for his acts of power. Praise him for his surpassing greatness

P: Praise him with the sounding of the trumpet, praise him with the harp and lyre

L: Praise him with dancing, praise him with strings and flutes

P: Praise him with the clash of cymbals, praise him with resounding cymbals

L: Let everything that has breath praise the Lord!

A: Praise the Lord!

*Song of Worship #2020 *Praise the Lord*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

A Presentation to the Church *Jeanne Ekelberry*

Our Life Together

Mission Moment

*Song of Praise #63 *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*

Giving of Our Tithes

Let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your father in heaven. Matthew 5:16

Offertory *God Will Take Care of You* by Anderson

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Anthem *Worship the Lord in the Beauty of Holiness* by Smith

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

Scripture *Genesis 32:22-31*

*Song of Meditation #469 *Fight the Good Fight*

***At the conclusion of the hymn, any child (PreK - Grade 4) wanting to join Kid Connection may leave with our adult volunteer out the side of the sanctuary.*

Message **THE STRUGGLE WITH GOD**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #2243 *We All Are One in Mission*

You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn, if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, and Fellowship*

The words and music for this are on a sheet inside the black hymnal.

Postlude *Postlude in G Minor* by Taylor

**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS - OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Jennifer Turner

Lay Worship Participant: David Harris, Jr.

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time (Lovells)
- Mission & Outreach Team Meeting 2 pm
- Youth Group Game Night/Bible Study 6:30 pm

This Week

- Stepping Up Meal 10/17, 4:30 pm
- Choir Rehearsal 10/19, 7 pm
- Panera Pick-Up 10/20, 8:45 pm (Lovells)

Next Sunday

- Sunday School 9:30 am
- Worship Service 10:45 am
 - Guest Speaker-Dr. Ernest Jones, Executive Minister ABC/Ohio
- Fellowship Time (Palmers)

Upcoming Events

- Panera Pick-Up 10/27, 8:45 p.m. ()
- World Mission Offering Our goal: \$700; TTD \$327
- Quarterly Business Meeting 10/26
- All Church Halloween Party 10/30

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Attendance:	Sunday School	21
	Worship	45
Kid Connection	Today	Larry F./Gabe F.
	Oct. 16	Debbie F./Colin F.

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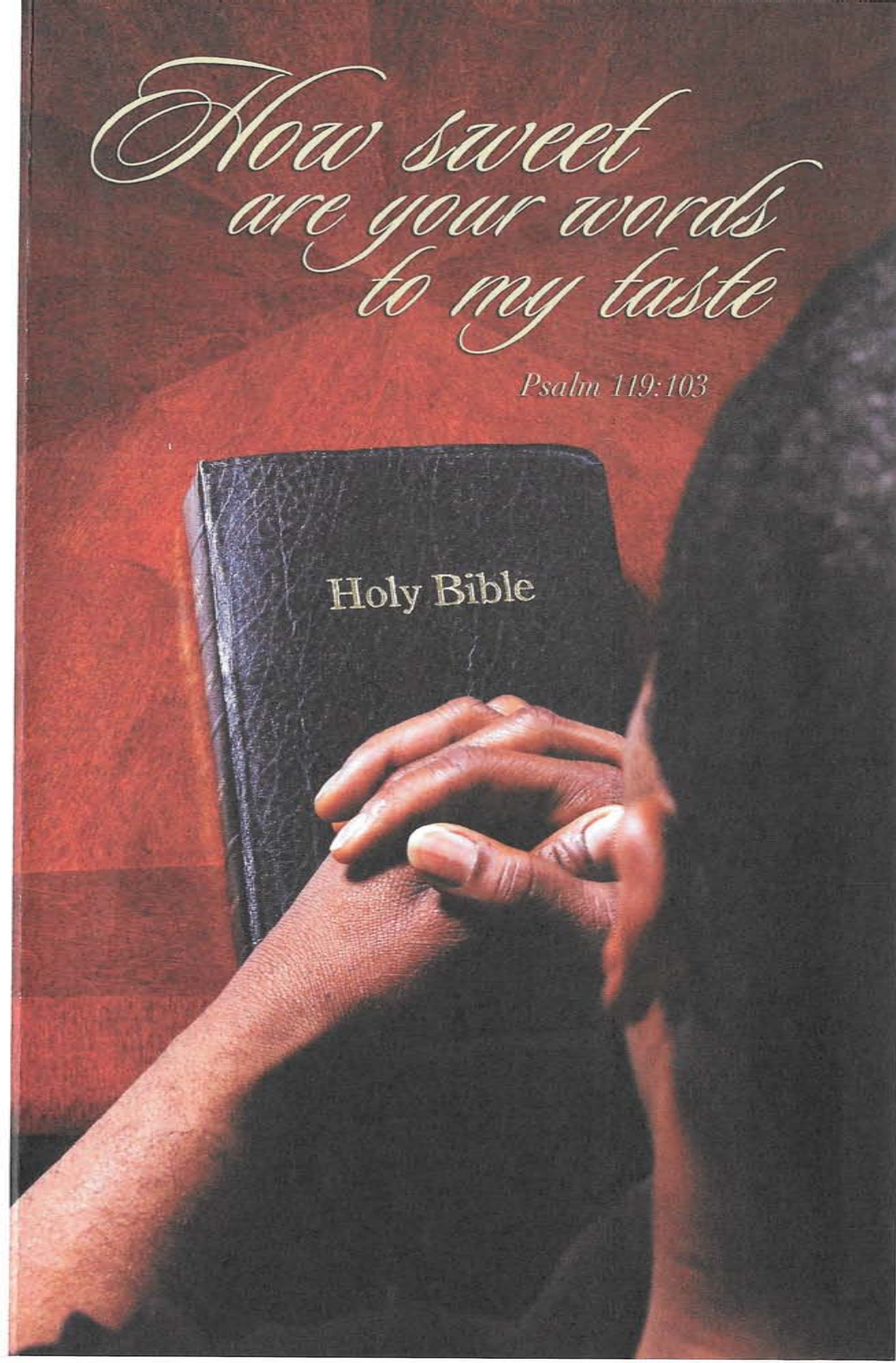
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*How sweet
are your words
to my taste*

Psalm 119:103





CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

October 23, 2016

Be not afraid, O Lord; be glad and rejoice. Surely the Lord has done great things. Joel 2:21

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *All Nature Sings!* by Smith

Introit *This Is the Day* by Jeanne Ekelberry

*Call to Worship

L: Praise the Lord

P: Praise the Lord, O my soul

L: I will praise the Lord all my life; I will sing praise to God as long as I live

P: Do not put your trust in princes, in mortal men who cannot save

L: Blessed is the one whose help is the God of Jacob, whose help is the Lord his God

A: Praise the Lord!

*Song of Worship #37 *Great is Thy Faithfulness*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

Mission Moment

*Song of Praise #2018 *Honor and Praise*

Giving of Our Tithes

Let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your father in heaven. Matthew 5:16

Offertory *A Prayer of Need* by Rodriguez

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #313 *My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less*

Anthem *Worship the Lord in the Beauty of Holiness* by Smith

***At the conclusion of the anthem, any child (PreK – Grade 4) wanting to join Kid Connection may leave with our adult volunteer out the side of the sanctuary.*

Scripture *Jeremiah 29:11*

Message **PARTNERSHIP IN A HOPE-FILLED FUTURE**
Dr. Ernest Jones, Executive Minister of ABC/Ohio

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #2226 *Bind Us Together*
You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn, if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, and Fellowship*
The words and music for this are on a sheet inside the black hymnal.

