

The Chapel in the Pines

October 15, 2023

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

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time



**The flowers on the Communion table this week are given
to the Glory of God by Helen Scholl
in memory of deceased family members**

The Chiming of the Trinity

The Prelude

Concerns, Celebrations, and Prayers of our Chapel Family

***The Call to Worship**

We have been called to the banquet.

This is the feast!

We have been summoned to the wedding.

This is the feast of light and life!

From the streets and the byways God has invited us.

We have come to the banquet that has no end.

Alleluia! Amen!

***Hymn** #10 O Worship the King, All Glorious Above

- 1** O worship the King, all glorious above,
And gratefully sing His wonderful love;
Our Shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days,
Pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.
- 2** O tell of His might O sing of His grace,
Whose robe is the light whose canopy space!
His chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form,
And dark is His path on the wings of the storm.
- 3** Thy bountiful care what tongue can recite?
It breathes in the air, it shines in the light,
It streams from the hills, it descends to the plain,
And sweetly distills in the dew and the rain.
- 4** Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail,
In Thee do we trust, nor find Thee to fail:
Thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end;
Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend.

Amen.

Scripture into Script

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.**

***The Psalm of Thanksgiving and Praise**

Adapted from Psalm 106

We will celebrate and praise you, Lord!

You are good to us, and your love never fails.

We cannot praise you enough for all the mighty things you have done.

**You bless those people
who are honest and fair in everything they do.**

Remember us, Lord, when you show kindness by saving your people.

**Let us prosper with the rest of your chosen ones,
as we celebrate with pride because we belong to you.**

***Hymn**

#92 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

1 Love divine, all loves excelling,
Joy of heav'n, to earth come down;
Fix in us Thy humble dwelling,
All Thy faithful mercies crown.
Jesus, Thou art all compassion,
Pure, unbounded love Thou art;
Visit us with Thy salvation,
Enter ev'ry trembling heart.

2 Breathe, O breathe Thy loving Spirit
Into every troubled breast!
Let us all in Thee inherit,
Let us find that promised rest.
Take away our bent to sinning,
Alpha and Omega be;
End of faith, as its beginning,
Set our hearts at liberty.

3 Come, almighty to deliver,
Let us all Thy life receive;
Suddenly return, and never,
Nevermore Thy temples leave.
Thee we would be always blessing,
Serve Thee as Thy hosts above,
Pray and praise Thee without ceasing,
Glory in Thy perfect love.

4 Finish then Thy new creation,
Pure and spotless let us be;
Let us see Thy great salvation
Perfectly restored in Thee:
Changed from glory into glory,
Till in heav'n we take our place,
Till we cast our crowns before Thee,
Lost in wonder, love and praise!

Amen.

The Passing of the Welcome Pads

The Prayer of Illumination

A Reading from the Gospels

Matthew 22:1-14

But when the king came in to see the guests, he noticed a man there who was not wearing a wedding robe, and he said to him, 'Friend, how did you get in here without a wedding robe?'

Special Music

Homily It's All About the Robe

The Prayers of the People

The Call to the Offering

The Offertory

***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**

***Hymn** #380 Just a Closer Walk with Thee (verses 1 and 2)

1 I am weak but Thou art strong;
Jesus, keep me from all wrong;
I'll be satisfied as long
As I walk, let me walk close to Thee.

Refrain:

Just a closer walk with Thee,
Grant it, Jesus, is my plea.
Daily, walking close to Thee,
Let it be, dear Lord, let it be.

2 Thro' this world of toil and snares,
If I falter, Lord, who cares?
Who with me my burden shares?
None but Thee, dear Lord, none but Thee. **[Refrain]**

***The Charge and Benediction**

***Hymn** #380 Just a Closer Walk with Thee (verse 3)

3 When my feeble life is o'er,
Time for me will be no more;
Guide me gently, safely o'er
To Thy kingdom shore, to Thy shore. **[Refrain]**

Refrain:

Just a closer walk with Thee,
Grant it, Jesus, is my plea.
Daily, walking close to Thee,
Let it be, dear Lord, let it be.

***The Postlude**



Prayers for Chapel Friends:

Patty and Jackie Madden, Jack Sealey, Phyllis Mahin, Anthony Tuliano, Janet Hegeman, Evangeline Caliandro, Laurie Stevens, Little Daniel Auman, Koran Sanders, Olivia Macdonald, Lerici Racine, Jamie Raskin, Kevin Carter, Sharon Thomas, Neida Crow, Kerra Paduano, Kathy Steele, Harry Wahlquist, Walter Hundley, Esther Robinson's sister Judy, Cindy Hess, Lynn Garbarino, Bob Macdonald, Rev. Bill and Marty Bruner, Elsie Keeshen, Elaine Bertino, Mary Farley, Abbe Wells, Kitty Price, Kerri Klein, Jean Schmidt, Ed Barry, Nell Ostby, Bill Bohl, Cynthia Fetty, Bob Lovin, Dwight and Faye Jessup, Little Caroline Mathews, D.J. Kirit, Steve Hall, Mary Ann Weiss, Chandler Stewart, Phil Westerman, Lucy

Dunn Martin, Jerry Hyatt, Mary Faas, Robert Allen, Sharon Hacker, Ann Rorie Drew Carr and family, Doug Wilson Sue Barry's nephew, Fran and the family of Rich Greer.

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, Jean Lawrence, Bob Dantzer, Mary Tuft, Phillip Thingstad, Shirley Percival, JoAn Moses, Daisy Kirit, Joan Tourt, Ginny Hochler, Stacey Golzio and Sue Van Horne.





October Announcements

Altar Flowers



Tuesday, October 17
Friday, October 20

Nancy Geddes
Dan Stoltz

October

10-22 Wendy & Adrien Tetreault

10-29 Shirley Percival

November

11-5 Jon & Dorene Tichenor

11-12 Katy Swain



Tuesday, October 24

Bob & Pat Donaldson

Looking

Wednesday-October 18	4:30 pm	Chapel Choir Practice
Sunday-October 22	9:00 am	Pledge Sunday
Wednesday-October 25	4:30 pm	Chapel Choir Practice
Sunday-October 29	9:00 am	30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Thursday-November 2	3:00 pm	<i>Fran's Friends</i>
Sunday-November 5	9:00 am	All Saints Day
Wednesday-November 8	4:30 pm	Chapel Choir Practice
Saturday-November 11	7:45 am	Men's Fellowship
Sunday-November 12	9:00 am	Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Coffee Fellowship



October

10-15 Chris Beck
10-22 Joyce Singletary & Katy Swain
10-29 Shirley Percival

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