

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

October 14 , 2018 11:00 a.m.

Twenty First Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome to Sabbath rest.
As we worship, please silence electronics.

Need prayer? Drop a prayer card in the offering plate.
Need help with your children? Our professionally-staffed nursery
is on the first floor of the Education Building.

Prelude *Processional* Anthony Giamanco

Trinity Chime

Call to Worship

Hymn 434
Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples KINGSFOLD

Prayer of Praise Tommy Melton
Holy Father, mighty Lord of all, our Good Shepherd,
We praise You.
We thank You for the provision of life which in Your grace
You make so abundantly evident. We thank You for the
leadership of Your Holy Spirit, who calls us to join Him in
leading others to Christ Jesus.
We praise You, Lord, that while You are beyond our
knowledge, we nevertheless know You.
In the name above all names, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Prayer of Confession and Assurance (unison; Jeremiah 3:12-15)
Return, faithless Israel, says the Lord.
I will not look on you in anger, for I am merciful,
says the Lord;
I will not be angry forever.
Only acknowledge your guilt, that you have rebelled against
the Lord your God,

and scattered your favors among strangers under every
green tree, and have not obeyed my voice, says the Lord.
[Silent Confession]
Return, O faithless children, says the Lord,
for I am your master;
I will take you, one from a city and two from a family,
and I will bring you to Zion.
I will give you shepherds after my own heart,
who will feed you with knowledge and understanding.
In the forgiveness of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

Affirmation of Faith: The Apostles' Creed
I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and
earth; And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was
conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and
buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose
again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth
on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence
He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic church; the
communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the
resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

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.

Old Testament Lesson Psalm 78:67-72
Pew Bible Page 918

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

Welcome and Common Concerns
Please sign and pass the friendship booklet in your pew.
Guests: thank you for your name and contact information.

Tithes and Offerings
Children ages 4-8 may be dismissed to Children's Chapel.
Please exit by the door to the left of the pulpit.

Offertory
The King of Love My Shepherd Is John Ness Beck
Chancel Choir

The King of love my shepherd is,
Whose goodness faileth never.
I nothing lack if I am His,
And He is mine forever.

Where streams of living water flow,
My ransomed soul He leadeth;
And where the verdant pastures grow,
With food celestial feedeth.

In death's dark vale I fear no ill,
With thee, dear Lord, beside me;
Thy rod and staff my comfort still,
Thy cross before to guide me.

And so through all the length of days,
Thy goodness faileth never;
Good Shepherd, may I sing Thy praise
Within Thy house forever.

Doxology
Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all Creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayer of Dedication

Hymn 306 *Fairest Lord Jesus* CRUSADERS' HYMN

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (unison)

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:
For Thine is the Kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever. Amen.

New Testament Lesson

Matthew 20:25-27
Pew Bible Page 1531

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People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Counting Sheep: I'm the Leader? Rev. Rob Hinman

Prayer

Hymn 399

We Walk by Faith and Not by Sight DUNLAP'S CREEK

Benediction

Postlude *Festive Voluntary* Robert Lau

WE ARE ALL MINISTERS OF GOD'S GRACE

MISSIONARIES

Les and Cindy Morgan, Bangladesh
Nkhoma Hospital, Malawi
Jarrett and Lu Furnish, Zambia
David and Danielle Grotton, Chile

CONGREGATION TRUSTEES

Ted Holcher Jim Thompson Patty Williamson

THE SESSION (ELDERS)