Postlude *Trumpet Tune* by Lau
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Guest Pastor: Dr. Ernest Jones

Worship Leader: Jennifer Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **Fellowship Time** (Palmers)

This Week

- **Quarterly Business Meeting** 10/26, 6:30 Potluck/7 pm meeting
- **Panera Pick-Up** 10/27, 8:45 pm (Triggs)

Next Sunday

- **Sunday School** 9:30 am
- **Worship Service** 10:45 am
- **Fellowship Time** (Gossers)
- **All Church Halloween Party** 10/30, 4 pm

Upcoming Events

- **Panera Pick-Up** 11/3, 8:45 p.m.
- **World Mission Offering** *Our goal: \$700; TTD \$428*
- **Pink Piggy Party*** 11/12
- **Women's Fellowship Breakfast** 11/12

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Attendance:	Sunday School	20
	Worship	42
Kid Connection	Today	Debbie F./Colin F.
	Oct. 30	Pat G./Will F.

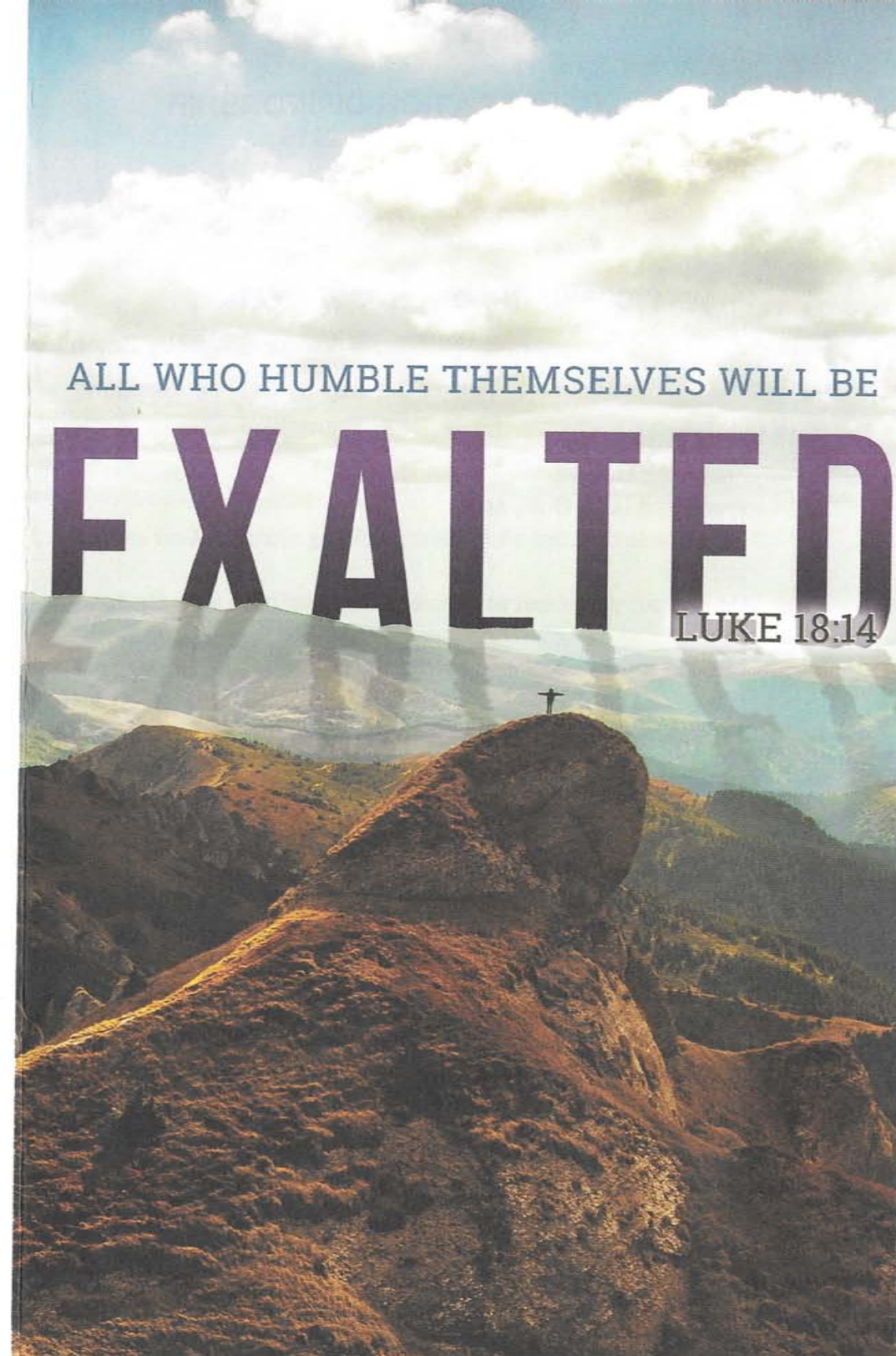
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CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

October 30, 2016

For the revelation awaits an appointed time...though it longer, wait for it; it will surely come and will not delay. Habbakuk 2:3

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *With Reverence Let the Saints Appear* by Smith

Introit *This Is the Day* by Jeanne Ekelberry

*Call to Worship

L: To the King of Heaven, your cheerful voices raise

P: To Him be glory given, power, majesty, and praise

L: Wide as He reigns His name be sung

A: By every tongue in endless strains

*Song of Worship #11 *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

Mission Moment *Pam Faulk*

*Song of Praise #2004 *Praise the Source of Faith & Learning*

Giving of Our Tithes

Let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your father in heaven. Matthew 5:16

Offertory *Here I Am, Lord* by Schutte

*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #2128 *Come & Find the Quiet Center*

Scripture *Luke 19:1-10*

Message **DIVINE DISTRACTIONS**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #380 *Living for Jesus*
You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn, if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, and Fellowship*
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Postlude *Justified by Faith* by Broughton
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: David Harris, Jr.

Lay Worship Participant: Jerry Palmer

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time (Gossers)
- All Church Halloween Party 10/30, 4 pm

This Week

- Choir Rehearsal 11/3, 7 pm
- Panera Pick-Up 10/27, 8:45 pm (Ekelberry)

Next Sunday

- Sunday School 9:30 am
- Worship Service 10:45 am
 - Change for Change Offering*
- Fellowship Time (Open)

Upcoming Events

- Panera Pick-Up 11/10, 8:45 p.m. (Faulks)
- World Mission Offering *Our goal: \$700; TTD \$503*
- Pink Piggy Party* 11/12
- Women's Fellowship Breakfast 11/12

