

**SEEKING THE PRESENCE OF GOD**

Welcome Rev. J. Chris Michael

(Please sign your name & address in the red fellowship pad.)

Bringing of the Light Brady Benjamin

Bell of Mindfulness (Please use this time for quiet reflection) Daniel Lott

Prelude *500 Year Old Melody* Italian Melody, 16<sup>th</sup> c.

Camryn Kyle and Angela Bruce, piano duet

\*Call to Worship Patrick Whitmer

One: Creator God; forming the oceans, raising the mountains, author  
of the smallest cell.

**All: We worship you!**

One: Jesus Christ; Loved One of God, infinitely faithful, cruelly  
crucified, wonderfully risen.

**All: We adore you!**

One: Holy Spirit; Influence of God, unseen but present, working  
purposefully, eternally compassionate.

**All: We glorify you!**

\*Hymn *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!* 4

Ann Jeannette Pierce, piano

\*Invocation and Lord's Prayer (using "debtors" and "debtors")

Children's Blessing Rev. Michael

First Scripture Psalm 25:1-10

Response One: The Word of God for the people of God

**All: Thanks be to God.**

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Michael

**HEARING THE WORD OF GOD**

Message in Music *Lord, I Have Seen Thy Salvation* J. D. Cooper

Lisa Clark, soloist

Second Scripture Luke 10:25-37

Response One: The Word of God for the people of God

**All: Thanks be to God.**

Sermon *Who is My Neighbor?* Rev. Michael

Invitation to Discipleship

\*Hymn *Lord, I Want to Be a Christian* 589

**OFFERING OURSELVES TO GOD**

Preparation for the Offering

Offertory *Rest in the Lord* John Turner

\*Doxology and Presentation of Gifts (Page 46)

\*Dedication Prayer

**RENEWING THE COVENANT IN THE LORD'S SUPPER**

We are one in Christ, let everyone share in this communion without regard for  
denominational affiliation. You are invited to take the cup and bread after your prayers.

**Gluten Free option available on tray.**

Invitation to Communion and Words of Institution Aloma Dew

Communion Hymn *In This Very Room (vs. 1, 2)* 295

Prayer of Thanksgiving Malcolm Bryant

Communion Music *Jesus is All the World to Me* W. Thompson; arr. Jones

Morgan Booher, cellist

Serving the Bread and Cup

**GOING IN PEACE TO LOVE AND TO SERVE**

\*Benediction Rev. Michael

One: The Lord be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

\*Congregational Benediction *In This Very Room (vs. 3)* 295

*We welcome Lisa Clark to our service today.*

*Lisa is the Assistant Professor of Music at Kentucky Wesleyan College.*

*Flowers have been placed in the chancel by Carolyn & Henry Williams  
to the glory of God and in honor of all fathers and in loving memory of  
her father, Lawrence Scott, and his father, Henry W. Williams.*

If you are a first-time visitor, please stop by the Welcome Desk after the worship service  
for a complimentary mug and Church information.

\*Please stand if you are able. Please turn off electrical devices.

## SERVING SCHEDULE

Elders: **Malcolm Bryant and Aloma Dew** Elder serving the hospital: **June Stapleton**  
Deacons: **Barbara Bennett, Andy Goodaker, Sally Ham, Cathy Maddox, Teresa McKinley, Laura Michael, Cathy Midkiff, John & Jane Miller, Forrest Roberts, Sandra Roberts**  
Youth Deacon: **Maggie Lott** Worship & Wonder Storyteller: **Pam Woodward**  
Shepherd: **Nancy Connor and Nancy Barnard**

### Luke 10:25-37

Just then a lawyer stood up to test Jesus. ‘Teacher,’ he said, ‘what must I do to inherit eternal life?’ He said to him, ‘What is written in the law? What do you read there?’ He answered, ‘You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself.’ And he said to him, ‘You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live.’ But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, ‘And who is my neighbor?’ Jesus replied, ‘A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while travelling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, “Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend.” Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?’ He said, ‘The one who showed him mercy.’ Jesus said to him, ‘Go and do likewise.’

### SUNDAY, June 16

9:00 am Worship  
10:00 am FCC Café  
10:30 am Sunday School  
11:15 am Education Team Mtg.  
6:30 pm Boy Scouts

### TUESDAY, June 18

7:00 am Primetimers' Plus to Louisville

### WEDNESDAY, June 19

6:30 am MBS Panera

### THURSDAY, June 20

2:30 pm Food Pantry

### SUNDAY, June 23

9:00 am Worship  
10:00 am FCC Café  
10:30 am Sunday School  
6:30 pm Boy Scouts

### Strategic Planning

The Board has tasked the Executive Committee with starting a strategic planning initiative for the church. Committee chairs will lead discussions with their committees to address their responsibilities and evaluate where the church needs to be in the next 5 years. If you don't belong to a committee, but would like to be involved in planning, write a note in the fellowship pad indicating your interest or you may contact committee chairs with your notes and suggestions.

Team Chairs:

Worship: Larkin Hayden  
Hospitality: Brian Belcher  
Fellowship: Janet Tichenor  
Education: Katie Sterett  
Outreach: Natalie Johnson  
Property: Nathan Nunley

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