

MORNING WORSHIP

Pastor: *Rev. John S. Carpenter*

Choir Director: *Millie Funk*

Worship Leader: *Martha Kennedy*

Accompanist: *Jane DeKam*

Ushers: *Gary & Ingrid Margason*

November 4, 2018

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAISE IN MUSIC No. 732 “The Battle Belongs to the Lord”

CALL TO WORSHIP *Psalm 31 v 1-5 & 15-16*

One: In You, O Lord, I seek refuge; do not let me ever be put to shame;
in Your righteousness deliver me.

All: Incline Your ear to me; rescue me speedily.

Be a rock of refuge for me, a strong fortress to save me.

One: You are indeed my rock and my fortress;
for Your name’s sake lead me and guide me,
take me out of the trap that is hidden for me, for You are my refuge.

All: Into Your hand I commit my spirit;

You have redeemed me, O Lord, faithful God.

One: My times are in Your hand;
deliver me from the hand of my enemies and persecutors.

All: Let Your face shine upon Your servant;

save me in Your steadfast love.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (in unison):

Almighty God, You are our Maker, our Redeemer, our Sustainer. You gave us the earth and all therein. You gave us Your Son, to redeem us for life eternal, and You give to us each day Your Holy Spirit to comfort and guide us. We confess we have not lived up to Your vision for us. We allow ourselves to be divided along the lines of gender, politics, race, economics and religion instead of being united in Christ. We judge, we covet, we avoid the truth. Teach us to be better disciples of You. Give us clean hands and pure hearts that we might give glory to You.

TIME OF SILENCE FOR PERSONAL CONFESSION OF SIN

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

* **HYMN** No. 727 “Faith Is the Victory”

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS TO GOD

OFFERTORY *A Mighty Fortress is Our God*

* **HYMN OF DEDICATION** No. 166 “Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise Him, all creatures here below.

Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host.

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

* **PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE (*Ages 0-3 may go to the nursery; ages 4-8 go to Children’s Church*)

SCRIPTURE READING Joshua Chapters 1-24

SERMON “The Battle Begins”

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

* **HYMN** “Arise My Soul” *See Insert*

SHARING OF PRAYER REQUESTS

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD’S PRAYER – *found on inside front cover of hymnal*

* **BENEDICTION**

* **SUNG RESPONSE** No. 724 v. 3 “Lead On, O King Eternal”

Lead on, O King Eternal, We follow, not with fears;

For gladness breaks like morning Where Thy face appears

Thy cross is lifted over us; We journey in its light

The crown awaits the conquest; lead on, O God of might.

* **POSTLUDE**

Welcome to all this Lord's Day! Visitors, please fill out a visitor card from the pew rack and then place it in the offering plate. Child care is available throughout the service for children up to 3 years in the Nursery downstairs. Please join us for a time of fellowship and refreshments after our worship service.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYERS FOR *Phyllis Petersen, Sherry Watkins, Eleonardo Silva-Ortiz, Deborah Orr, Karen Cornwell, Rex Fisher, Katrina Armatis, Jeffery Swenson, Tim Bailey and the families of Nolan Henderson, Randy Ropp, George Davis, Faye Burton (Millie Funk's mother) and Lee Anderson (Jon Anderson's father).*

THE STORY books can be purchased at Willamete Christian Supplies in Corvallis for only \$5.00

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD is in full swing! Please see the display in the Fellowship Hall for all the supplies you need to help bless a child and spread the gospel far and wide. ***Shoe boxes are due back to Oakville on Sunday, November 11.*** Thanks to everyone who has participated so far in packing boxes or donating funds and/or supplies!

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD PACKING PARTY Packing Party Tonight 4 pm. Come help pack boxes and enjoy a homemade soup supper afterwards. Everything is provided, just come and help! Have questions? Please contact Mary Carpenter.

OAKVILLE'S ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PROGRAM We are looking for volunteers to coordinate this special event. Possible dates are December 2, December 9, or December 16. This could be a play, pageant, or a talent show. If you want to help, contact Gary Margason.

* **COFFEE HOUR** this morning is provided by **Bonnie Gregg, Nancy Henkle, & Jan Lowther.**

* **FLOWERS** this morning are provided by **Sharon Manning.**

CHILDREN'S CHURCH LEADER this morning is **Debra Brush.**

CHILDREN'S NURSERY ATTENDANT this morning is **Jon Anderson.**

UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS KC Coon 11/7, Nicola Fiek 11/7, Andrew Mitchell 11/7, Gerald Petersen 11/7, Helen Uhrig 11/8, Phyllis Petersen 11/9, Donald Coon 11/13, Gary Margason 11/13, Kaelyn Orr 11/14, Rachel Gerber 11/16, Gabe Giles 11/17.

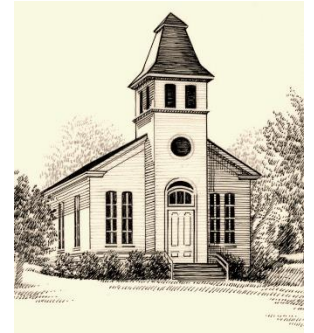
* *Sign-up sheets are in the Fellowship Hall for future Sundays.*

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