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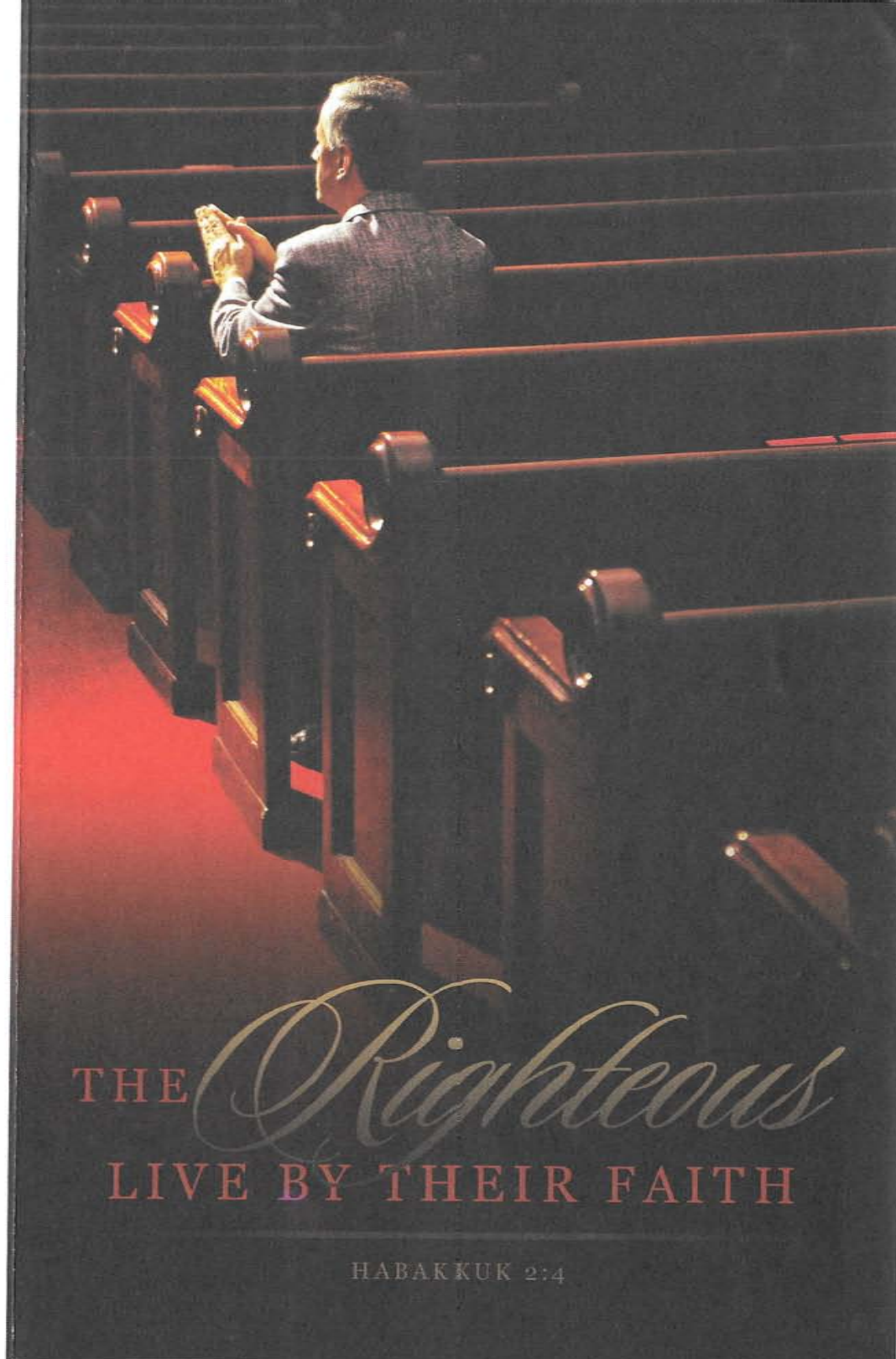
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	Worship	31
Kid Connection	Today	Pat G./Will F.
	Nov. 6	Pam F./Bowen N.

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CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

November 6, 2016

*So then, brothers and sisters, stand firm and hold fast to the traditions that you were taught by us, either by word of mouth or by our letter.
2 Thessalonians 2:15*

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *A Ground with Divisions* by Banister

*Call to Worship

L: From generation to generation

P: We sing praises to the God of all creation

L: We stand amongst the great cloud of witnesses

**P: We receive their ancient wisdom and sing of
God's marvelous works**

L: God is great, and greatly to be praised

*Song of Worship #533 *For All the Saints*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together & Change for Change Offering

*Song of Praise #59 *All Creatures of Our God & King*

Giving of Our Tithes

*Let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works
and give glory to your father in heaven. Matthew 5:16*

Offertory *Patriotic Selections* by Traditional

*Doxology #572 *Praise God from Whom All Blessings*

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #2236

Gather Us In

Scripture

Psalm 145:1-5, 17-21

Anthem

My Hope Is in the Lord by Clayton

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Message

A MULTI-GENERATIONAL PRAISE

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Response #2132

You Who Are Thirsty

The Lord's Supper

Prayer of Blessing
Sharing of the Bread
Sharing of the Cup

*Fellowship Circle & Song of Departure, #207 (vs 1)
Blest Be the Tie That Binds

*Benediction

Postlude

Praise Ascending by Paxton
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Guest Pastor: David Harris, Jr.

Worship Leader: Jennifer Turner

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time (Open)

This Week

- Choir Rehearsal 11/9, 7 pm
- Panera Pick-Up 11/10, 8:45 pm (Faulks)
- Pink Piggy Party* 11/12, 6:30 pm, FBC
- Women's Fellowship Breakfast 11/12, 9 am, Corner Cafe

Next Sunday

- Sunday School 9:30 am
- Worship Service 10:45 am
- Fellowship Time (Faulks)

Upcoming Events

- Panera Pick-Up 11/17, 8:45 p.m.

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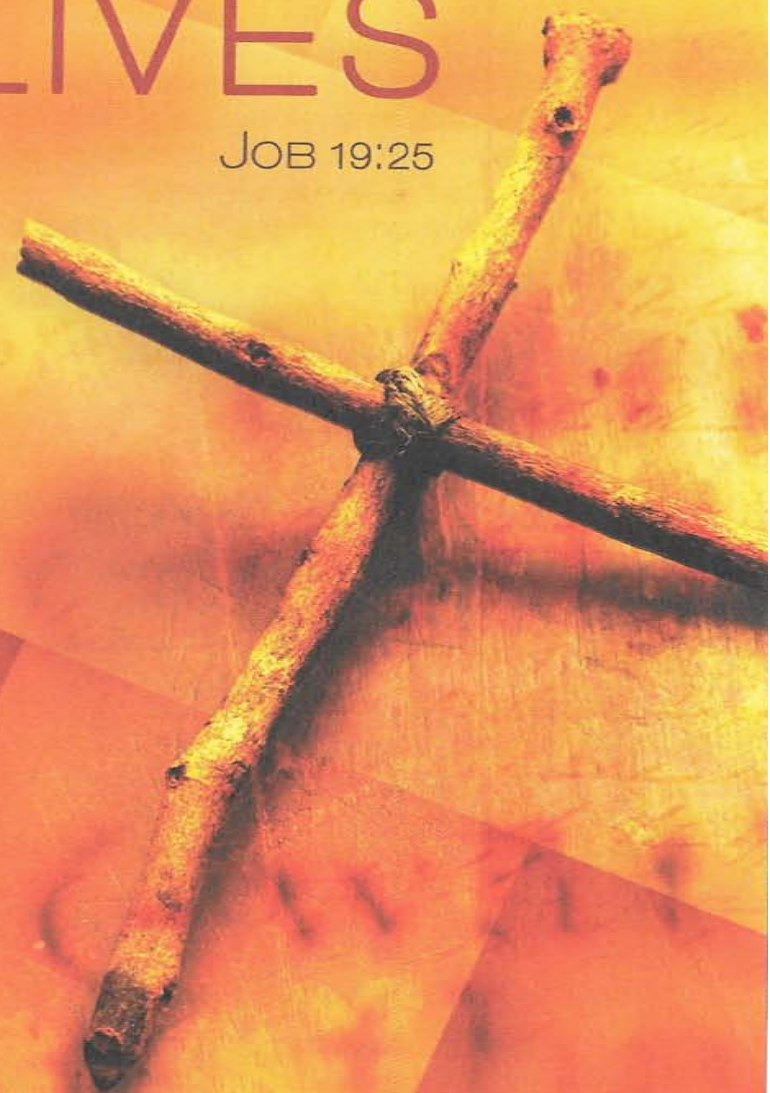
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	Nov. 13	Deb N./Aidan F.

