

Welcome to worship! No matter where you are, where you have been, or where you are on your faith journey, our prayer is that you will find a place to belong in worship and mission with us.

May 22, 2022

8:30 am

Preparation for Worship

When we welcome others into our homes in God's name, as Lydia did in the reading from Acts, we are welcoming God. —M.S. Brookshire

Focus Scripture

John

14:23-29 Prelude

Forward Through the Ages

Broughton/Sullivan

*Call to Worship

Listen to the voice that shouts:

God's dwelling is with us now.

In work and in play,

God makes a home with us.

In sorrow and celebration,

God makes a home with us.

Lift your voices in praise for this good news:

God's dwelling is with us now!

*Hymn

God of Grace and God of Glory

No. 577

Common Prayer (Let us pray together...)

Holy Spirit, giver of dreams, instill in us your vision and hope for new life. Breathe upon us your peace and strength. Enlighten our minds with your wisdom and truth. Light our way that we may be a light to the nations. Open our hearts, that we may listen and love. Amen.

Scripture Acts 16:9-15

Kid's Time

Message

*Hymn Wash, O God, Our Sons and Daughters No. 605

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Sharing of our Gifts and Lives

Offertory *I Will Sing of Thy Great Mercies* Mendelssohn Doxology No. 94

Prayer of Dedication

Creator God, we bring these gifts to you in order to share our bounty, as you have shared yours with us. May those who need these gifts find your presence, even as they receive what they need. May their paths of faith be lit with your light, as ours have been. Amen.

Hymn Shall We Gather at the River No. 723

Announcements

Benediction

May the God of new life bless you and be gracious to you.

May the face of Christ shine upon you.

And may the Spirit of love flow within you and through you.

Amen!

Staff and Worship Assistants:

Pastor: Kathy Bueker Sweet

Office Manager: Carol Wintersteen

Director of Music: Kathy Brown

Director of Family Ministries: Melanie Burger

Director of Youth Ministries: Will Pontious

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https://www.facebook.com/groups/237998406251361 Office Hours--Monday-Thursday 9 am - 12 noon Live Radio Broadcast 8:30 am WCZQ 105.5 FM Worship: 8:30 am in person and Facebook Live 10:45am in person

- If you are visiting we welcome and invite you to Fellowship coffee and conversation at Café 2020.
- Individual wireless receivers are available from the ushers.
- Rocking Chairs are located at the back for parents with babies.
- Our Kids' Corner is stocked with things to educate and entertain your children as well.

Food Pantry Needs

Jelly (grape, strawberry, variety), Ketchup, mustard, mayonnaise, Taco shells and seasoning packets, Variety soups (we have plenty of tomato and chicken noodle), Shampoo

The Altar flowers are given in celebration of Andrew Neef's 15th birthday! With love, Mom, Dad, Noelle, and Leah.

5th Sunday Alert! May 29 we will have one Worship service at 10 am with Sunday School at 9 am.