Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

August 17, 2014

Rev. Dr. Charles A. Wiessner, Pastor Dr. Lonieta Cornwall, Music Director

The Approach to God

PRELUDE

"To God Be The Glory"

L. Cornwall, Piano

CONGREGATIONAL CONCERNS

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP

"Sing to the Lord a New Song"

CALL TO WORSHIP

(Psalm 96)

Sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth.

Sing to the Lord, bless his name; tell of his salvation daily.

Declare God's glory among the nations,

God's marvelous works among all the peoples.

For great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised!

*HYMN OF PRAISE #33

"From All That Dwell Below the Skies"

*SALUTATION

PRAYER OF PRAISE

(unison)

Loving God, we come to praise you this morning because you have made us yours. We praise you that you created us and gave us life. We offer praise because you re-created us through the salvation given to us in Jesus Christ. And we praise you that each day you watch over us and bless us. Be with us in a special way as we worship you this morning. Amen.

CONGREGATIONAL SONGS OF PRAISE

*What a Mighty God we serve. What a Mighty God we serve. Angels bow before Him. Heaven and earth adore Him. What a Mighty God we serve.

I command you, Satan, in the name of the Lord to take up your weapons and flee. For the Lord has given me authority to walk all over thee.*

Victory is mine, Victory is mine. Victory today is mine. I told Satan get thee behind. Victory today is mine.

Joy is mine.... Happiness is mine....

RESPONSIVE READING #15

Psalm 67

(Page 484 Hymnal)

*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.

The Word of God

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE Isaiah 56:1-8 (Page 531 Old Testament)

MOMENT FOR CHILDREN

*MOMENT OF FELLOWSHIP

*HYMN #106 "The King of Love My Shepherd Is"

SERMON "God's Blessing"

#275 "Amazing Grace"

#503 "We Have Heard the Joyful Sound"

Our Response to God

*CONFESSION OF FAITH Apostles' Creed (Page 12 Hymnal)

RECEPTION OF GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

MINISTRY OF MUSIC "The Lord is Blessing Me Right Now"

*DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

*CLOSING HYMN #489 "Christ for the World We Sing"

*BENEDICTION AND RESPONSE "Amen"

*POSTLUDE

*The congregation may stand.

TODAY'S STEWARDS

<u>Greeters</u>: Ron & Gayle Dellinger <u>Ushers</u>: Bill & Sabra Leadbitter <u>Nursery</u>: Andy & Katharine Hoyt Fellowship: Bill & Sabra Leadbitter

Next week's stewards (August 24):

Greeter: Nancy Dey

<u>Ushers</u>: Ron Dellinger & John Ferris <u>Nursery</u>: Nancy Dey & Barbara Nickel Fellowship: Ron & Gayle Dellinger

MEALS ON WHEELS

Just a reminder that this Friday, August 22nd, is our church's regularly scheduled day for delivery of meals. If you have any questions, please contact Nancy Dey.

FOOD PANTRY

Needed items are: crackers, jelly, sugar, cereal, vegetable oil; also toilet paper, paper towels and cleaning products such as laundry and dish detergents.

Thanks for your help.

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED

For the summer months if you sign up for fellowship, we ask that you only bring cookies. These can be store bought or homemade, simple or fancy. Whatever you bring will be appreciated and consumed. Please sign up for fellowship!