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FOR I KNOW THAT MY REDEEMER LIVES

JOB 19:25





CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

November 13, 2016

Surely God is my salvation; I will trust and not be afraid. Isaiah 12:2a

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *At This Worship Hour* by Broughton

Introit

*Call to Worship

L: Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth,
burst into jubilant song with music;
make music to the Lord with the harp,
with the harp and the sound of singing,
with trumpets and the blast of the ram's horn—
shout for joy before the Lord, the King.

P: Let the sea resound, and everything in it,
the world, and all who live in it.
Let the rivers clap their hands,
let the mountains sing together for joy;
let them sing before the Lord,
for he comes to judge the earth.
He will judge the world in righteousness
and the peoples with equity.

*Song of Worship #57 *I Sing the Almighty Power of God*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #251 *My Song Shall Be of Jesus*

Giving of Our Tithes

Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering and come before him. Worship the LORD in the splendor of his holiness. 1 Chronicles 16:29

Offertory

Offertorio Pastorale by Anonymous

*Song of Giving #583

We Give Thee But Thine Own

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #335 *Jesus, My Lord, My God, My All*

Scripture *Isaiah 65:17-25*

Solo *We Plow the Fields* by Ritter
Randy Turner - soloist

**At the conclusion of the solo, any child (PreK – Grade 4) wanting to participate in Kid Connection may leave with our adult volunteer out the side of the sanctuary*

Message **A NEW WORLD**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #519 *Peace in Our Time, O Lord*
You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn, if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, and Fellowship*
The words and music for this are on a sheet inside the black hymnal.

Postlude *Onward Christian Soldiers* arr. by Sullivan
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: David Harris, Jr.

Lay Worship Participant: Pam Faulk

Organist: Jennifer Turner

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time (Faulks)

This Week

- Choir Rehearsal 11/16, 7 pm
- Parish Council, 11/17, 7 pm
- Panera Pick-Up 11/17, 8:45 pm (Youth)
- Men's Breakfast 11/19, 8 am, Bob Evan's

Next Sunday

- Sunday School 9:30 am
- Worship Service 10:45 am
 - Stewardship Sunday*
- Fellowship Time (Candy Lee)
- Newsletter Deadline
- Last day to order poinsettias*

Upcoming Events

- Panera Pick-Up 11/17, 8:45 p.m.

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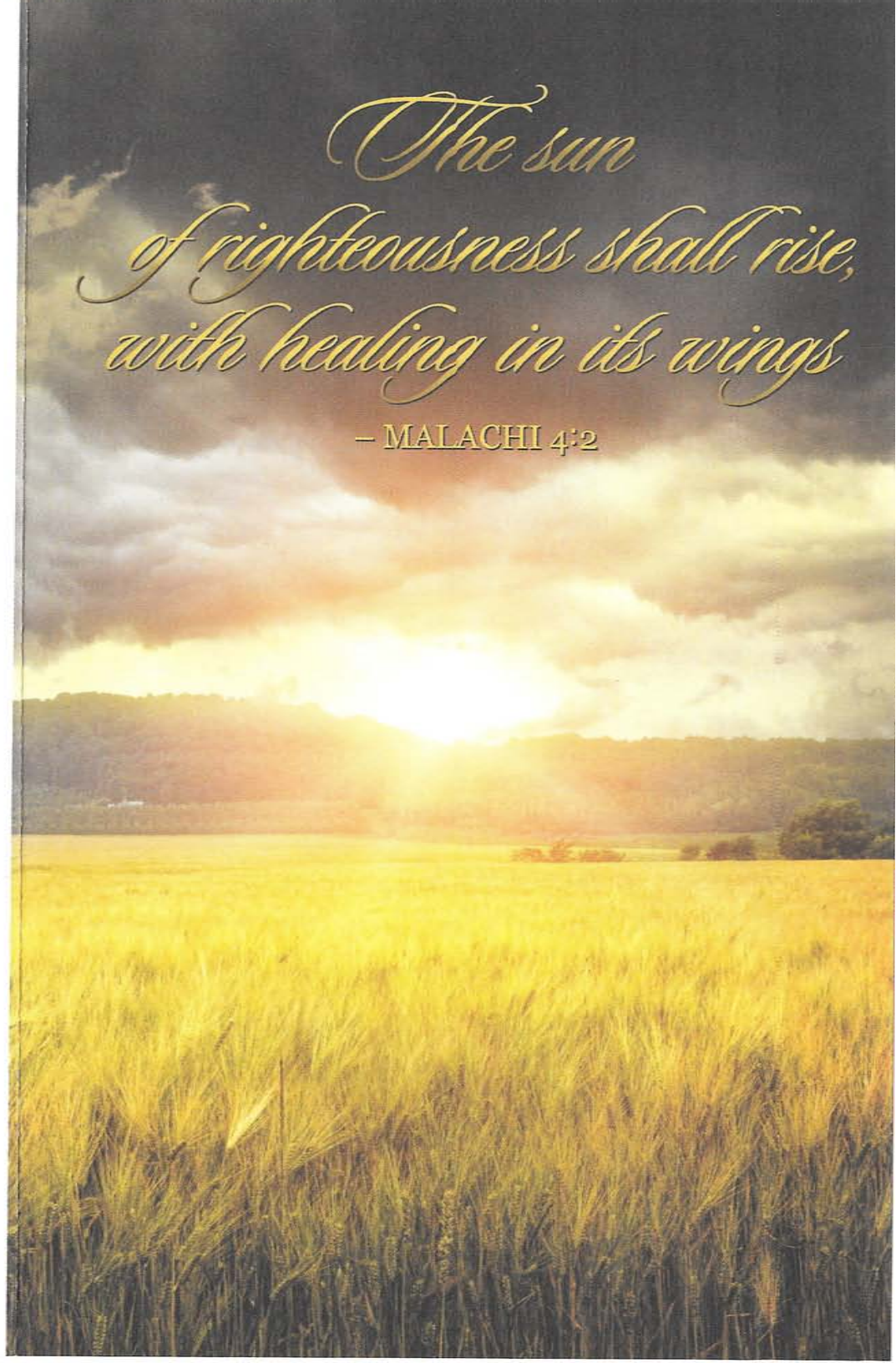
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	Worship	34
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	Nov. 20	David H./Gabe F.

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*The sun
of righteousness shall rise,
with healing in its wings*

— MALACHI 4:2





CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

November 20, 2016

*God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble.
Psalm 46:1*

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Bringing in the Sheaves* arr. by Thygerson

Introit

*Call to Worship

L: For all the blessings of the year, for all the friends we
hold so dear, for peace on earth both far and near,

P: We thank you Lord

L: For life and health, those common things, which every
day and hour brings, for home where our affection
clings

P: We thank you Lord

L: For love of thine which never tires, which all our better
thought inspires, and warms our lives with heavenly
fires

P: We thank you Lord

*Song of Worship #570 *We Gather Together*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #55 *For the Beauty of the Earth*

Giving of Our Tithes

*Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering and come before
him. Worship the LORD in the splendor of his holiness. 1 Chronicles 16:29*

Offertory

Thanks to God arr. by Smith

*Song of Giving #583

We Give Thee But Thine Own

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #401

It Is Well, with My Soul

Scripture

Luke 1:68-79

Anthem

I Will Give Thanks to the Lord by Larson

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participate in Kid Connection may leave with our adult volunteer out the side
of the sanctuary*

Message

THE KNOWLEDGE OF SALVATION

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #554 *O Master Let Me Walk with Thee*
*You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn,
if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, and Fellowship*
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Postlude

Now Thank We All Our God arr. by Smith
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Dave Lovell

Lay Worship Participant: Lana Palmer

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time (Candy Lee)
- Youth Clean-Up 1:00 p.m.
- Mission/Outreach Team 1:30 p.m.
- Newsletter Deadline
- Last day to order poinsettias*

