

# Third Sunday After Pentecost

June 10, 2018 11:00 am

*"God is Spirit, and His worshipers must worship in spirit and in truth." (John 4:24)*

**Prelude** "March from Scipio" (G. F. Handel, arr. D. R. Edwards) Handbell Choir

## Welcome and Announcements

### \*Call to Worship

L: Lift up your heart!

**P: Let us lift up the name of our God!**

L: Praise the name of the Lord!

**P: We praise the steadfast love of the Lord!**

L: The glory of the Lord fills the universe.

**P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God!**

**\*Opening Hymn** "Grace Greater than Our Sin" **UMH 365**  
**Lighting of the Candles**

### \*Opening Prayer (in unison)

"Lord, we stand before You as Your people and remember Your goodness and greatness. Open our hearts to receive Your grace. Eternal praise to Your holy and awesome name this day and forever. Amen."

**Anthem** "Let Praises Fill the Sky!" (D. E. Wagner) Handbell Choir

### Celebration of Baptism (during the 8:30 am worship service)

*Lucas Sawyer Waldron*

### Children's Message

**Hymn of Response** "My Tribute" **UMH 99**

### \*Prayer of Petition (in unison)

"Eternal God, gather us together as Your family. Heal our wounded hearts, that we may welcome the strangers into our midst and treat them as sisters and brothers. Swing wide the doors of our church, that all who seek a temple of faith may find in these walls a place where God's will is done and holy relationships are nurtured. In Christ's name, we pray. Amen."

*\*Please rise either in posture or in spirit.*

**Hebrew Scripture** **1 Samuel** **8: 1-22**  
**Psalm** **138: 1-8**

L: This is the word of God for the people of God.

**P: Thanks be to God. Amen.**

**\*Hymn of Faith** "Stand Up and Bless the Lord" **UMH 662**

**Message** "We Want a King" Rev. Wayne Chung  
Samuel is too old and his sons too corrupt. People ask Samuel for a king thinking a new form of leadership brings about a change. Why would God allow it even if He doesn't agree? *"God is greater than any human kings, lowly enough to care for the poor, and aware of the proud from afar."*

### Giving in Response to God's Love

**Offertory** "Father, We Praise Thee/Christ Is the World's Light" (arr. A. Giamanco)  
Handbell Choir

**\*Doxology** "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" **UMH 94**

### Sharing of Joys & Concerns

**Pastoral Prayer & the Lord's Prayer** (in unison)

**Closing Hymn** "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name" **UMH 155**

### Sending Forth with God's Blessing

**\*Hymn Response** "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" **UMH 557**

**Postlude** "A Song of Rejoicing" (Thygerson) Sandy Griese

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*The flowers on the altar today are in honor Pastor Wayne & Esther Chung  
Thank you for continuously blessing both of us and our families. May the Lord faithfully bless  
and grow your ministry in the future. With much love, respect and best wishes – and even a  
few tears! Shari Thorne-Sulima & Jim Sulima*

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### Lection Reading for Following Sunday

1 Sam. 15:34-16:13 Ps. 20 or Psalm 72 2 Cor. 5:6-10 (11-13) 14-17 Mark 4:26-34

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### OUR FAITH IN ACTION

**Our Prayers:** Jennifer Greiner's sister-in-law Melissa (suffering from cancer) and her family, Connor Goonan, Tim Gillikin – recovering from a fall, Jane Bowman, Helen McGill, Elizabeth Stinson, Bob & Van King, Tyler Madden, People in transition, Olivia Gammel – friend of Chris Heyer, Sarah Stallings, Jerome Stallings, Shirley Wood, Carl Stallings, Sr, Those who travel, For the healing of the nation.

**Our Presence:**                      Worship Attendance Last Sunday      182  
    Sunday School Attendance Last Sunday      54  
    Average Weekly Worship Attendance      199

**Our Gifts:** Please strive to tithe! The Bible asks us to tithe 10% of our income to God. Many of our members are doing this already. How about you? You may give your offering electronically (EFT). Call the church office to set it up. *Stewardship is rather a way of life than an annual campaign. Thank You for your faithful stewardship!*

**Record of Giving (Funds Received by the Church)**

	January-May 2018					
	Actual	Budget	Surplus / (Deficit)	Var %		
General Fund	\$138,908	\$154,114	(\$15,206)	-10%		
Missions Fund	\$8,642	\$9,098	(\$456)	-5%		
P&I Fund	\$11,590	\$7,859	\$3,731	47%		
Building Fund	\$25,992	\$25,072	\$920	4%		
Kitchen Fund	\$11,715	\$4,160	\$7,555	182%		
Weekly SCAN Report	Cereal	42	Other	1	YTD Cereal	650

\*Kitchen Fund Balance = \$127,286/ Mortgage Loan Balance = \$314,691 as of May 31, 2018

**Our Service:**

Ministers	All Members and Volunteers at Friendship
Secretary	Bonnie Dean <a href="mailto:bsuedean@friendshipmethodist.org">bsuedean@friendshipmethodist.org</a>
Music Team	Sandy Melson Griese, Holly Reynolds Lee, Chrys Hill, Micah Cooley
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Custodian	Jim Fowler
Counters	Will Fowler & Mary Kauffman
Usher	Joan Windland
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Friendship Hour	Delilah Zone (Debbie Chaney)
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 11:00 am Worship Service



**Our Mission:** "Grow as Disciples, Serve as Friends. Love All; Serve All; Follow One!"

**Our Motto:** "Each One, Reach One!"