

Sunday, June 16, 2024  
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**

**Proverbs 1:7**

**SENTENCES**

**Psalm 20**

**(with Congregational Response)**

The LORD answer you in the day of trouble! The name of the God of Jacob protect you!

**May he send you help from the sanctuary, and give you support from Zion.**

May he remember all your offerings, and regard with favor your burnt sacrifices. Selah

**May he grant you your heart's desire, and fulfill all your plans.**

May we shout for joy over your victory, and in the name of our God set up our banners. May the LORD fulfill all your petitions.

**Now I know that the LORD will help his anointed; he will answer him from his holy heaven with mighty victories by his right hand.**

Some take pride in chariots, and some in horses, but our pride is in the name of the LORD our God. They will collapse and fall, but we shall rise and stand upright.

**Give victory to the king, O LORD; answer us when we call.**

**SALUTATION**

**Mark 4:30-32**

He also said, "With what can we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable will we use for it? It is like a mustard seed, which, when sown upon the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on earth; yet when it is sown it grows up and becomes the greatest of all shrubs, and puts forth large branches, so that the birds of the air can make nests in its shade."..... Grace Mercy and Peace be with you from God the Father and our Lord Jesus Christ.

**\*Hymn #279 "Faith of Our Fathers"**

**Responsive Reading: 2 Corinthians 5:6-17**

because So we are always confident; even though we know that while we are at home in the body we are away from the Lord --

**for we walk by faith, not by sight.**

Yes, we do have confidence, and we would rather be away from the body and at home with the Lord.

**So whether we are at home or away, we make it our aim to please him.**

For all of us must appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each may receive recompense for what has been done in the body, whether good or evil.

**Therefore, knowing the fear of the Lord, we try to persuade others; but we ourselves are well known to God, and I hope that we are also well known to your consciences.**

We are not commending ourselves to you again, but giving you an opportunity to boast about us, so that you may be able to answer those who boast in outward appearance and not in the heart.

**For if we are beside ourselves, it is for God; if we are in our right mind, it is for you.**

For the love of Christ urges us on, because we are convinced

that one has died for all; therefore all have died.  
**And he died for all, so that those who live might live no longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised for them.**

From now on, therefore, we regard no one from a human point of view; even though we once knew Christ from a human point of view, we know him no longer in that way.  
**So if anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new!**

**\*GLORIA PATRI #622**

**PRAYER (in Unison):**

Your hand is upon your people, O God, to guide and protect them through the ages. Keep in your service those you have called and anointed, that the powers of this world may not overwhelm us, but that, secure in your love, we may carry out your will in the face of all adversity. Make us attentive to your word, that we may accept your reign over us and serve you alone. Amen.

**OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD  
JOYS AND CONCERNS  
PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**\*HYMN #58 "This Is My Father's World"**

**\*OFFERING**

**\*OFFERTORY**

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

**\*OFFERTORY PRAYER**

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

**THE WORD OF GOD**

**SCRIPTURE:** Ezekial 17:22-24 & Daniel 4:4-37

**Message:** "The Great and Mighty Tree"

**\*HYMN #560** "For the Beauty of the Earth"

**DEPARTING TO SERVE**

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*POSTLUDE**

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**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**

Happy Father's Day

**Today's Greeter:**

Sue Howard

**COMING UP AT AMITY**

**Thursday, June 20, 2024** Strawberry Social 6:00-8:00 PM

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

**\*\*\*\* Current Elders; Dan Cargill, Jean Hill, Patty Knowlton & Barb Sauter.**

**\*\*\*\* Current Deacons; Debbie Bango, Jane Cargill, Carolyn Lansing & Will Shippey**

Boy Scout Troop 30 meets every Wed. @ 6:45 pm in Chapel Hall  
Girl Scouts meet on Thurs. @ 6:30 in Chapel Hall

**FINANCIAL REPORT FROM THE DEACONS**

**Offering from June 9, 2024**

Program	\$838.00
Benevolence	\$20.00
Special Income	\$37.10
Miscellaneous	\$46.00
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$941.10</b>

**Monthly Mission:**

**Wycliffe Bible Translators**  
**Kevin & Gertrude Nicholas**  
**608 Kelsie Lane**  
**DeSoto, TX 75115**

Kevin & Gretrude Nicholas have been serving in Papua New Guinea as Bible translators and literacy specialist for fifteen years. They will be going back to Papau New guinea in August to continue the work of translating The Word of God for all the people of their area.

[www.wycliffe.org/partner/KGNicholas](http://www.wycliffe.org/partner/KGNicholas)

**This Week's Prayer List**

**(Please have prayer requests sent to the office no later than Thursday to be added to the list)**

**Jim Lee, Mike & Kathy Whitehead, Doug Gould, Johnny & Judy Cranfield, Miss Millie, Maggie, Moriah, Bob Shippey, Brittany Hernandez, Joe & Donna Flynn, Emily & Family, Georgia Beatty, Bill LaRose, Carolyn & Zoey Lansing, Pastor Kent, Pastor Heather, Unspoken, World Unrest, Our Military & 1<sup>st</sup> Responders**