This Week

- Choir Rehearsal 11/23, 7 pm
- Panera Pick-Up 11/24, 8:45 pm (Gossers)

Next Sunday

- Sunday School 9:30 am
- Worship Service 10:45 am
 - First Sunday in Advent
- Fellowship Time (Pat Gosser)

Upcoming Events

- Panera Pick-Up 12/1, 8:45 p.m.
- Andrews House Christmas Cupboard 12/3
- PIN Clearing House 12/3

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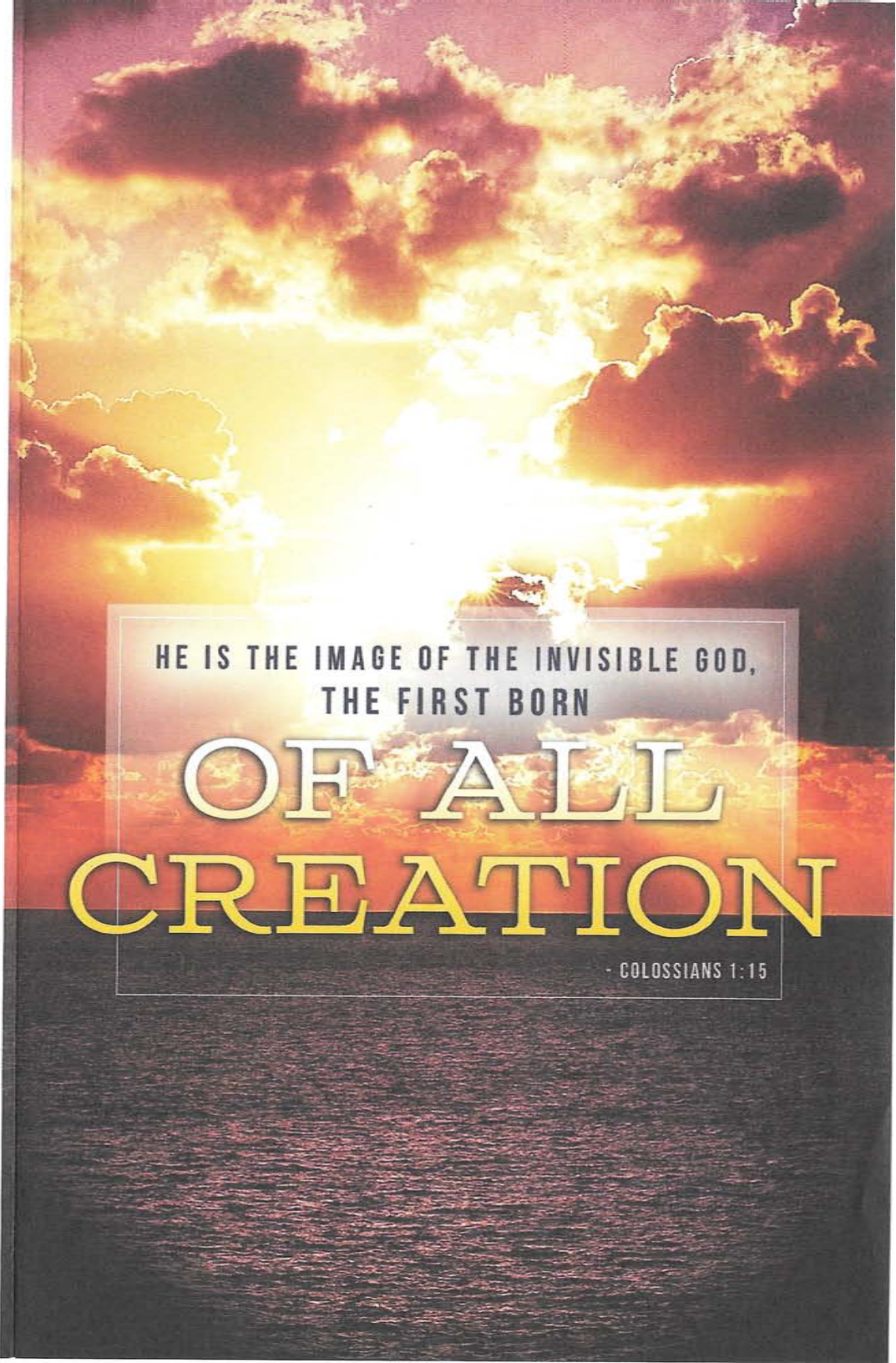
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HE IS THE IMAGE OF THE INVISIBLE GOD,
THE FIRST BORN

OF ALL CREATION

- COLOSSIANS 1:15



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

November 27, 2016

*I rejoiced with those who told me, "Let us go to the house of the Lord."
Psalm 122:1*

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Prepare the Way, O Zion* arr. by Smith

Introit

*Call to Worship

L: Let us worship the Lord with great anticipation
because the day of Christ's birth is drawing near.

P: Let us set aside for this hour the confusion of
our lives and all the demands we face in the
holiday season

L: And prepare our hearts for the coming of the Lord

P: The Lord Our Righteousness, the hope of the
world, in whom we place our trust

*Song of Worship #100 *O Come, O Come Emmanuel*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Lighting of the Advent Candle

Congregational Response #2090 *Advent Song (vs 1)*

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #119 *While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks*

Giving of Our Tithes

*Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering and come before
him. Worship the LORD in the splendor of his holiness. 1 Chronicles 16:29*

Offertory *Joseph Dearest, Joseph Mine* arr. by Paxton

*Song of Giving #583

We Give Thee But Thine Own

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #109

Once in Royal David's City

Scripture

Isaiah 2:1-5

Anthem

Say He Will Come by Lau

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participate in Kid Connection may leave with our adult volunteer out the side
of the sanctuary*

Message

THE LIGHT OF THE LORD

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #108

The First Noel

*You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn,
if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response

Grace, Love, and Fellowship

The words and music for this are on a sheet inside the black hymnal.

Postlude

And the Glory of the Lord by Handel

**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Dave Lovell

Lay Worship Participant: Pam Shears

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- Fellowship Time (Pat Gosser)

This Week

- Choir Rehearsal 11/30, 7 pm
- Panera Pick-Up 12/1, 8:45 pm (Gossers)
- Cookie Drop off at Andrews House* 12/2, 9-9 pm
- Andrews House Christmas Cupboard* 12/3 9-2
- Parish Council Calendar Planning 12/3, 9 am

Next Sunday

- Sunday School 9:30 am
- Worship Service 10:45 am
- Fellowship Time (Palmers)

Upcoming Events

- Christmas Clearing House 12/10, 8:45 am
- Songs and Soup* 12/11, 5:30 pm
- Youth Group Christmas Party 12/17

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Attendance:	Sunday School	15
	Worship	30
Kid Connection	Today	Pat G./Hannah N.
	Dec. 4	Pam F./Colin F.

