

October 30, 2022 ~ Reformation Sunday

Gathering Music ~ *"His Eye is On The Sparrow"* (arr. Raney) ~ Leigh Emmett

Welcome and Announcements ~ Judy McGregor, liturgist

Prelude ~ *"Give Me Jesus"* (arr. Hayes)

Call to Worship ~ *responsive*

Leader: We worship the Lord God Almighty, the Lord of Hosts.

People: God has been a help, a comfort and a protector to our ancestors.

Leader: And our God of mercy and might has not forgotten his promises to us.

People: Lord, continue to guide us through life's journey, we pray. Amen.

**you are invited to stand in body or in spirit*

**Hymn #275 ~ "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"*

Invitation to Confession

Prayer of Confession ~ *in unison*

Jesus, you break down barriers and reunite people with each other and with you. For the times when we have held onto and promoted the things that divide us, forgive us, Lord. May we remember that your love is for all people. Amen. (A time of silent, personal prayer).

Assurance of Forgiveness

Responsive Chorus #406 ~ *"We Are Standing on Holy Ground"*

We are standing on holy ground, and I know that there are angels all around; let us praise Jesus now; we are standing in his presence on holy ground.

Passing the Peace

Leader: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: And also with you.

Responsive Chorus ~ *"I Love This Family"* (arr. C. Bowes)

*I love this family of God, so closely knitted into one,
They've taken me into their midst and I'm so glad to be a part of this great family.*

Offering Prayer

**Offertory #835 ~ "Just a Closer Walk with Thee"* (refrain only)

*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.*

Prayer for Illumination

Hebrew Scripture ~ Isaiah 1:10-18

Special Music ~ *“Abana”* (L. Constantine) ~ Celebration Choir

Christian Scripture ~ Luke 19:1-10

Message ~ *“Looking up to the Small”*

*Hymn #465 ~ *“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”*

A time for sharing the joys and concerns of our community.

Prayer Preparation#469 ~ *“Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying”*
Lord, listen to your children praying. Lord, send your Spirit to this place.
Lord, listen to your children praying. Send us love; send us power; send us grace.

The Lord’s Prayer ~ *in unison*

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.

*Hymn #15 ~ *“All Creatures of Our God and King”* (verses 1,4,6)

*Benediction

*Response ~ *“Precious Lord, Take My Hand”* (v. 1)

Precious Lord, take my hand; lead me on, help me stand;

I am tired, I am weak, I am worn.

Through the storm, through the night, lead me on to the light;

take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.

Postlude ~ *“Joshua Fit the Battle of Jericho”* (arr. Raney)

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From Kathy Potter...A great big THANK YOU to all who made the Fall Fun Festival a wonderful event! Those who donated refreshments, manned a trunk, prepared ahead of time (signs, postcards, aardvarks!) & at the word night, or volunteered that day, your efforts resulted in getting the word of God out to children & families that visited us that day. A productive & fun day. Thank you! We are extending our collection of new winter hats, mittens & gloves that will be donated to Covenant House in Detroit. So, consider making a purchase and leaving it in the box in the lobby through November 13th.

And, if you were not able to pick up a packet of cards last week to mail to your fellow members, they will be available again in the lobby on Sunday.

REMINDER: Daylight Saving Time ends Sunday, November 6. Please set your clocks back one hour.

Please hold those listed in prayer... and REVIEW and REPORT updates, PLEASE



Bill Garvey, Mike Graham, Janet Frank, Grace Erwin, August Kornowicz, Karen Bright
Sheldon Davis, Doris Knecht, Joyce Barton, Pam Phillips, Suzanne Tabaka, Jim & Joanna Roye, Jerry Stone
Beverly Dearth, Kathleen Warren, Bob Liebertz, Grace Campbell, Susan Grant, Bruce Phillips
Sister-in law and nephew of Pat Garvey, Linda Thompson & her sister, Shirley Kircoff, Steve Boyak
John Branch ~ father of Christie Piastowski
Dave Schulz ~ nephew of Carol & Mike Graham
Rita Czanko ~ cousin of Terry Earnley
John Candiloro ~ friend of August Kornowicz
Ray & Mary Clark ~ neighbors of Don & Meta Tulley
Sarah & Mason Young ~ family of Judy McGregor
Chris O'Neill, Tracey Ford, Phil Decker & Vickie McVeigh ~ friends of Judy McGregor
Ben Abela ~ son-in-law of August & Faith Kornowicz
Macaylah Whitlock ~ daughter of the Rev. Kellie Whitlock
Rosemary Iaquina ~ sister of Cathy DeSautel; Pamela Serene ~ daughter of the late Marilyn Allen
Glenn Ellan Rubright ~ sister of Mike Graham; Nicole Snead ~ daughter of Bill VanEck
Nancy Kreipke ~ mother of Christian; Rich McKenzie ~ son of Jean; Erin Lewis ~ daughter of Pattie Benoit
Phyllis Badman ~ niece of Georgia Hunt; Christie Piastowski ~ daughter of Karen Bright
Janet Kusuhara ~ cousin of Meta Tulley; Joe Ducsay ~ friend of Mike & Carol Graham
Mark Osborne ~ son of the late Janet
Cyndi Knecht ~ daughter of Doris; Joe Perko ~ friend of Wanda & Bob Seymour
David Bonandrini ~ son of Ben; Gideon Janku ~ great nephew of Bob Westbrook
Judy Siegfried ~ sister-in-law of Pam Phillips; Randy Tillman ~ son of Gloria Rubbo
Mary Rayes ~ friend of Pat Hutchison; Adam Schilling & Eric Shilling ~ grandsons of Ron & Janet Frank
Donald Keller III ~ son of Jan Lapenta; Scott Davis ~ son of Sheldon & Marion Davis

