

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Gifts of New Immigrants

September 29, 2019

Eleven O'Clock

Greeters: Elizabeth Price and Lori Gast
Liturgist: Bill Gast

PRELUDE:

- I. *In Quiet Praise* - Donald F. Callender
- II. *Prelude on "Hyfrydol"* - arr. Arthur Frackenpohl

CHIMING THE HOUR

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS **Psalm 118 says: This is the Day that the Lord hath made, let us rejoice and be glad in it! Good morning and welcome. It is so nice to see all of you here this morning. Please remember to sign the attendance registers located in each pew. It is time for announcements, does anybody have an announcement they would like to make?**

Please stand, in body or spirit, and join me in our Call to Worship and remain standing through the response

***CALL TO WORSHIP:** (Responsively)

Leader: **You who live in the shelter of the Most High, who abide in the shadow of the Almighty,**

People: **will say to the Lord, "My refuge and my fortress; my God, in Whom I trust."**

All: **Let us worship God.**

*PRAISE CHORUS:

Hymn No. 26 "*Earth and All Stars*" vs. 1 EARTH AND ALL STARS
Earth and all stars! Loud rushing planets! Sing to the Lord a new song!
Hail, wind, and rain! Loud blowing snowstorm! Sing to the Lord a new song!
God has done marvelous things. We too sing praises with a new song!

Please bow your heads for our Opening Prayer

***OPENING PRAYER** **Eternal God, by Your hand we receive all good things. We praise You for Your mighty acts and great love for all Your creation. Thank You for Your never-ending love and care for Your creation. Amen.**

Our first hymn today is:

***HYMN No. 630**

"Fairest Lord Jesus"

CRUSADERS' HYMN

***CALL TO CONFESSION** **If we say we are without sin, we deceive ourselves. Let us confess our sins before Almighty God.**

Let us pray...

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Lord we know that we are not always the people You call us to be. We strive to serve You but choose our own way instead. We tolerate hate and anger and ignore those in need. Forgive our self-centered desires to enrich ourselves at the cost of those less fortunate. Do not judge us harshly when we try and fail to be Your faithful servants on earth, for we are weak and easily distracted by the glamour of the world. Love us even when we have lost our way. We ask this in the name of Your Son, our Redeemer, Jesus Christ. (Please wait about 20 seconds, and then say,) Amen.

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON** Brothers and sisters in Christ, believe the good news of the Gospel. In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

***RESPONSE:** Hymn No. 707 *"Take Thou Our Minds, Dear Lord"* vs. 2 HALL

Take thou our hearts, O Christ; they are thine own;
come thou within our souls and claim thy throne;
help us to shed abroad thy deathless love;
use us to make the earth like heaven above.

TIME FOR YOUTH You may be seated and at this time would our youth please come forward. (If there are no youth (besides the regulars,) then just say "you may be seated.")

Please bow your heads for our Prayer of Illumination

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION Holy God, You reach out in love through Jesus Christ to save us so that we may live as faithful servants of You alone. Unchain us from our desire for wealth and power so that we may, in turn, release others from the prisons of poverty, hunger, and oppression. Amen.

PSALTER LESSON Our Psalter Lesson comes from Psalm 146 please read it responsively with me.

Leader: Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord, O my soul!

People: I will praise the Lord as long as I live; I will sing praises to my God all my life long.

Leader: Do not put your trust in princes, in mortals, in whom there is no help.

People: When their breath departs, they return to the earth; on that very day their plans perish.

Leader: Happy are those whose help is the God of Jacob, whose hope is in the Lord their God,

People: Who made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them; Who keeps faith forever;

Leader: Who executes justice for the oppressed; Who gives food to the hungry. The Lord sets the prisoners free;

People: the Lord opens the eyes of the blind. The Lord lifts up those who are bowed down; the Lord loves the righteous.

Leader: The Lord watches over the strangers; He upholds the orphan and the widow, but the way of the wicked He brings to ruin.

People: The Lord will reign forever, your God, O Zion, for all generations. Praise the Lord!

