

Worship Service

September 15, 2024

GLORY

Song of Preparation *10,000 Reasons*

Call to Worship Josh Black
Lead Pastor

Songs of Glory *O Worship the King
May the Peoples Praise You
Let Everything that Has Breath, Choir*

GRACE

Prayer of Confession Soren Halvorson
Associate Pastor

Song of Grace *Jesus Paid It All*

Prayer of Petition Soren Halvorson

Sermon 1 Timothy 3:8-13
Josh Black

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Song of Response *Yet Not I, but Through Christ in Me*

Missions Teams Commissioning Josh Black

Benediction Josh Black

Worship Team: Lydia Schwertfeger, Andrew Roush, Christian Wisner, Dave Yourdon, Evan Adams, Abe Black, Michael Bredehoft, Claire Woody, Cindy Blasdel, Michal Rector

Our Mission: *We exist to make disciples of Jesus Christ who glorify God as the grace of the gospel grows deep in God's people and goes wide to all peoples.*

Prayer Requests

- C & L work from the States to prepare, equip and empower missionaries as they make disciples and plant churches. Pray for C as he provides training and cares for individuals looking to work overseas, especially for two groups who are heading to South Asia next year. Pray also for their family as they prepare to welcome twins any day, that God would grant them a smooth and safe delivery.
- A & S work in Western Europe serving South Asian immigrants living there. Pray for their family as they engage with those around them and continue in language learning, that they would labor faithfully for the gospel. Pray also for their church plant, that God would meet their financial needs and that it would continue to grow and serve many in their community.
- Youth Horizons is breaking the cycle of fatherlessness through Christian mentoring and residential programs. Pray for the emotional support of their staff who face many challenges while serving Wichita area youth. Ask God for the safety and security of new kids and staff at their residences, as well as encouragement for their mentor programs kids going back to school.
- *Praying for People Groups:* The Shatt people live in a mountainous region of Sudan. They are primarily Muslim, farmers, and sometimes described as a warlike people. Pray that God's truth will reach the Shatt people, who are less than 1% Evangelical Christian. Pray that Jesus will be exalted and transform their lives for his glory.
- Recovering from recent surgery: Dennis Barkley, Ann V., Adeline Weatherred
- Dealing with cancer: Tommy Arnold, Paye Brooks, R. Guggisberg, Rhonda Reynolds, Cindy Spangler
- Ongoing health concerns: Mary Bell, Paula Bradley, Rodger Brooks, John Eby, Dean Flaten, Milbry Haag, Janet Hyndman, Wes Jenkins, Kevin Oneth, Jeanne P., Marilyn R.

National/Local Leaders

- President Joe Biden
- Dept. of Education Secretary Miguel Cardona
- Kansas Governor Laura Kelly

Serving Our Country

- Air Force: Ethan Adams, Xochitl Hernandez, Greg R.
- Navy: Bethany Caiazza
- Federal Defense Contractors: Reg Williams

Names are rotated weekly. If you or your loved one is serving in the military and you'd like them to be added to the prayer page, or you'd like to receive a full list of names, please email Pastor Dick, dhigh@firstfreewichita.org.

Our Church Family

- Jeri Paden's mother, Florence Royer, died September 9. No service details known at this time.
- Lauren Hildebrand's father, Alan Hildebrand, died September 3. His service was September 14 in Stafford, KS.