ORDER OF WORSHIP Gathering of God's People

Welcome

Prelude

Call to Worship

Today, we gather around God's table from near and far. We are the people of God!

Though we differ in language, custom, and tradition We are all brothers and sisters in Christ.

For there is one Lord, one faith, and one baptism.

We are one in God's Spirit!

We are one and together we remember our Lord Jesus.

For we are the people of Redemption.

He gave himself up for us so we may be reconciled to God. Come, let us worship the God of our Salvation!

Invocation

*Hymn of Praise

Come, Sinners to the Gospel Feast

UMH 616

*Prayer of Confession

Almighty and ever-present God, on this World Communion Sunday, help us examine our hearts so we may pay proper respect to Christ's sacrifice on the cross. Thank you for offering reconciliation to all of humankind, the forgiveness of sins through Christ, our high priest. We are truly sorry for our wrongdoings and shortcomings, for sins of commission and sins of omission. Forgive us, we pray, in Christ's name. Empower us to serve you fully, to share the resources we have with those who have less, to weep with those who weep, and to laugh with those who laugh. Help us to be good stewards over the earth you have placed in our care; help us to unite in love and concern for one another, not just in our local community, but with brothers and sisters in all the world.

*Words of Assurance

From the beginning of all creation, God's word was love. That love has been lavished upon you, not because you did anything to earn it, but because it is God's great gift to you. Live in that love and bring peace to others.

*Passing of the Peace

Children's Time

Proclamation of the Word

Anthem

One Bread, One Body

Hayes

Scripture Lesson Matthew 7:1-6

This is the Word of God for the People of God.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon Stealing our Peace: Judgment

Response to God's Word

Choral Call to Prayer

Chancel Choir

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.
Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

Pastoral Prayer

The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us, not into temptation but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

*Hymn of Invitation and Dedication Now Let Us From This Table Rise

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*Benediction

Go forth with shouts of joy. Proclaim the greatness of God! Be glad and rejoice in Christ's care. Trust the promises of God!

*Congregational Choral Response

Shalom to you now, shalom, my friends.
May God's full mercies bless you, my friends.
In all your living and through your loving,
Christ be your shalom, Christ be your shalom.

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Acolytes: Ansley Dobbins

Communion Stewards: Ellen & Larry Horseman

Shelly & Paul Hardwick

Prayers for...

the people of Ukraine those communities impacted by Hurricane Ian the families of the 12,148 Arkansans who have died from COVID-19

our church family...Gloria Bounds, Ruth Dempsey,
Bill Gibbs, Bill Huey, Ed & Bonnie House, Annette Dorman,
Sue Silliman, Wanda Shambley, Gary Grimes
hospice... Marian Dorflinger, Marlene Rhomine.

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extended family Johnetta Green, Mary Jane Speer, Renita Everhart, Robert Parham, Melanie Lindsey, Ruth Hall, Dorothy Lowe, Jean Beaver, Harrison Bounds, Bobbie Pierce, John Patrick Foster (StV), Bryant Carman, Randy Mooney, Sandra Neal, Bonnie Outlaw, John McMahan, Dan Martin, Mike Littrell

homebound or assisted living ... Elizabeth Taylor, Sarah Shirey, Faye Brown, Cledra & Gerald Keith, Juanice Barker, Danny Barnes, Bill Morrison, Lou Slaughter, Virginia Guthrie, Maurice Graves, Joyce Mann, Ollie Smith, Don & Martha Davis, Sherry & Ron Randolph military...Buck Lucas, Christian Lucas, Chris Hagameister

Christian love and sympathy is extended to Idella Hansen in the death of her daughter, Rhonda Hansen Barr. A Memorial Service will be held at the church on Saturday, October 8th at 2:00pm.

Graveside service for Kelson Foster is scheduled for October 15, 2022 @ 2:00pm at Memorial Park Cemetery.

This Week at Church

Sunday, October 2, 2022

9:00am Worship Broadcast on FM 97.1 9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Worship 3:00pm Grief Group

5:00pm Youth - McCulloughs

Monday, October 3, 2022

9:00am Food Pantry 11:00am Strong Women 4:45pm Sue's Table

6:00pm Living Fully, Dying Well

Tuesday, October 4, 2022

8:30am Preschool 9:00am Food Pantry

Wednesday, October 5, 2022

8:30am Preschool 11:00am Strong Women

5:00pm SPRC

5:30pm Leadership/Nominations

6:00pm Youth Bible Study

6:30pm Handbells 7:30pm Choir

Thursday, October 6, 2022

8:30am Preschool

6:30pm Young Adult Thursdays (3rd floor)

Friday, October 7, 2022

9:00am Food Pantry 11:00am Strong Women

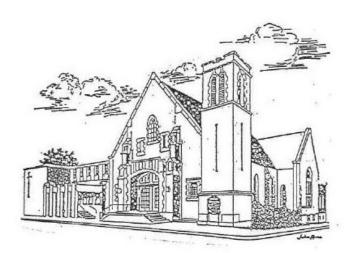
The full worship service is broadcast on FM 97.1 on Sunday mornings at 9:00am. Sundays with Ellen, and the full Worship Service are available on our YouTube channel -

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Encouraging and equipping believers to make disciples through their loving service to all.