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HOPE

The Son of Man is coming

—Matthew 24:44—





CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

December 4, 2016

A shoot will come up from the stump of Jesse...the Spirit of the Lord will rest upon him. Isaiah 11:1-2

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Be Comforted, My People* by Smith

Introit

*Call to Worship

L: "Though the mountains be shaken and the hills be removed, yet my unfailing love for you will not be shaken nor my covenant of peace be removed," says the Lord, who has compassion for you

P: **Let us lift up our songs, our prayers, and our praises; let us love Christ with our hearts, our minds, and our spirits**

A: **Let us worship the Almighty God who is always with us**

*Song of Worship #104 *It Came Upon a Midnight Clear*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Lighting of the Advent Candle *Romans 5:1-8*

Song of Response #2090 *Advent Song (vs 2)*

Our Life Together

*Song of Praise #2097 *One Holy Night in Bethlehem*

Giving of Our Tithes

For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also. Matthew 6:21

Offertory *Peace* by Winston
Jennifer Turner, pianist

*Doxology #572 *Praise God from Whom All Blessings*

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #2100 *Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne*

Scripture *Matthew 3:1-12*

Anthem *Imagine a King* by Blake
**At the conclusion of the anthem, any child (PreK – Grade 4) wanting to participate in Kid Connection may leave with our adult volunteer out the side of the sanctuary*

Message **PROPHECY AND PEACE**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Response #2095 *Star Child*

The Lord's Supper

Prayer of Blessing
Sharing of the Bread
Sharing of the Cup

*Fellowship Circle & Song of Departure, #207 (vs 1)
Blest Be the Tie That Binds

*Benediction

Postlude *Angels We Have Heard on High* by Turner
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Dave Lovell

Lay Worship Participant: Jim Snyder

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **Fellowship Time** (Palmers)

This Week

- **Board of Christian Ed**, 12/5, 6 pm at Faulks
- **Choir Rehearsal** 12/7, 7 pm
- **Panera Pick-Up** 12/8, 8:45 pm (Faulks)
- **Christmas Clearing House** 12/10, 8:45 am
- **Women's Fellowship Breakfast** 12/10, 9 am, Jug Restaurant (in Kroger Shopping Center, Houk Rd)

Next Sunday

- **Sunday School** 9:30 am
- **Worship Service** 10:45 am
- **Fellowship Time** (Shears)
- **Songs and Soup*** 5:30 pm

Upcoming Events

- **ABM Breakfast** 12/17, 8 am
- **Youth Group Christmas Party** 12/17

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Attendance:	Sunday School	16
	Worship	38
Kid Connection	Today	Pam F./Colin F.
	Dec. 11	Deb N./Will F.

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PEACE

*In his days may righteousness
flourish and peace abound*

—Psalm 72:7—





CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

December 11, 2016

Blessed is he whose help is the God of Jacob, whose hope is in the Lord his God. Psalm 146:5

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *The Joy of Christmas* arr. by Smith

Introit

*Call to Worship

L: Shout for Joy to the Lord, all the earth, worship the Lord with gladness, come before him with joyful songs

P: Know that the Lord is God. It is he who made us, and we are his, we are his people, the sheep of his pasture

L: Enter his gates with Thanksgiving and his courts with praise, give thanks to him and praise his name

P: For the Lord is good and his love endures forever, his faithfulness endures throughout all generations

*Song of Worship #102 *Come Thou Long Expected Jesus*

*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

*Glory Be to the Father #576

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PARTICIPATION

Lighting of the Advent Candle *I Peter 1:3-9*

Congregational Response #2090 *Advent Song (vs 1)*

Our Life Together

Mission Moment

*Song of Praise #2091 *The King of Glory Comes*

Giving of Our Tithes

Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering and come before him. Worship the LORD in the splendor of his holiness. 1 Chronicles 16:29

Offertory

Joy by Winston
Jennifer Turner - pianist

*Song of Giving #583

We Give Thee But Thine Own

Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #114

As with Gladness Men of Old

Scripture

Isaiah 35:1-10

Anthem

Waiting for a King by Martin

**At the conclusion of the anthem, any child (PreK – Grade 4) wanting to participate in Kid Connection may leave with our adult volunteer out the side of the sanctuary*

Message

EVERLASTING JOY

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

*Song of Dedication #113 *Angels We Have Heard on High*
You are invited to come forward during the singing of this hymn, if God is leading you to make a commitment this morning.

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, and Fellowship*
The words and music for this are on a sheet inside the black hymnal.

Postlude *Let Christians All With Joyful Mirth* by Mansfield
**please stand as you are able*

OUR WORSHIP ENDS – OUR SERVICE BEGINS

MINISTERING TODAY

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Larry Faulk

Lay Worship Participant: David Harris, Jr.

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Ministry Opportunities

Today

- **Fellowship Time*** (Shears)
- **Songs and Soup*** 5:30 pm

This Week

- **Choir Rehearsal** 12/14, 7 pm
- **Panera Pick-Up** 12/15, 8:45 pm (Youth Group)
- **ABM** 12/17, 8 am @ Bob Evan's
- **Youth Christmas Party*** 12/17, 7-9 pm @ Dr. Allison's House

Next Sunday

- **Sunday School** 9:30 am
- **Worship Service** 10:45 am
- **Fellowship Time*** (Gossers)

Upcoming Events

- **Christmas Eve Candlelight Service** 6:45 pm
- *indicates more information in bulletin

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	Worship	43
Kid Connection	Today	Deb N./Will F.
	Dec. 18	Pat G./Bowen N

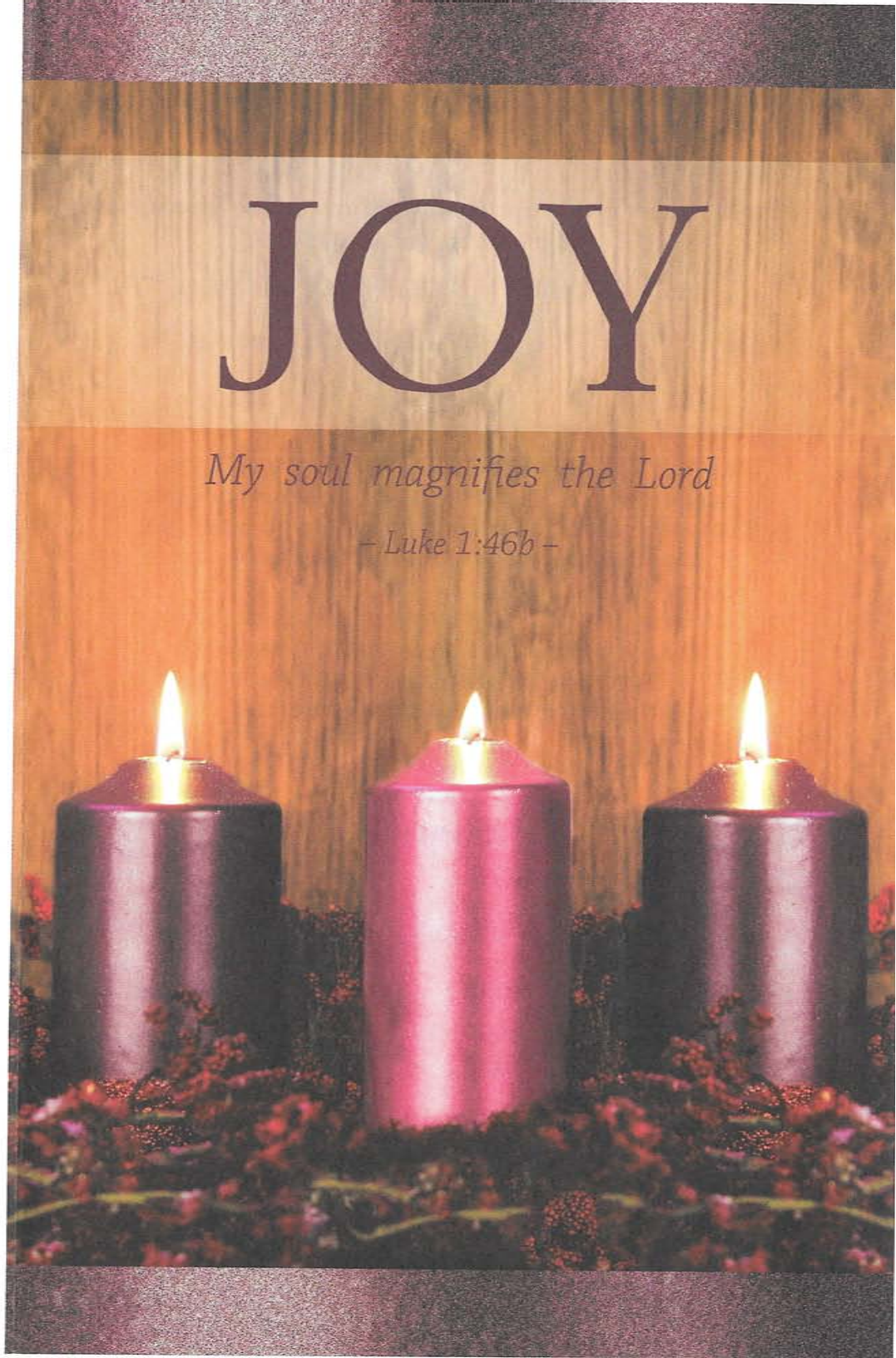
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JOY

