

ORDER OF WORSHIP

September 27, 2020

17th Sunday after Pentecost

Gathering

As the congregation gathers, please take a moment to wave to people sitting around you whom you may not know. Hebrews 13:2 (KJV) says, "Be not forgetful to entertain strangers; for thereby some have entertained angels unaware."

Prelude

Lin Harness, guest pianist

As the prelude begins let us turn our thoughts and hearts to God in prayer and preparation for worship.

Greeting

Opening Hymn

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.

Responsive Reading

Psalm 93:1-5

The Lord reigns and is robed in majesty;
the Lord is robed and is girded with strength.

**The Lord has established the world;
it shall never be moved.**

Your throne has been established from of old;
you are from everlasting!

**The floods have lifted up, O Lord,
the floods have lifted up their voice,
the floods lift up their roaring.**

Mightier than the thunders of many waters,
mightier than the waves of the sea,
the Lord on high is mighty!

**Your decrees are very sure;
holiness befits your house,
O Lord, for evermore.**

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

Pastoral Prayer

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: *And also with you.*

Minister: Let us pray.

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, and the power, and the glory,
forever. Amen.*

The Scripture Lesson

Philippians 2:1-11

Minister: The word of God for the people of God.

People: *Thanks be to God.*

Sermon

"Poured Out for Jesus"

Rev. Mark Barnes

Hymn of Dedication (vss. 1, 3, 5)

I Surrender All

All to Jesus I surrender; all to him I freely give;
I will ever love and trust him, in his presence daily live.

Refrain: I surrender all, I surrender all, all to thee, my blessed Savior,
I surrender all.

All to Jesus I surrender; make me, Savior, wholly thine; let me feel the
Holy Spirit, truly know that thou art mine. **Refrain**

All to Jesus I surrender; now I feel the sacred flame. O the joy of full
salvation! Glory, glory to his name! **Refrain**

Benediction

Postlude

The Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Worship Sign Up

Each Monday registration will open for the following Sunday.

There are three ways you can sign up.

- 1) Go to www.bethany-umc.com- click on worship sign up button
- 2) Use link on Bethany UMC Facebook page
- 3) Use link sent to you in E-links weekly email

This will open the registration form, your contact information should automatically fill in. If it does not, complete your contact information.

Choose the service you wish to attend and indicate how many are in your party. If registration is full, you will be unable to choose that service, you then may pick a different service to attend.

Also, answer the question in regards to elevator usage. Hit submit and your registration is complete. You will receive a confirmation email when completed. You may also sign up by calling the church office at 843.873.1230 during business hours (8:30 am - 4:30 pm).

Silent Auction Items Needed!

We are in need of items for the Tea Room Silent Auction. Below is a few ideas that have been donated in the past:

- Handmade one of a kind items (porch swings, wooden outdoor furniture, plant stands, etc.)
- Services (house cleaning, car washes, pressure washing, massages, Chiropractor sessions, dinners, etc.)
- Gift Baskets (fill a themed basket with goodies, i.e. Clemson, Carolina, GA Dawgs, Citadel, home improvement, movie night, reading nook, crafts, foodie, etc.)
- Weekends at Vacation homes
- Artwork by Bethany members
- Gym Memberships
- Antiques

Thanksgiving Food Bags

Bethany's Local Missions Committee will be distributing turkeys and bags of food to Dorchester County families in need. Instead of food this year, we are asking for **monetary donations only**, by November 8 or sooner. Please write a check to Bethany UMC and write "Food Bags" on the memo line. You can also give through a link on our church website. Last year, thanks to your generosity, we blessed 220 families! If you or someone you know would like a Thanksgiving Food Bag, please call Pastor Narcie at 854.429.1848 by November 8.



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