

The Chapel in the Pines

August 20, 2023

*Serving our Community by Preaching, Teaching,
and Living the Gospel of Jesus Christ*

The Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
The Perspective of a Kingdom Steward



**The flowers on the Communion table this week are given
to Glory of God by Dennis and Sandy Cifranic in celebration of
their wedding anniversary.**

The Chiming of the Trinity

The Prelude

Concerns, Celebrations, and Prayers of our Chapel Family

***The Call to Worship**

Adapted from Psalm 91 and Psalm 146

They will call to me and I will answer them, says the Lord.
I will be with them in trouble. I will rescue and honor them.

**Happy are those whose help is in the God of Jacob,
whose hope is in the Lord our God.**

The Lord God reigns forever for all generations. Praise be to God!

With thanksgiving and praise, let us worship God.

The Invocation and Lord's Prayer.

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever...Amen.**

***Hymn**

#560 For the Beauty of the Earth

1 For the beauty of the earth,
For the glory of the skies,
For the love which from our birth
Over and around us lies;

Refrain:

Lord of all, to Thee we raise
This our hymn of grateful praise.

2 For the wonder of each hour
Of the day and of the night,
Hill and vale and tree and flower,
Sun and moon and stars of light: **[Refrain]**

3 For the joy of human love,
Brother, sister, parent, child;
Friends on earth and friends above;
For all gentle thoughts and mild: **[Refrain]**

4 For Thy Church that evermore
Lifteth holy hands above,
Offering up on every shore
Her pure sacrifice of love: **[Refrain]**

5 For Thyself, best gift divine,
To our race so freely given;
For that great, great love of thine,
Peace on earth and joy in heaven: **[Refrain]**

Amen.



***The Passing of the Peace**

The grace and peace
of our Lord and Savior Jesus the Christ be with you all...
and also with you.

The Passing of the Welcome Pads

The Call to the Offering

The Offertory

***The Doxology**

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

***The Prayer of Dedication**

The Prayer of Illumination

A Reading from the Epistles 1 Timothy 6:6-10, 17-19
They are to do good, to be rich in good works, generous, and ready to share, thus storing up for themselves the treasure of a good foundation for the future, so that they may take hold of the life that really is life.

Homily The Perspective of a Kingdom Steward

The Prayers of the People

Special Music

The Eucharist

**The Invitation
The Call to Confession**

The Prayer of Confession

**Living God, we confess that we live
in the shadows of hypocrisy and self-righteousness.
We honor you with our lips,
but we have not served you with our hearts.
We are satisfied with human traditions and norms
and avoid your liberating truth.
We have confused meekness with weakness,
holiness with social conformity, and anger with
righteousness.
Forgive us, we pray.
By the power of your word save us from the prison of
our conceit
so that we may serve you with sincere hearts;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.**



The Declaration of Forgiveness

Friends, do not despair;
God renews us by the word of truth,
that we might become the first fruits of God's creation.

In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

Now let us begin again.

The Great Thanksgiving
The Eucharistic Prayer
The Words of Institution
The Communion of the People
***The Prayer after Communion**

***Hymn** #620 We Give Thee but Thine Own

1 We give Thee but Thine own,
Whate'er the gift may be:
All that we have is Thine alone,
A trust, O Lord, from Thee.

2 May we Thy bounties thus
As stewards true receive,
And gladly as Thou blessest us,
To Thee our first-fruits give.

Amen.

***The Charge and Benediction**

***Hymn** #448 A Charge to Keep I Have

1 A charge to keep I have,
A God to glorify,
A never-dying soul to save,
And fit it for the sky.

2 To serve the present age,
My calling to fulfill;
O may it all my pow'rs engage
To do my Master's will!

3 Arm me with jealous care
As in Thy sight to live,
And now Thy servant, Lord, prepare
A strict account to give!

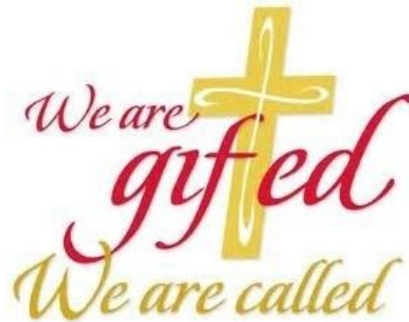
4 Help me to watch and pray,
And still on Thee rely,
O let me not my trust betray,
But press to realms on high.

