

June 12, 2022

Bringing Forth the Light

Prelude Jen Moser, Organist

Welcome and Announcements Pastor John

Responsive Reading (Psalm 27:4-5)

One: One thing I ask from the Lord,

All: This only do I seek:

One: That I may dwell in the house of the Lord,

All: All the days of my life,

One: To gaze on the beauty of the Lord,

All: And to seek him in his temple.

One: For in the day of trouble,

All: He will keep me safe in his dwelling;

One: He will hide me in the shelter of his sacred tent,

All: And set me high upon a rock.

*Hymn "My Hope Is Built" No. 368

*Prayer of Affirmation and Assurance Pastor John

Almighty God, there is often considerable futility in our earthy pursuits, but also great potential in our spiritual calling. Help us to recognize the opportunities we have to be proponents of peace and advocates for justice as we seek to lead a life of service and goodwill. In your Holy Name, we pray. Amen.

Prayer of Reflection Pastor John

Prayer of Illumination Pastor John

God of all creation, we are in awe of your mighty works. You have blessed us in so many ways, and we are grateful for the gifts you have bestowed upon us. Help us to honor you through our obedience, our faithfulness, and our service so that through our words and through our actions your name will be glorified. Amen!

Call to Confession Pastor John

Prayer of Confession Pastor John

Have mercy on us, O God, according to your love and grace. Blot out our transgressions, wash us thoroughly from our iniquities, and cleanse us from our sins, so that in us you may create a pure heart, renewed through your Son, our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, and strengthened by the Holy Spirit. This we pray in humble repentance. Amen!

Prayer of Preparation for the Word Pastor John

First Scripture Reading Isaiah 55:6-7 Pastor John

Second Scripture Reading II Timothy 3:1-4 Pastor John

Third Scripture Reading I John 3:18-23 Pastor John

Response

One: Let us Rejoice in God's Holy Word!

All: For His Word brings us Light, Hope and Joy!

*Gloria Patri No. 70

*Hymn "Fairest Lord Jesus" No. 189

Message "Donut Delay" Pastor John

Our Morning Prayer Pastor John

The Lord's Prayer

Presentation of Our Gifts to God Pastor John

*Doxology No. 95

*Hymn "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus" No. 514

Benediction Pastor John

Postlude Jen Moser

* = An Invitation to Stand in Body or Spirit

WHAT'S COMING UP?

Golden Agers Luncheon

The annual Golden Agers Luncheon returns to Oak Chapel after a two-year hiatus. The event, which honors our neighbors, age 60 and over, will be held this Tuesday in our Fellowship Hall. We are expecting a nice turnout for the event. Hope to see you there!

Donut Delight

Join us in the Sing-Mar Room after today's service for a donut and a beverage as we celebrate Trinity Sunday, Peace-with-Justice Sunday, and, of course, International Donut Day!

Pastoral Support

Pastoral support is always available from Pastor John, by phone or by text (330-988-2577). He will be away for part of this coming week (June 12-17), but you are still welcome to contact him. If you need immediate in-person support, you may contact Pastor Jon Heavilin from New Pittsburg United Methodist Church at 330-464-8953 or 330-264-4939.

Creative Cross

You may have noticed the special cross on our altar. It was created by a fellow classmate of Rosie Troutman at Big Prairie-Lakeville School (now West Holmes). The cross is made of spikes that were collected from railroad tracks in Holmes County. If you have not yet had a chance to see it, be sure to take a closer look. It is, indeed, a unique tribute to our Lord.





Great and Powerful God, we marvel at the glory of your creation, especially during this beautiful summer season. Hear our prayers as we lift them up before your today...

Praises

- * Triway High School's State Championship softball team

Prayers

- * Christy Rickard as she continues to recover from surgery
- * Sheri Finn's family as they mourn the loss of her mother
- * Robles Family following the passing of their daughter
- * Family of Pastor Liming, whose son was killed last week
- * Traveling mercies for the Varns Family and all who travel this summer
- * Evelyn Silver's son-in-law who is undergoing radiation treatments
- * Courtney Cline's teammate, Melia, who suffered a serious injury while playing soccer
- * Miriam's nephew, Dan, who has been assigned to the Border Patrol on the Arizona-Mexican Border

Upcoming Worship Services		
June 19	Father's Day	"Father Figure"
June 26	Third Sunday after Pentecost	"Secure in Faith"
July 3	Independence Day Weekend	"Freedom"
July 10	Fifth Sunday after Pentecost	"Down & Dirty"

Opportunities for Worship and Ministry This Week...

Sunday 6/12	Sunday School	9:30 am
	Sunday Worship	10:30 am
	Young Adult Bible Study	11:30 pm
Monday 6/13	Bible Study	9:30 am
Tuesday 6/14	Golden Agers Luncheon	11:30 am
Wednesday 6/15	Acorn Deadline	

Looking Ahead...

Sunday 6/19	Sunday Worship	10:30 am
Monday 6/20	Bible Study	9:30 am
	Trustees	6:30 pm
Tuesday 6/21	Days for Girls	1:00 pm



Financial News:

Tithes and Offerings needed each Sunday for budgeted expenses (May 2022): \$1,942
 Received last month:
 05/01 - \$2,846
 05/08 - \$2,592
 05/15 - \$1,502
 05/22 - \$1,062
 05/29 - \$938

As of 05/31/2022, we received about 92% of our budgeted income for the month of May and 83% YTD. We are behind last year at this time, which was 100% and 90%, respectively. The Food Pantry continues to be well supported. Thank you Oak Chapel! We're in good hands!

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 through Love, Compassion,
 Fellowship and Caring*

Today's Message...
"Donut Delay"