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Our New Testament Lesson comes from 1 Timothy 6:6-19, you may follow along in your Pew Bibles on Pages 210-211

Our choir will now sing the Anthem:

ANTHEM: *In the Garden* - Lloyd Larson

GOSPEL LESSON Our Gospel Lesson comes from Luke 16:19-31, you may follow along in your Pew Bibles on Pages 79-80

SERMON

Rev. Janet Boyanton

Those who are able, please stand and join with me in singing:

***HYMN** No. 846

"Fight the Good Fight"

DUKE STREET

Please join me in Affirmation of Faith as it is printed in your bulletin.

***AFFIRMATION** The Apostles' Creed (Traditional)

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

***RESPONSE:** Hymn No. 581

"Glory Be to the Father"

GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end, Amen, amen.

You may be seated. It is now time for our Prayer Concerns and Celebrations. Does anybody have anything they would like to share?

CELEBRATION OF COMMUNITY Prayer concerns and celebrations

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen

OFFERTORY: *Flute Tune* - Gregg Sewell

***RESPONSE:** Hymn No. 606 *"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"*

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Let us come to God with our prayer of Thanksgiving

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

We thank You, O God, our Redeemer Creator, for all the gifts You have given Your people. Grant us wisdom as we seek to use Your gifts for the benefit of Your kingdom. Amen.

Our last Hymn today is:

***HYMN No. 43** “*You Who Dwell in the Shelter of the Lord*” (*On Eagle’s Wings*) (*Psalm 91*)
ON EAGLE’S WINGS

***BENEDICTION**

***BENEDICTION RESPONSE:** Hymn No. 687

“Our God, Our Help in Ages Past” vs. 1

ST. ANNE

**Our God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come,
Our shelter from the stormy blast, and our eternal home.**

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

***POSTLUDE:** *Let All Things Now Living* - ASH GROVE, arr. Mark Hayes

***Those who are able may stand.**

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*Please join us for a
Refreshments following
The Worship Service*

Daily Bread

Supplement

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CLOTHES FOR THE NEEDY

Our thoughts are with the homeless, so we are collecting clothing for the needy. Especially needed are men's clothing, and socks in dark colors in all sizes. Please bring these items to the church and place them in the laundry basket located in the opportunity corner.

Thank you, Faith in Action

BRING IN BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION!

It's easy to find BOX TOPS, you may have some in your home right now. You can find them on hundreds of different products, from cereal as well as other kinds of food, to storage products, household products and school supplies. Look for a sample of one in the Opportunity Corner. Each BOX TOP is worth \$.10, so imagine how quickly they can add up! There is a write-up about this with a heartfelt thank you from the Goodland Academy on the bulletin board.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

MONDAY

06:00 PM Cub Pack 789 Tigers

07:00 PM Boy Scouts 109

TUESDAY

10:30 AM FIA Meeting

THURSDAY

10:00 AM Art Group

NEXT SUNDAY

09:30 AM Choir Practice

10:30 AM Adult Bible Study

11:00 AM Worship with communion

PRAYER CONCERNS

Our Leaders

Our Presbytery, our church, our Session

Our Troops

Millie Allen

Tom Price needs continued prayers

Continued prayers for Bill and Nina Swaney

Sue Fitch

Makia Epie, hatred has overwhelmed him – prayers for his family

Joe and Lorrinda Alexander

Irmagene Mitchell

Karla Krueger, she has M.S. and is very sick

Cora Marsaw is in treatments, pray for a good outcome

Continued prayers for Cameroon

Margie Sonntag

A family member of Janet's is suffering from depression

Sharon and Clyde Lockhart

Martha Brashear is still in pain after her surgery, prayers for her and Truman

Janet's brother-in-law Ken

Diane Sharp

Ransome Kanu was accepted into North Texas University, he needs continued prayers

Sonia Wills and her family

Cori has health issues and needs to have a surgery

Devynne Boyanton

La Nelle Pierce has lung cancer and fungus in both her lungs

Linda Sharp

Margie's son-in-law, Jim Palmer

Family and friends of Bob Drury

Everyone affected by the recent hurricane

The church in Cameroon in being destroyed

Irmagene Mitchell's daughter broke her foot, and Irmagene's son was beaten up by 3 men

Zac Tucker

Julie's daughter's parents-in-law are both very ill

The devastation to our neighbors south of us

Aurelia's son, Joshua Coleman