

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE
Fifteenth Sunday After Pentecost
September 13, 2020

We Gather Together In The Lord's Name

Prelude and Tolling of the Bell
Coming of the Light
Welcome and Announcements

Morning Call to Worship:

Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised;
His greatness is unsearchable.

One generation shall laud your works to another,
And shall declare your mighty acts.

On the glorious splendor of your majesty,
And on your wondrous works, I will meditate.

The might of your awesome deeds shall be proclaimed,
And I will declare your greatness.

- *(please refrain from singing)* -

Hymn of Praise....."When We All Get to Heaven".....#701

Opening Prayer: *(please join in unison)*

King of Kings, we love to sing praises to you. We rejoice in you, our maker. We exalt you, our King. We praise your name, for you delight in your people. We do not deserve to come into the presence of the Holy God of the Universe but you have crowned the humble with victory, you have lifted up those who are bowed down, you have clothed us in your righteousness. We come before you with confidence, not based on ourselves, but based on your love. Let your praises be in our hearts and on our lips. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.

*Observe the Peace of Christ

(Ephesians 2:14) – *"For he is our peace; in his flesh he has made both groups into one and has broken down the dividing wall, that is, the hostility between us."*

Responsive Reading....."Canticle of Moses and Miriam".....#135

- *(please refrain from singing)* -

Hymn of Hope "Nothing but the Blood".....#362

Children's Message....."Jesus Loves Me".....#191

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

The Promises of God Comes to Us Through The Word

Old Testament Lesson.....Exodus 14:19-31

Epistle Lesson.....Romans 14:1-12

***Gospel Lesson.....Matthew 18:21-35**

The Word of God Comes to Us Through the Holy Spirit

Affirmation of Faith....."The Apostles' Creed".....#881

Worship with Tithes and Offerings

Offertory (*baskets are placed at the entrance and exit for your convenience*)

*Doxology.....#95

*Offertory Prayer

Sermon....."Taming The Tongue".....Rev. Ben Rogers
James 3:1-12

Go and Share the Love of God

- *(please refrain from singing)* -

Hymn of Commitment....."It Is Well with My Soul".....#377

*Benediction: Dismissal with Blessing

*Going Forth of the Light

*Postlude

Epworth Work Day Offering

Today our church will receive the Annual Epworth Work Day Offering to invest in the comprehensive care we are called by God to provide for the children at Epworth Children's Home. This offering is to support this vital ministry.

Give generously by using the envelope provided for you in the bulletin. We lift up Epworth Children's Home in our thoughts and prayers.

Announcements & Upcoming Events:

- ❖ **Monday, September 14-**Covenant Prayer Group (11am at Bethel) Please bring a pen and your prayer lists;
UMW & Fairfield Christian Men's Group (7pm at Bethel)
- ❖ **Wednesday, September 16th** "Think Like Jesus" Bible Study (6:30pm at Bethel)
- ❖ **Saturday, September 19-** Fairfield Christian Men Trash Pickup (7:30am at Bethel)
- ❖ **Tuesday, September 22-** PPRC Meeting (7pm at Bethel) In-person or Zoom
- ❖ **Saturday, September 26-** National Day of Prayer Service (12pm at Bethel)
- ❖ **Sunday, October 4-** World Communion Sunday;
Administrative Council Meeting (6pm at Bethel)

Lectionary Readings for (16th Sunday After Pentecost):

Exodus 16: 2-15	Psalm 78
Philippians 1:21-30	Matthew 20:1-16

The Churches Are in Prayer For:

Monticello UMC- Carol & Ray Ball, Elen Bradley, Mack Bradley, Allen Brock, Sammie Burley, Darlene Coker, Robert Davis, Noelani Dirnbauer, Nita Goff, Lenny Goldman, Lindsey Gunter & the Gunter family, Sandra Harrison, Carolyn Hinson,

Jenny and Quinn Kaderly, Kevin Knight, Bobby Mack, Sam Mack, Kenny Martin, Sharon Marler, Audrey Miles, Will Pope, Anne Robinson, Margaret Robinson, Marion Robinson & her family, Eddie & Sybil Robinson, Carole Sinkbeil, Bruno Schrieber, James Shugart, Calvin Stanley, Peggy Steller, The Clayton Family

Bethel UMC- Loen Arrington, Hope Bass, Bob Bazinet, Betty Jo & Harry James Beckham, Una Bowers, Kathy Branham, William Bundrick, Majorie Cook, Sherry Crosby, Billy and Diane Dove, Epworth Children's Home, Wesley Jones, Stephen Keller, Lila Lake, Paul Leitner, Family of Frank Martin, Jackie McDaniel, Sherrill & Huley Perry, Joan and Martin Phipps & their family, Phil Pugh & the Pugh Family, Greg Robertson, Family of Benji Rogers, Pastor Terry Roof, Lana Swancey, Ford Sweeney, Toby Warpole, Jimmie & Gloria Parker, Mike & Alona Shook, unity in our county, state, nation, and world, Jan Velez, Brad Elder, Mike Wilkes, The Johnson Family, Clint Thigpen

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