

Sunday, November 24, 2019

Worship Notes:

Your offerings and tithes may be placed in the offering box before worship, during the time of greeting or following the service. The offering box is located at the rear of the sanctuary.

Our Community Gathers

Welcome and Announcements

***Call to Worship** (**you are invited to stand if you are able*)

Leader: O give thanks to God, for God is good:

ALL: God's steadfast love endures forever.

Leader: Let them give thanks for God's steadfast love,

ALL: for God's wonderful works to humankind.

Leader: For God satisfies the thirsty,

ALL: and fills the hungry with good things.

Leader: The earth has yielded its produce;

ALL: God provides food for all living creatures,

Leader: Give thanks to the God of Heaven,

ALL: for God's faithful love endures forever.

Invocation

Rich

***Let's take a moment to greet one another in friendship and love!**

***Opening Hymn**

'We Gather Together'

Ch #276

vs. 1 & 3

Old Testament Reading

Deuteronomy 26: 1-11

Lana Bell

Prayer Preparation

'Sweet Hour of Prayer'

Ch #570

Prayers of the Gathered & the Lord's Prayer

Our Community Hears the Word and Responds

Sacred Reading

Psalm 100 (*pg. 552 OT*)

Morning Message

Rich Pate

'In Everything Give Thanks'

Our Community Celebrates the Sacred Table

We celebrate a fully open communion table. All those who believe in Christ our Savior, are invited to receive the Bread of Life and Cup of Hope.

Communion

'Gather Us In'

CH #284

vs. 1, 3 & 4

Passing and receiving of Bread and Cup. *You are invited to eat the bread as received. Please hold the cup until you are invited to drink together.*

Prayer of Offering and Dedication

Lana Bell

O God, you have filled our cups to overflowing. Take from the overflowing goodness which spills out on your table in this offering, and fill the cups of those who are empty. In Jesus Name, Amen

***Sending Song**

'My Life Flows On'

Cp #619

vs. 1 & 4

Blessing

Go forth singing God's praises, remembering God's promises and blessings. Joyfully give back to the world the love you have received believing that God loves all creation and abides with us. . Amen

**'Our Worship has ended - - -
Now our Service to God begins!'**

Scripture for Sunday, December 1st

New Testament reading: *Matthew 24: 36-44*

Shut-ins

Please pray for our shut-ins and homebound:

Joyce Bradley, Sherry Burns, Jane Foster, Dick Gordon, Carol Imhoff, Betty Imperio, Bernice Lambert, Jane McVey, Kate Miller, Wanda Mish, Marie Pate, Dick Scott, Wayne Smith, Gertrude & Keith Sparks, Dale Wells and Bev Zimmerman. A visit, call or a card means so much to those who can't be with us on Sundays.

Decorating!

We will decorate our church. We would love you to stay to fellowship and help! A light lunch will be available.

Advent Calendar

- Dec. 1 Matthew 24: 36-44 'I Wonder As I Wander'*
Dec. 8 Isaiah 11: 1-10 'The Promise of the Ages'
Annual Meeting following worship
Dec. 15 Luke 1: 46b- 55 'He Surely Could Have Any Wee Thing'
Dec. 22 Matt: 1:18-25 'When Mary Birthed Jesus'
Deliver Christmas Gift Bags to our shut-ins
Dec. 24 Christmas Eve Candlelight Service
Isaiah 9: 1-8 plus selected reading, solos, & singing
Gathering 6:00 - Service 7:00
Dec.29 Matthew 2: 1-12 'Honoring the King'

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