My soul magnifies the Lord

— Luke 1:46b —





CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

December 24, 2016

MEDITATION BEFORE THE SERVICE

"I have always thought of Christmas time, when it has come round, as a good time; a kind, forgiving, charitable time; the only time I know of, in the long calendar of the year, when men and women seem by one consent to open their shut-up hearts freely, and to think of people below them as if they really were fellow passengers to the grave, and not another race of creatures bound on other journeys." ~Charles Dickens

Preludes

Up On the Housetop, Deck the Halls

Ben Trigg

Silent Night, Joy to the World

Jackson Trigg

Selected Christmas Carols *Aidan Ferguson, Colin Ferguson, Will Fogle*

Introit

Welcome and Invocation

*Hymn, #103

O Come, All Ye Faithful

Lighting of the Advent Candle – Love

Romans 8:35-39

The Shears Family

Piano Solo

Love by Winston

Jennifer Turner

*Hymn, #120

Joy to the World!

Lighting of the Christ Candle

John 1:10-14

The Trigg Family

Anthem

"On This Still and Silent Night" by Koerts

Children's Message

Luke 2:1-20

*Hymn, #106

Hark the Herald Angels Sing

Christmas Eve Homily

*Hymn, #113

Angels We Have Heard on High

Solo

"O Holy Night" by Adam

Claire Turner, soloist

*Candle Lighting & Silent Night (See back of bulletin)

Special Note: During the candlelight service, please light your candle by tilting it toward the lighted candle as it is offered to you. Please keep lighted candles in the upright position.

*Benediction

*Postlude *Hark the Herald Angels Sing! by Denton & Smith*

(* All who are able are invited to stand)

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MINISTERING THIS EVENING:

Pastor: Dr. Mark Allison

Worship Leader: Larry Faulk

Organist: Mary Lou Lovell

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Merry Christmas



The Importance of RMMO

“Over and over again we heard words of gratitude expressed to MMBB for their faithfulness in support of the ministry.”

Through MMBB's Visitation ministry, recently retired clergy volunteer to conduct pastoral visits to longtime annuitants. The Visitation ministry helps us to stay connected to annuitants, listen to their concerns, and provide support and assistance where possible.

“We discovered retirees who used RMMO money for prescription medicines, necessary home repair, help with medical expenses, winter fuel costs, rent and automotive expenses.

Recently, I was explaining the work of MMBB to a friend from another denomination. He was amazed that American Baptists take such good care of their retirees. Faithful support of the RMMO offering makes that care possible. Carolyn and I urge each congregation to give generously to the 2016 RMMO.”

— Rev. Dr. Kenneth E. and Carolyn Phelps, Aroostook Resource Minister,
Retired MMBB Visitor, Presque Isle, ME

Your generosity is a source of inspiration and an example of the gratitude that flows from our abiding faith in God.

Our College Students

Alec Ferguson at BGSU

Emily Bowman, Jane Mercer, Claire Turner at U of Miami, Oh
Evan, Samuel, & Jonathan Allison at Univ. of Missouri

Ian Ferguson at College of Wooster

Michael Mercer at University of Northwestern Ohio

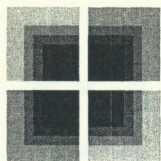
Sarah Bowman at OSU Marion

11-27-16

Christmas for Kids This year FBC is collecting toys and gifts for 4 foster children for Christmas. There are wish lists posted on the bulletin board in the sanctuary and on the table in the Welcome Center. Please help make this Christmas special for the 4 boys who are from the same family. These gifts will be collected through December 3rd.

Christmas Cupboard Andrews House is having their annual Christmas Cupboard and Silent Auction. All proceeds benefit Andrews House and their programs. If you are volunteering to bake and take cookies, the cookie drop off is on Friday, Dec. 2nd. The Christmas Cupboard is on Saturday, Dec. 3rd from 9-2. This is a HUGE cookie and gourmet bake sale. Andrews House is also doing their Lights of Love lighting on Dec. 2nd at 7 pm to honor those who have been remembered through Andrews House.

Songs and Soup Join us for an evening of Christmas carols and soup. You are invited to the First Baptist Church on Sunday, Dec. 11th at 5:30 pm in the sanctuary. We are going to sing favorite carols and then share a soup dinner with fellowship in the fellowship hall. Check the *Get Connected* slip if you are going to join us and *invite friends, neighbors, and anyone!* Also, if you would like to make a crock pot of soup or some corn muffins for the meal, please check that box as well! Another way to volunteer is to offer a ride to someone who would like to attend. Please mark the date on your calendar and plan to join us!



Retired
Ministers +
Missionaries
Offering
2016

The Importance of RMMO

Following God's call does not come without certain sacrifices. Retired ministers, missionaries and their widowed spouses often have limited options to adequately plan for the future. Medical problems, relocating or the death of a spouse can also cause these leaders to find themselves far from the church family that once supported them.

RMMO provides financial support for the retired ministers, missionaries and widowed spouses who have helped build our churches. This assistance restores the lifeline and ongoing connection to the ABC family. Like anyone else, retired ministers and missionaries experience anxiety and worry when unforeseen costs arise. RMMO exists to alleviate the stress and hardship of unexpected expenses.

RMMO recipients have used their funds to:

- Pay for medical expenses not typically covered by Medicare — including hearing aids, dental services and vision care
- Pay for renovations to make their home wheelchair accessible
- Purchase prescription medication not covered under health insurance
- Make emergency home repairs

We will receive RMMO *during December*
Please help us reach our goal of *\$ 700* this year.

R970

First Baptist Church Prayer List

Our Praises

Lion King, Jr. performance was AMAZING and inspirational!
Jean S. moved into Willowbrook (Genevieve P.)

Our Prayer Requests

Alicia having health issues (Mary Lou L.)

Billie, Turner's niece, long road of recovery (Randy T.)

Dan C.'s mom passed away, prayers for family (Sherry C.)

Florine, diagnosed with stomach cancer (Pam F.)

Jennifer prayers (Randy T.)

Jonathan prayers (Dr. Allison)

Traveling mercies for all who are traveling over the holiday
Austin Family, as their son passed away (Randy T.)

Dr. Ernest Jones, surgery went well, chemo will start

Scott's dad, in ICU, pray for dad, doctors, & family (Scott N.)

Daughter-in-law who has severe shingles (Pat G.)

Jane to see Kathy & George with health issues (Jennifer T.)

Jim, continued prayers for health (Mary Lou L.)

Samuel & town of Staunton, friend passed away (Dr. Allison)

DHHS Football coach, diagnosed with cancer (Randy T.)

Pastor in WV, Johnny blood cancer (Jeanne E.)

