

FIRST & CALVARY



Beloved

“YOU ARE PRECIOUS IN MY EYES, AND
HONORED, AND I LOVE YOU...”

ISAIAH 43:4

Liturgical Service
October 2, 2022

WELCOME | REV. DON EVERTS

PRELUDE | DR. JIM DAVIDSON

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES | REV. DON EVERTS

***CALL TO WORSHIP | MARITA THOMAS**

We gather together in the presence of our Shepherd God,

who calls us each by name,

who restores our souls,

who leads us in the way of righteousness,

and whose goodness and love never stops pursuing us.

This is the God we have come to worship!

***OPENING HYMN | 9 SING PRAISE TO THE FATHER**

CALL TO CONFESSION | MARITA THOMAS

PRAYER OF CONFESSION | MARITA THOMAS

Holy and merciful God, for the times we have followed the path of the wicked, stood in solidarity with those who were wrong, or sat quietly and allowed sin to happen, forgive us. Help us to meditate, even delight, in your Word so that we will flourish with the fruit of your Spirit. Amen.

TIME FOR SILENT CONFESSION

HEAR OUR PRAYER, O LORD | HYMN NO. 817

DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS | MARITA THOMAS

GLORIA PATRI | HYMN NO. 805

INVITATION TO OFFERING | MARITA THOMAS

OFFERTORY | CAMERATA

THE KING OF LOVE MY SHEPHERD IS | SHELLEY

***DOXOLOGY | HYMN No. 809**

OFFERING PRAYER | MARITA THOMAS

SCRIPTURE READING | JOHN 10:7-18 | MARITA THOMAS

TIME FOR CHILDREN | JAMIE SWOPE

SERMON | LIKE A GOOD SHEPHERD | REV. DON EVERTS

ANTHEM | CHANCEL CHOIR

THE LORD IS MY SHEPHERD | PFAUTSCH

INVITATION TO THE TABLE | JAMIE SWOPE

WORDS OF INSTITUTION & COMMUNION | JAMIE SWOPE

PASTORAL PRAYER | JAMIE SWOPE

***CLOSING HYMN**

330 THE LORD'S MY SHEPHERD, I'LL NOT WANT v 1, 2, 3, 4

***BENEDICTION | REV. DON EVERTS**

***BENEDICTION RESPONSE**

330 THE LORD'S MY SHEPHERD, I'LL NOT WANT v 5

POSTLUDE | DR. JIM DAVIDSON

**please stand if able*

JOURNAL PROMPT

What are ways Jesus, the Good Shepherd, is unifying, humbling, reassuring, or convicting you today?

FAMILY BUSINESS

EVENTS

Immediately Available - The Samaritan's Purse - Christmas Child Shoeboxes are available in the South Atrium. Pickup boxes and directions and return by November 14th.

Second week of Alpha is this week, it's not too late to start. Scan the QR code more more info.

Oct. 5th - Pickleball Open Night in the gym from 6:00-8:00 pm.

Nov. 6th - Veteran's Luncheon – Call the church office to sign up at 417-862-5068.

NEW STAFF ANNOUNCEMENT

Lisa Smith has joined the First & Calvary staff as Children's Ministry Coordinator. Join us in welcoming her to the team.

