

Sunday, June 11, 2023
ORDER OF WORSHIP 10:00 AM

Mr. Timothy Flynn * Pastor

Carolyn Lansing * Organist & Choir Director

(*People Stand If Able)

Please mute your cell phones

PRELUDE (*Time for quiet reflection & meditation*)

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT

COME, LET US WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 119:137-138

SENTENCES Psalm 33

(with Congregational Response)

O Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous. Praise befits the upright.

Praise the Lord with the lyre; make melody to him with the harp of ten strings.

Sing to him a new song; play skillfully on the strings, with loud shouts.

For the word of the Lord is upright, and all his work is done in faithfulness.

He loves righteousness and justice; the earth is full of the steadfast love of the Lord.

By the word of the Lord the heavens were made, and all their host by the breath of his mouth.

He gathered the waters of the sea as in a bottle; he put the deeps in storehouses.

Let all the earth fear the Lord; let all the inhabitants of the world stand in awe of him.

For he spoke, and it came to be; he commanded, and it stood firm.

The Lord brings the counsel of the nations to nothing; he frustrates the plans of the peoples.

The counsel of the Lord stands forever, the thoughts of his heart to all generations.

Happy is the nation whose God is the Lord, the people whom he has chosen as his heritage.

SALUTATION

Hosea 6:1-3

"Come, let us return to the Lord; for it is he who has torn, and he will heal us; he has struck down, and he will bind us up. After two days he will revive us; on the third day he will raise us up, that we may live before him. Let us know, let us press on to know the Lord; his appearing is as sure as the dawn; he will come to us like the showers, like the spring rains that water the earth."..... Grace mercy and peace be with you from God the Father and our Lord Jesus Christ.

***Hymn #353 "A Shelter in the Time of Storm"**

Responsive Reading:

Romans 4:13-22

For the promise that he would inherit the world did not come to Abraham or to his descendants through the law but through the righteousness of faith.

If it is the adherents of the law who are to be the heirs, faith is null and the promise is void.

For the law brings wrath; but where there is no law, neither is there violation.

For this reason it depends on faith, in order that the promise may rest on grace and be guaranteed to all his descendants, not only to the adherents of the law but also to those who share the faith of Abraham (for he is the father of all of us,

as it is written, "I have made you the father of many nations" --in the presence of the God in whom he believed,

who gives life to the dead and calls into existence the things that do not exist.

Hoping against hope, he believed that he would become "the father of many nations," according to what was said, So numerous shall your descendants be."

He did not weaken in faith when he considered his own body, which was already as good as dead (for he was about a hundred years old), or when he considered the barrenness of Sarah's womb.

No distrust made him waver concerning the promise of God, but he grew strong in his faith as he gave glory to God,

being fully convinced that God was able to do what he had promised.

Therefore his faith "was reckoned to him as righteousness."

***GLORIA PATRI #622**

PRAYER (in Unison):

God of delight, your Wisdom sings your Word at the crossroads where humanity and divinity meet. Invite us into your joyful being where you know and are known in each beginning, in all sustenance, in every redemption, that we may manifest your unity in the diverse ministries you entrust to us, truly reflecting your triune majesty in the faith that acts, in the hope that does not disappoint, and in the love that endures. Amen.

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

*HYMN #220 “He Lives”

*OFFERING

*OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY #625 (found in the back of the hymnal)

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

(Children preschool age and below are dismissed for nursery care following the Children’s Message)

THE WORD OF GOD

SCRIPTURE: Matthew 9:18-26

Message: “Pardon the Interruption”

*HYMN #409 “I Know Whom I Have Believed”

DEPARTING TO SERVE

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

AMITY REFORMED CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

“Our mission is to grow into the people God created us to be in Jesus Christ through Worship, Service and Fellowship within our congregation and our community.”

TODAY AT AMITY

Today's Greeter:

Georgia Beatty

COMING UP AT AMITY

<u>Monday, June 12, 2023</u>	Elders & Deacons Mtg	6:00 PM
<u>Monday, June 12, 2023</u>	Consistory Mtg	7:00 PM
<u>Sunday, June 18, 2023</u>	Father's Day	
<u>Wednesday, June 21, 2023</u>	ARC Angels Mtg	10:00 AM
<u>Thursday, June 22, 2023</u>	Strawberry Social	6:00 PM

Pastor Tim is available for pastoral calls. You can contact him at (518) 334-0408.

Boy Scout Troop 30 meets every Wed. @ 6:30 pm in Chapel Hall
 Girl Scouts meets the 2nd & 4th Thursdays in Chapel Hall

FINANCIAL REPORT FROM THE DEACONS

Offering from June 4, 20223

Program	\$1,238.00
Benevolence	\$184.00
Special Income	\$49.30
Miscellaneous	\$30.00
Total:	<u>\$1,631.30</u>

Monthly Mission:

Disabled American Vets

P.O. Box 14301 Cincinnati, OH 45250

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