The Chapel in the Pines

September 29, 2024

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

The Fifth Sunday in Kingdomtide Stewardship Season



The flowers on the Communion table this week are given to the Glory of God by Jon and Dorene Tichenor in loving memory of William Tichenor.

Gathering Music

The Chiming of the Trinity

The Prelude

The Concerns, Celebrations, and Prayers of our Chapel Family

The Invocation and the Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our 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 Call to Worship

Selah

What a magnificent diversity of talents are represented here today! **God has called us to this place to share our time and our talents.**

Selah

There are so many ways that we can serve the Lord!

We pray that God will enable us
to find our unique set of skills
and our overwhelming passion for helping others.

Selah

Our lives should be prayers of thanksgiving to God. Let our hearts be open and our voices raised in song to God who continually blesses our lives.

Selah

*The Psalm of Thanksgiving and Praise Adapted from Psalm 124

Our help is in the name of the Lord, who made heaven and earth. **We belong to God.**

When we feel overwhelmed, **God is on our side.**

When we are afraid, **God will keep us safe.**

Our help is in the name of the Lord, who made heaven and earth. **Blessed be the Lord!**

*Hymn #52 O God, Our Help in Ages Past

- 1 O God, our help in ages past, Our hope for years to come, Our shelter from the stormy blast, And our eternal home!
- 2 Under the shadow of Thy throne Thy saints have dwelt secure; Sufficient is Thine arm alone, And our defense is sure.
- **3** Before the hills in order stood, Or earth received her frame, From everlasting Thou art God, To endless years the same.
- **4** A thousand ages in Thy sight Are like an evening gone; Short as the watch that ends the night Before the rising sun.
- **5** Time, like an ever-rolling stream, Bears all its sons away; They fly, forgotten, as a dream Dies at the opening day.
- **6** O God, our help in ages past, Our hope for years to come, Be Thou our guard while life shall last, And our eternal home.

Amen.

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

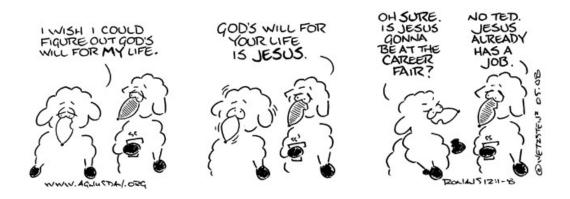
The Passing of the Welcome Pads

The Prayer of Illumination

A Reading from the Old Testament Ecclesiastes 3:1-8 For everything there is...a time...

The Choir's Anthem Change My Heart O' God

A Reading from the Epistles Romans 12:1-8 We have gifts that differ according to the grace given to us...



***Hymn** #379 Take My Life and Let It Be

- 1 Take my life and let it be Consecrated, Lord, to Thee; Take my moments and my days -Let them flow in ceaseless praise, Let them flow in ceaseless praise.
- 2 Take my hands and let them move At the impulse of Thy love; Take my feet and let them be Swift and beautiful for Thee, Swift and beautiful for Thee.
- **3** Take my voice and let me sing Always, only, for my King; Take my lips and let them be Filled with messages from Thee, Filled with messages from Thee.
- 4 Take my silver and my gold -Not a mite would I withhold; Take my intellect and use Ev'ry pow'r as Thou shalt choose, Ev'ry pow'r as Thou shalt choose.
- 5 Take my will and make it Thine It shall be no longer mine;
 Take my heart it is Thine own,
 It shall be Thy royal throne,
 It shall be Thy royal throne.
- **6** Take my love my Lord, I pour At Thy feet its treasure store; Take myself and I will be Ever, only, all for Thee, Ever, only, all for Thee.

Homily Time and Talents

The Prayers of the People

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. Amen.

*The Prayer of Dedication

*A Stewardship Covenant

What gifts do we have to bring to the Lord? First, we come into God's presence with humility and peace.

What service can we bring to God?

We come rejoicing and praising God
for all the ways God has touched us over this past year.

How shall we witness to these mighty acts of God?

By sharing our time and our talents
through the ministries of this Chapel
and ultimately, through our combined work and the grace of God,
to transform the world.

How shall we praise our God?

With all that we have and all that we are...

living the Gospel of Jesus Christ as disciples with generous hearts.

Praise be to God who has blessed me and all of us in such mighty ways!

