## THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

21st Sunday after Pentecost

October 22, 2023

11:00 AM

(For car radio transmission on church grounds, tune to 92.7 FM)

Prelude: O for a Thousand Tongues

Carolyn

Shaw

Welcome and Announcements

**Duty Elder** 

Passing of the Peace

Chris

Holmes

\*Call to Worship: Psalm 47:5-7

Pastor Tom Cox

\*Hymn of Praise: #8 Come, Thou Almighty King

\*Prayer of Praise and Confession

\*Assurance of Pardon: 1 Peter 1:3-4

**New City Catechism #42 - Slides** 

**Unison Prayer – Slides** 

The Apostles' Creed - Slides

**Offertory Dedication Prayer** 

Offertory Anthem: In Christ Alone

Solo. Chris Holmes

Children's Sermon

**Pastoral Prayer with Lord's Prayer** 

Hymn of Preparation: #390

Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart (vss. 1, 3, 4)

Scripture: 1 Samuel 8-10

L: This is the Word of the Lord

P: Thanks be to God!

Sermon: The Rise of the King 4:

**BETTER (NOT) CALL SAUL** 

\*Hymn of Dedication: #375 Jesus Shall Reign (vss. 1-3)

\*Benediction: Psalm 47:8

\*Congregational Response-#375 Jesus Shall Reign (vs. 4)

\*Postlude

\*Please stand. if able

We welcome all who have joined us to worship today. If you are looking for a church home, we invite you to join us as your place to grow as a follower of Jesus. If you are interested in joining the Church, please contact Pastor Cox.

Flowers are given today by The Weihl's in Honor of Parker's 15th Birthday on 10/12, Chloe's 13th Birthday on 11/19, Edward's Birthday on 11/30 and Tammy and Edwards Anniversary on 11/19. HAPPY BIRTHDAY AND HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!!

**Duty Elders**: Dewayne Lee & Kenneth McArtan

**Nursery:** Betty Bain and Mary Lasater

(Nursery available for children 5 years and younger)

**ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK** 

Today Sunday School 10:00 AM 11:00 AM Worship Service Wednesday 6:30 PM Bible Study 6:00 PM Thursday **Choir Practice** 

Saturday 5:00 PM 2023 Community Fall Festival

ATTENDANCE & OFFERING

Sunday, October 15, 2023 Attendance: 53

> **General Giving** \$1,261.00 Memorials/Honorariums 250.00

**TOTAL GENERAL FUND** 

\$1,511.00

Other Contributions: N/A

**TOTAL OFFERING** 

\$1.511.00

## October 29th the "Gently and Lowly" Sunday School Class will not meet.

## **Upcoming Events in October:**

29th - Hazel Clark's 100th Birthday Reception, 2PM - 4 PM.

30<sup>th</sup> – Newsletter Articles are due.

Fall-O-Ween Jesus 2023 Fall Festival will be held next Saturday, October 28<sup>th</sup> from 5 PM – 8 PM. The festival will include Trunk-a-Treat, games, and a cookout at the Pavilion. Candy donations are being accepted currently. If you plan to set up a trunk, please arrive by 4 PM. *No scary themes.* This is a Fall celebration not a Halloween celebration. If you have any questions, contact Kristina Magyar or Melanie Underhill.