

October 13, 2019

9:00 AM

Pentecost 18

SEEKING THE PRESENCE OF GOD

Welcome Mike Tichenor

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

Bringing of the Light Henry Busse

Bell of Mindfulness (Please use this time for quiet reflection) Elton Smith

Prelude *I Sing the Mighty Power of God* arr. Choplin

Ann Jeannette Pierce, piano Traditional English Melody

*Call to Worship Pam Woodward

One: Praise God, with shouts of joy, all people.

All: Sing to the glory of God's name, offer the Holy One glorious praise.

One: Praise God, whose presence has been with the faithful ones in times past.

All: With the people of Israel when they escaped from Egypt, with the immigrants and refugees coming into the land of promise.

One: Praise God, whose care is for each person, struggling or free.

All: God hears our prayers, loves us, and gives us new life.

*Hymn *Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation* 275

Alternate tune REGENT SQUARE 149

*Invocation and Lord's Prayer (using "debts" and "debtors") Pam Woodward

First Scripture Psalm 66:1-12

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Pastoral Prayer Vicki Quisenberry

HEARING THE WORD OF GOD

Choir Message *Amazing Grace* BEACH SPRING arr. McVey

Mike Tichenor, Choir Director

Second Scripture Luke 17:11-19

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon Rev. Bonnie Brown

Invitation to Discipleship Rev. Brown

*Hymn *Let the Whole Creation Cry (vs. 1, 2)* 21

OFFERING OURSELVES TO GOD

Preparation for the Offering Mike Tichenor

Offertory *Softly and Tenderly* Will Thompson; arr. Hayes

*Doxology and Presentation of Gifts (Page 46)

*Dedication Prayer Mike Tichenor

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 Malcolm Bryant

Communion Hymn *God Is Here! (vs. 1, 2)* 280

Prayer of Thanksgiving Aloma Dew

Communion Music *The Love of God* Frederick Lehman; arr. Hayes

Serving the Bread and Cup

GOING IN PEACE TO LOVE AND TO SERVE

*Benediction Rev. Brown

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

*Congregational Benediction *God Is Here! (vs. 4)* 280

Flowers have been placed in the chancel by Bill & Susan Frederick to the glory of God and in celebration of their 59th wedding anniversary and in loving memory of their sons, Bart and Brett.

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

*Please stand if you are able.

**Please turn off electrical devices and thank you for not bringing food or drink into the sanctuary.

SERVING SCHEDULE

Elders: **Malcolm Bryant and Aloma Dew** Elders serving the hospital: **Mike Tichenor**
Deacons: **Nancy Barnard, Emily Baur, Brian Belcher, Leslie Carlisle, Cori Douglas, Joy Emerson, Marjorie Flowers, Larkin Hayden, Carroll Laswell, Brende & Chris Lott**
Youth Deacon: **Sam Busse** No Worship & Wonder
Pitino Shelter Volunteers: **Candance & Nick Brake; Nancy Castlen; Chris Gaddis; Natalie Johnson**

Luke 17:11-19

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, they called out, saying, 'Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!' When he saw them, he said to them, 'Go and show yourselves to the priests.' And as they went, they were made clean. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. Then Jesus asked, 'Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?' Then he said to him, 'Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well.'

SUNDAY, October 13

9:00 am Worship
10:00 am FCC Café
10:00 am Nominating Team Mtg.
10:30 am SS - Adult Classes only
12:00 pm Pitino Shelter
5:00 pm Handbell Rehearsal
6:30 pm Boy Scouts

MONDAY, October 14

9:30 am Conference Room in Use
6:00 pm Cub Scouts

TUESDAY, October 15

9:00 am Faithful Cooking
11:30 am Property Team Mtg.
5:30 pm Elders' Meeting

WEDNESDAY, October 16

6:30 am MBS Panera
5:00 pm All Church Chili Supper
5:00 pm FCC Kids!
5:00 pm Middle School Youth Grp.
6:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, October 17

Primetimers' Plus to Brown County
2:30 pm Food Pantry

OCTOBER 16 5PM ALL CHURCH CHILI SUPPER FUNDRAISER

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FCC Kids! & Middle School Youth Group
Fun activities for Preschool – 5th grade
Middle Schoolers will assist with the
Churchwide Chili Supper!

Volunteers:
Meal: Pam Woodward & Jason Roberts
Set-up/Clean-up: Leigh Castlen; Mallory Roberts
Storyteller: Kristi Isenbarger
Rotation Leaders: Emily Baur; Sara Aud; Sara Travis
Rotation Assistants: Libby Johnson; Missie Hayden;
Katie Sterett

Life Together: How Can We Follow Jesus in the 21st Century?

Sunday School for CYF & Adult Classes

Gather in the Sanctuary each Sunday
October 20 through November 10.

The class will be led by
the pastor and you!

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*"Our mission is to manifest Christ's love by
empowering all to compassionate service."*

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