Praise be to the Holy Spirit, who continually blesses our lives and encourages all of us to live into God's call...together!

*Hymn #455 Come, All Christians, Be Committed

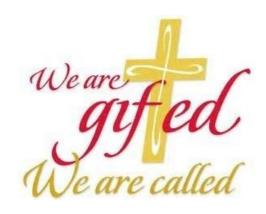
- 1 Come, all Christians, be committed To the service of the Lord.

 Make your lives for Him more fitted, Tune your hearts with one accord. Come into His courts with gladness, Each his sacred vows renew, Turn away from sin and sadness, Be transformed with life anew.
- 2 Of your time and talents give ye,
 They are gifts from God above,
 To be used by Christians freely
 To proclaim His wondrous love.
 Come again to serve the Savior,
 Tithes and offerings with you bring.
 In your work with Him find favor,
 And with joy His praises sing.

- 3 God's command to love each other Is required of every man. Showing mercy to a brother Mirrors His redemptive plan. In compassion He has given Of His love that is divine; On the cross sins were forgiven; Joy and peace are fully thine.
- 4 Come in praise and adoration, All who on Christ's name believe. Worship Him with consecration, Grace and love will you receive. For His grace give Him the glory, For the Spirit and the Word, And repeat the gospel story Till all men His name have heard.
- *The Charge and Benediction
- *The Choir's Choral Benediction

God Be With You Till We Meet Again

*The Postlude



Prayers for Chapel Friends:



Patty and Jack Madden, Judy Karp, Phil Westerman, Nancy Cecchini, Phyllis Mahin, Gerry Crow, Holli Schweyher, Rev. Gary Sawtelle, David Tourt, Baby Owen Daniels, Roger Racster, Walter Hundley, Janet Hegeman, Jean Schmidt, Rev. Bill and Marty Bruner, Dick Barry, Jackie White, Paul Infuso, Jim Robinson, Noah Presley, Carol Dunn, Mary Faas, Tom Early, Cindy Hess, Lyn Garbarino, Dapte Jay Kirit, the family of Lu Hayes, and the family of Patricia Lewin.

Prayers for Chapel Family:

Rev. Charles Hinson, Bud Holzerland, Dave Westerman, Butch & Mary Kay Allen, Glenda and Jo Clendenin, Mary Tuft, Phil Thingstad, Jane and Jeff Lowe, Marilyn & Jimmy McCaskill, Mama Dot, Mary Willetts, Peggy Olsen, Bob Tourt, Lee Connelly, Kathy Steele, Shirley Percival, and Bruce Keyser.

October Announcements

Looking Ahead!

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Wednesday-October 2	3:00 pm	Fran's Friends
Wednesday -October 2	4:30 pm	Chapel Choir
Thursday-October 3	4:00 pm	The Gospel of Mark Bible Study
Friday-October 4	12 noon	Gathering RSVP Deadline
Sunday-October 6	9:00 am	World Communion Sunday
Tuesday-October 8	6:00 pm	Bunco4Missions
Wednesday-October 9	4:30 pm	Chapel Choir
Thursday-October 10	5:00 pm	The Gathering
Friday-October 11	10:00 am	Mission Team
Saturday-October 12	8:00 am	CITP Men's Fellowship
Sunday-October 13	9:00 am	Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Wednesday-October 16	4:30 pm	Chapel Choir
Thursday-October 17	4:00 pm	The Gospel of Mark Bible Study
Sunday-October 20	9:00 am	Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
		Chapel Board Meeting
Wednesday-October 23	4:30 pm	Chapel Choir
Thursday-October 24	4:00 pm	The Gospel of Mark Bible Study

<u>Bírthdays</u>

Sunday, September 29 Bruce Keyser

Coffee Fellowship

September

9-29 Sue Dell'Acqua & Helen Scholl **October**

10-6 Volunteer Needed

10-13 Katy Swain & Joyce Singletary

10-20 Renee Maness & Lydia Litteral

10-27 Stacy & Kathy Golzio

Altar Flowers

October

10-6 Marilyn & Jimmy McCaskill

10-13 Volunteer Needed

10-20 Dennis Cifranic

10-27 Wendy Tetreault

<u>Anniversaries</u>

Sunday, September 29

Bart & Peggy Reuter



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