Sunday Worship

June 19th, 2022 9:00 a.m. NIV

Welcome/Announcements

Prelude Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Call to Worship*

Reverend: You who fear the Lord,

All: **Praise Him!**

Reverend: You offspring of Jacob,

All: Glorify Him!

Reverend: For domination belongs to the Lord

All: *He rules over the nations!*

Passing the Peace*

Opening Hymn* Come, Thou Almighty King

UMH 61 (vs. 1&4)

Recognition and Blessing of our Volunteers

Children's Time

Offertory Love Without End, Amen – Bob Camp

Doxology* UHM 94

Epistle Reading Galatians 3:23-29

Centering Hymn* Seek Ye First

UMH 405 (v.1)

Pastoral Prayer

Old Testament Reading Isaiah 65:1-9

Gospel Reading Luke 8:26-39

Reverend: The Word of God for the people of God

All: Thanks be to God

Gloria Patri* UMH 70

Sermon "Servants for a Broken World"

Pastor Bill Novak

Closing Hymn* Great Is Thy Faithfulness

UMH 140 (v.1)

Benediction

Recessional Refrain* Chorus of *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

Postlude

Luke 8:26-39

²⁶ They sailed to the region of the Gerasenes, which is across the lake from Galilee. ²⁷ When Jesus stepped ashore, he was met by a demon-possessed man from the town. For a long time this man had not worn clothes or lived in a house, but had lived in the tombs. ²⁸ When he saw Jesus, he cried out and fell at his feet, shouting at the top of his voice, "What do you want with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, don't torture me!" ²⁹ For Jesus had commanded the impure spirit to come out of the man. Many times it had seized him, and though he was chained hand and foot and kept under guard, he had broken his chains and had been driven by the demon into solitary places.

Scripture Reading

30 Jesus asked him, "What is your name?"

"Legion," he replied, because many demons had gone into him. ³¹ And they begged Jesus repeatedly not to order them to go into the Abyss.

³² A large herd of pigs was feeding there on the hillside. The demons begged Jesus to let them go into the pigs, and he gave them permission. ³³ When the demons came out of the man, they went into the pigs, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and was drowned.

³⁴ When those tending the pigs saw what had happened, they ran off and reported this in the town and countryside, ³⁵ and the people went out to see what had happened. When they came to Jesus, they found the man from whom the demons had gone out, sitting at Jesus' feet, dressed and in his right mind; and they were afraid. ³⁶ Those who had seen it told the people how the demon-possessed man had been cured. ³⁷ Then all the people of the region of the Gerasenes asked Jesus to leave them, because they were overcome with fear. So he got into the boat and left.

³⁸ The man from whom the demons had gone out begged to go with him, but Jesus sent him away, saying, ³⁹ "Return home and tell how much God has done for you." So the man went away and told all over town how much Jesus had done for him.

^{*}Please stand if you are able

Pray for Our Church Family:

Please pray for the Schmidt family as they deal with the loss of Joyce Schmidt.

Please pray for the Tewksbury family as they deal with the loss of Marci Tewksbury.

Communications

If you have not been receiving text messages from the church or would like to sign up for text messages, please text @420ntenn to the number 81010. If you would like to start receiving emails, please see Megan Benckendorf. Don't forget to follow us on Facebook and download our app for the latest updates!

XYZ Activities

No XYX Activities next week as Lynn will be out of town. We will still meet to walk on Mon, Wed, and Fri.

Be the Church:

9:00AM-Traditional Worship Celebration

10:30AM-Cross Connections Worship Celebration

10:30AM-Sunday School (ages 2 – 6th grade)

Mon, Wed, Friday- 8:00-9:00AM Walking for Exercise

Monday-11AM Restmor Communion

Monday-1PM Brandon Wood Communion

Monday-2PM Holly Brook Communion

Monday-4PM VBS Work Day

Monday-6PM Staff Parish

Monday-7PM Boy Scouts

Tuesday-8:30AM Staff Meeting

Wednesday-6:30AM Men's Prayer Group

Wednesday-5PM VBS Work Day

Thursday-8:30AM Quilters

Thursday-6PM Praise Band

Friday-OFFICE CLOSED – Pastoral Staff available

Saturday-7AM Men's Bible Study

Saturday-9AM FINAL VBS Work Day

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Sunday-VBS Begins



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