Jeannie, continued prayers for recovery (Dave L.)

Karen L. health issues (Sherry C.)

Bev K. making slow progress from stroke effects (Jane S.)

Bev C. prayers for healing after surgery (Mary Lou L.)

Ken's Aunt Erma cancer has spread, no meds (Pam S.)

Richard still receiving chemo/meds (Dave L.)

Laurie, cont. healing prayers (Dr. Allison)

Alvin Cox, cont. cancer treatments

Our Church

Dr. Mark Allison, our pastor

Church families

Our World

Prayers for our country's leaders and those who serve

Our Mission Outreach

Children & Family Services

Emerson & Ivy Wu – dev. workers, Macau/Hong Kong

Jeni Pedzinski – New Life Center, Thailand

SILENT NIGHT! HOLY NIGHT!

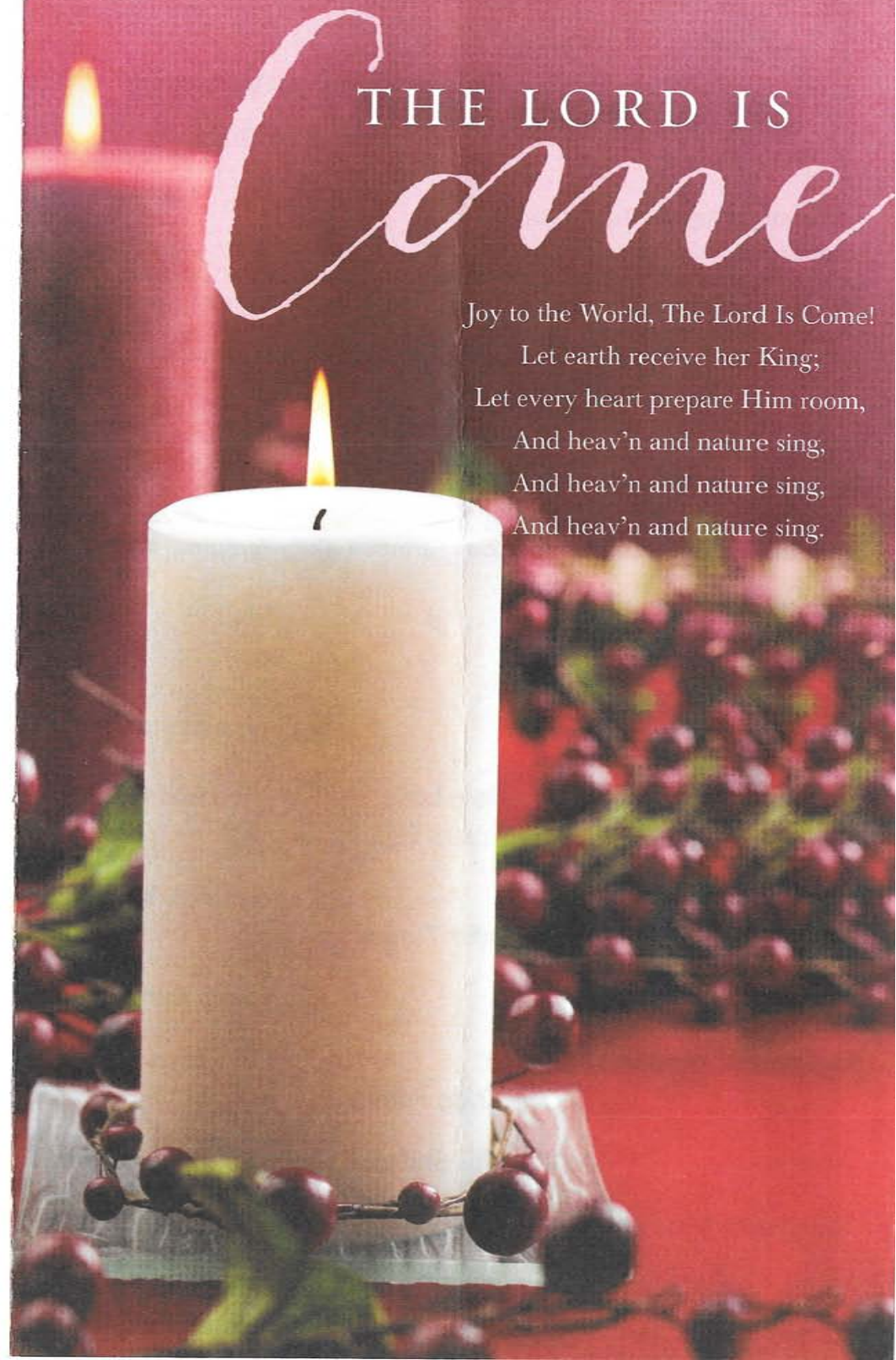
Silent night! Holy night! All is calm, all is bright
'Round yon virgin mother and Child,
Holy Infant so tender and mild,
Sleep in heavenly peace, Sleep in heavenly peace.

Silent night! Holy night! Shepherds quake at the
sight,
Glories stream from heaven afar,
Heav'nly hosts sing Alleluia;
Christ the Savior is born, Christ the Savior is born.

Silent night! Holy night! Son of God, love's pure
light,
Radiant beams from Thy holy face,
With the dawn of redeeming grace,
Jesus, Lord, at Thy birth, Jesus, Lord, at Thy birth.



The First Baptist Church of Delaware is pleased to have you
with us for this Christmas Eve service celebrating the birth of
Jesus. We invite you to worship with us each Sunday. Sunday
School classes for all ages meet at 9:30 a.m. and worship is at
10:45 a.m.



THE LORD IS

Come

Joy to the World, The Lord Is Come!

Let earth receive her King;
Let every heart prepare Him room,
And heav'n and nature sing,
And heav'n and nature sing,
And heav'n and nature sing.



CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

December 25, 2016

*The Lord has made his salvation known and revealed his
righteousness to the nations. He has remembered his love...*

Psalm 98:2-3a

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PREPARATION

Prelude *Noel* by Daquin
There's a Song in the Air arr. by Hughes
Introit *Rise Up Shepherd and Follow*
Randy Turner - soloist

*Call to Worship

L: Shout for Joy! The Savior is here!

P: Sing with gladness! Our darkness is turned to light

L: Let every heart prepare a space. Let every home make
ready for a new day has dawned!

**P: The world has been made new. The Savior has been
born. Sing with joy!**

*Song of Worship #112 *Away in a Manger*
*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)
*Glory Be to the Father #576

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Giving of Our Tithes
*Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering and come before
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Offertory *God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen* by Winston
Jennifer Turner – pianist
*Song of Giving #583 *We Give Thee But Thine Own*
Prayers for the Community

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

*Song of Meditation #121 *O Little Town of Bethlehem*
Scripture *Matthew 1:18-25*
Solo *Mary, Did You Know?* By Lowry & Greene
Randy Turner - soloist
**At the conclusion of the solo, any child (PreK – Grade 4) wanting to
participate in Kid Connection may leave with our adult volunteer out the side
of the sanctuary*

Message **THE BEST THING THAT EVER HAPPENED**

WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROFESSION

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*Benediction
*Benediction Response *Grace, Love, and Fellowship*
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Postlude *Carol Medley* arr. by Hughes
**please stand as you are able*

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Today

- No Fellowship Time today—Merry Christmas!

This Week

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- Panera Pick-Up 12/29, 8:45 pm (Lovells)

Next Sunday

- Happy New Year!
- Sunday School 9:30 am
- Worship Service 10:45 am
- **No Fellowship Time

Upcoming Events

- Collection for Family Promise & Warming Center

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CHRIST

*For the grace of God has appeared,
bringing salvation to all*

– Titus 2:11 –