Becky Bast
John McMenemy
Tommy Melton
Jill Norment
Barry Spicer

Mike Bayne
Cissy Kepper
Charles Shell
Steve Shores
Dottie Darsie

Frances Delk
Doug Farringer
Leroy Mayne
Adam Sterken
Jim Thompson

CLERK OF SESSION

Tommy Melton

MODERATOR OF SESSION: The Reverend Rob Hinman

Please contact the following people for questions about

PASTORAL NEEDS

Rob Hinman, Minister

YOUTH MINISTRIES

Brian Kane, Youth Director

CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

Kori Dyer and Julie Hefner, Co-Directors

11:00 MUSIC

Bethany Wolfe, Chancel Choir Director

Nora Ford, Organist Joe Delk, Chancel Ringers Director

8:45 MUSIC

Dave Williams, Praise Band Leader

CHURCH FINANCES

Melanie Blair, Treasurer

CHURCH OFFICE

Jonnie Laws, Secretary

FACILITIES MANAGER

Ethan Barnett

THE DIACONATE (DEACONS)

Class of 2018

Debbie DeBaeremaeker
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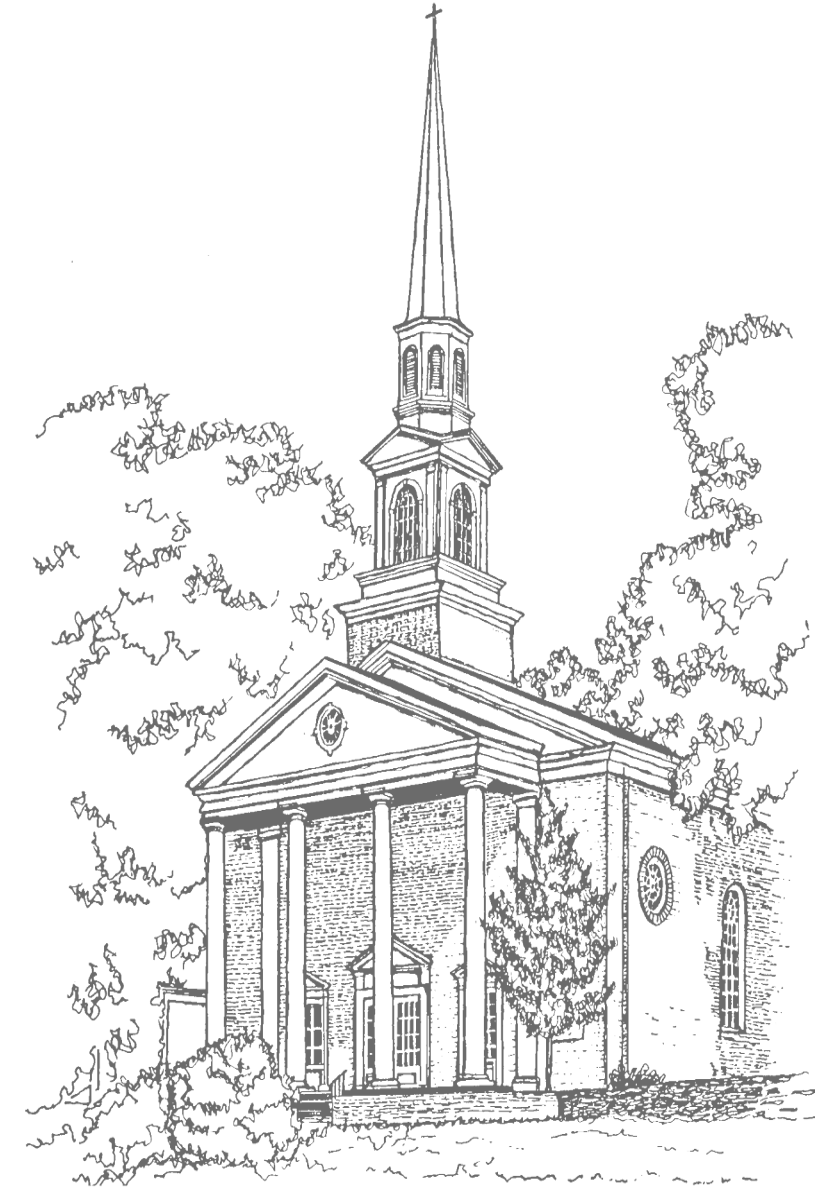
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