# 21st Sunday after Pentecost – October 30th, 2022 – 9:15 AM

#### **Gathering Music & Announcements**

## **Call To Worship**

How joyful it is, to celebrate the good news of God's love! We are called to be Easter people!

Darkness cannot claim us! **Fear cannot bind us!** Christ is risen! **Christ is risen**, **indeed! Amen!** 

**Opening Hymn** Christ the Lord is Risen Today(vs 1-4) UMH 302

Opening Prayer Loving Christ... Help Us Share the Faith!

**New Members** Jane Bognaski, David Bognaski, Lawrence Cropper, Deborah Morris,

Devin Rosenberger, Jordin Rosenberger, Frances Taylor, Adrean

Troy, Andrew Troy.

Special Music In the Secret BAUMC Children's Choir

(Director Kristen Brought, Piano; Deb Lampton, Guitar; Dave Whitescarver)

(Lyrics below)

In the secret, in the quiet place. In the stillness, you are there.

In the secret in the quiet hour I wait only for you. 'Cause I want to know you more.

I want to know you, I want to hear your voice. I want to know you more.

I want to touch you, I want to see your face. I want to know you more.

#### Translation:

En el secreto, el el lugar tranquilo. En el silencio ahi estas.

El el secreto, en la hora tranquil ate espero solo a ti. Porque quiero conocerte mas. Quiero conocerte, Quiero oir to voz. Quoiero conocerte mas. Quiero tocarte, Quiero verte la cara, Quiero conocerte mas.

## **Prayer of Confession & Silent Prayer**

Jim Piccione

#### **Words of Assurance**

This is the time of God's favor, God's grace continues to proclaim release to the captives,

sight to the blind, Good News to the poor and freedom to the oppressed. We live as loved, forgiven and free people through the grace of God! Hallelujah!

Amen.

**Hymns** What a Friend We Have in Jesus UMH 526

Step by Step (lyrics below)

Oh God You are my God and I will ever praise You (2x)
I will seek You in the morning & I will learn to walk in Your ways
So Step by Step You'll lead me & I will follow You all of my days.

Gospel Reading Luke 19:1-10

## **Children's Moment**

**Reflection** Goodness of God Jillian Lader, Kristen Brought, Deb Lampton

#### **Communion & Lord's Prayer**

## **Hymn** *Still* (lyrics below)

Hide me now Under Your wings Cover me Within Your mighty hand When the oceans rise And thunders roar I will soar with You Above the storm Father You are King Over the flood I will be still and know You are God Find rest my soul In Christ alone Know His power In quietness and trust

## **Benediction**

**Altar Flower Dedication:** The flowers on the altar are dedicated to the glory of God and in appreciation for accepting me into the church and making me feel so welcome, by Debbie Barkley.

**Habitat for Humanity/VIM:** Meeting TODAY at 10:30 am in the parlor. All who are interested are welcome.

**Youth Group:** Halloween Trivia Party TODAY from 4:30-6 pm. Costumes Optional.

Chancel Choir Rehearsal: Every Wednesday from 7-8:15 pm; all are welcome to join.

**Toy Workshop:** Toy collection from November 1 – November 21. We collect new and **gently used** toys to help children in Harford County for Christmas.

**Adopt A Child:** Sponsors and Coordinators needed to help children in Harford County for Christmas. Sign up on the hallway bulletin board or contact Jeanne at <a href="mailto:mysticheaven805@gmail.com">mysticheaven805@gmail.com</a>

 2022 Budget
 \$1,245,000.00

 Monthly Income Needed
 \$103,750.00

 September 2022 Income
 \$70,534

 September 2022 Expenses
 \$95,466

 September Net Income (Loss)
 \$(24,932)



## **Christ the Lord is Risen Today**(vs 1-4)

Christ the Lord is risen today, Alleluia! Earth and heaven in chorus say, Alleluia! Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia! Sing, ye heavens, and earth reply, Alleluia!

Love's redeeming work is done, Alleluia! Fought the fight, the battle won, Alleluia! Death in vain forbids him rise, Alleluia! Christ has opened paradise, Alleluia! Lives again our glorious King, Alleluia! Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia! Once he died our souls to save, Alleluia! Where's thy victory, boasting grave? Alleluia! Soar we now where Christ has led, Alleluia! Following our exalted Head, Alleluia! Made like him, like him we rise, Alleluia! Ours the cross, the grave, the skies, Alleluia!

#### What a Friend we have in Jesus

What a friend we have in Jesus, all our sins and griefs to bear! What a privilege to carry everything to God in prayer! O what peace we often forfeit. O what needless pain we bear, All because we do not carry everything to God in prayer. Have we trials and temptations? Is there trouble anywhere? We should never be discouraged, take it to the Lord in prayer. Can we find a friend so faithful who will all our sorrows share? Jesus knows our every weakness; take it to the Lord in prayer. Are we weak and heavy laden, cumbered with a load of care? Precious Savior, still our refuge; take it to the Lord in prayer. Do thy friends despise, forsake thee? Take it to the Lord in prayer! In his arms he'll take and shield thee; thou wilt find a solace there.