Amen.



**To serve the present age, my calling to fulfill,
O may it all my pow'rs engage to do my Master's will!**

***Postlude**



Prayers for Chapel Friends:



Patty and Jackie Madden, Jack Sealey, Phyllis Mahin, Anthony Tuliano, Janet Hegeman, Ellie Lyons, Evangeline Caliandro, Laurie Stevens, Little Daniel Auman, Koran Sanders, Mary Faas, Olivia Mcdonald, Leric Racine, Jamie Raskin, Joe Currie, Kevin Carter, Sharon Thomas, Neida Crow, Kerra Paduano, Kathy Steele, Harry Wahlquist, Walter Hundley, Esther Robinson's sister Judy, Cindy Hess, Bob Macdonald, Rev. Bill and Marty Bruner, Elsie Keeshen, Elaine Bertino, Mary Farley, Abbe Wells, Kitty Price, Kerri Klein, Nancy Campbell, Jean Schmidt, Watts Auman, Ed Barry, Nell Ostby, Bill Bohl, Cynthia Fetty, Bob Lovin, Dwight and Faye Jessup, Little Caroline Matthews, D.J. Kirit, Allisha Watts, Scarlett Rose Williams, the people of Ukraine, Turkey, and Syria, and the people devastated by wind, rain, hail, and tornados in the South.

Prayers for Chapel Family:

Bud Holzerland, Nancee Letter, Dave Westerman, Meta Evans, Charles Hinson, Tamara Lee, Butch and Mary Kay Allen, George Hoffman, Glenda Clendenin, Jane and Jeff Lowe, Jon Tichenor, Jean Lawrence, Bob Dantzer, Mary Tuft, Phillip Thingstad, Shirley Percival, Kathy Golzio, and Jimmy McCaskill.

August Announcements



Tuesday, August 22

Butch Allen

Tuesday, August 24

Frank Carney



Thursday, August 31

Bart Reuter

Friday, August 25

Dave & Sandy Carr

Altar Flowers

August

8-27 Alicia Delong

September

9-3 Julie James

9-10 Marilyn McCaskill

9-17 Mike & Sue Barry

9-24 Jon & Dorene Tichenor



Looking Ahead!

Sunday-August 27	9:00 am
Monday-August 28	4:15 pm
Wednesday-August 30	4:30 pm
Sunday-September 3	9:00 am
Wednesday-September 6	4:30 pm
Thursday-September 7	2:30 pm
Friday-September 8	9:00 am
Saturday-September 9	8:00 am
Sunday-September 10	9:00 am
Tuesday-September 12	6:30 pm
Wednesday-September 13	4:30 pm
Thursday-September 14	5:30 pm
Sunday-September 17	9:00 am

1st Sunday in Kingdomtide
 Worship Team Meeting
 Chapel Choir Practice
 2nd Sunday in Kingdomtide
 Chapel Choir Practice
Fran's Friends
 Mission Team Meeting
 Men's Fellowship
 3rd Sunday in Kingdomtide
 Bunco 4 Missions
 Chapel Choir Practice
 The Gathering
 4th Sunday in Kingdomtide

Coffee Fellowship



Worship

August

8-20 Tracey Olsen & Frank Carney

8-27 PEACH Sunday!

September

9-3 Katy Swain & Satcy Golzio

9-10 Volunteer Needed

9-17 Volunteer Needed

9-24 Homecoming-Covered Dish

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To sign up for Coffee Fellowship: **Call** 910-944-5100

Email citp10@7lakeschapel.com **OR** Sign up on the

Podium outside the fellowship hall.

Peach Sunday—August 27, 2023



We will be celebrating Peach Sunday on August 27, 2023 during our Coffee Fellowship following the morning service.

You are invited to bring your favorite Peach Dessert for this time of fellowship after the service.

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SIGN-UP DATES:

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PHOTOGRAPHY DATES:

**TUESDAY-SEPTEMBER 19, 2023
WEDNESDAY-SEPTEMBER 20, 2023**