

Sunday, October 6, 2024
ORDER OF WORSHIP 10:00 AM

Mr. Timothy Flynn * Pastor

World Communion Sunday

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 103:20-22

SENTENCES

Psalm 26

(with Congregational Response)

Vindicate me, O LORD, for I have walked in my integrity, and I have trusted in the LORD without wavering.

Prove me, O LORD, and try me; test my heart and mind.

For your steadfast love is before my eyes, and I walk in faithfulness to you.

I do not sit with the worthless, nor do I consort with hypocrites;

I hate the company of evildoers and will not sit with the wicked.

I wash my hands in innocence and go around your altar, O

LORD,

singing aloud a song of thanksgiving and telling all your wondrous deeds.

O LORD, I love the house in which you dwell and the place where your glory abides.

Do not sweep me away with sinners nor my life with the bloodthirsty,

those in whose hands are evil devices and whose right hands are full of bribes.

But as for me, I walk in my integrity; redeem me and be gracious to

me.

My foot stands on level ground; in the great congregation I will bless the LORD.

SALUTATION

Genesis 2:21-24

So the LORD God caused a deep sleep to fall upon the man, and he slept; then he took one of his ribs and closed up its place with flesh. And the rib that the LORD God had taken from the man he made into a woman and brought her to the man. Then the man said, "This at last is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; this one shall be called Woman, for out of Man this one was taken." Therefore a man leaves his father and his mother and clings to his wife, and they become one flesh.....Grace Mercy and Peace be with you from God the Father and our Lord Jesus Christ.

***Hymn #26 "A Mighty Fortress"**

Responsive Reading:

Hebrews 2:5-12

Now God did not subject the coming world, about which we are speaking, to angels.

But someone has testified somewhere, "What are human that you are mindful of them or mortals that you care for them?"

You have made them for a little while lower than the angels; you have crowned them with glory and honor,

subjecting all things under their feet." Now in subjecting all things to them, God left nothing outside their control. As it is, we do not yet see everything in subjection to them,

but we do see Jesus, who for a little while was made lower than the angels, now crowned with glory and honor because of the suffering of death, so that by the grace of God he might taste death for everyone.

It was fitting that God, for whom and through whom all things exist, in bringing many children to glory, should make the

pioneer of their salvation perfect through sufferings.

For the one who sanctifies and those who are sanctified all have one Father. For this reason Jesus is not ashamed to call them brothers and sisters,

saying, "I will proclaim your name to my brothers and sisters; in the midst of the congregation I will praise you."

***GLORIA PATRI #622**

PRAYER (in Unison):

Eternal One, whose thoughts and ways are not ours, you alone are God, awesome, holy, and most high. School us in the ways of faith and wisdom, that we may learn to truly see and hear, and in humility find blessing. Amen.

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

***HYMN #430 "I Must Tell Jesus"**

***OFFERING**

***OFFERTORY**

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

***OFFERTORY PRAYER**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

THE WORD OF GOD

SCRIPTURE: Job 2:1-10 , Hebrews 2:5-12

Message: “Why?”

***HYMN #435 “What A Friend We Have In Jesus”**
Vs 1&2

Preparing Our Hearts: Reading 667

The Lord’s Supper

***HYMN #435 Vs 3**

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

Loose Change Sunday

Today’s Greeter:

Ellen Shippey

COMING UP AT AMITY

Wednesday, October 9, 2024 Bible Study & Prayer 6:00 PM
Wednesday, October 9, 2024 ARC Angles 10:00 AM
Monday, October 14, 2024 Elders & Deacons MTG 6:00 PM
Monday, October 14, 2024 Consistory MTG 7:00 PM

Pastor Tim is available for pastoral care calls 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 September 29, 2024

Program	\$761.00
Special Income	\$350.00
Miscellaneous	\$100.00
Total:	\$1,211.00

Monthly Mission:
Samaritans Purse
Operation Christmas Child

Samaritan's Purse
P.O. Box 3000
Boone, NC 28607
Phone (828) 262-1980

The mission of Operation Christmas Child is to demonstrate God's love in a tangible way to children in need around the world. Through this project, Samaritan's Purse partners with the local church worldwide to share the Good News of Jesus Christ and make disciples of the nations.

This Week's Prayer List

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

**The Lee Family, The Finke Family, Smith Family, Mike & Kathy
Whitehead, Clara had a death in her family, Doug Gould, Johnny
& Judy Cranfield, Miss Millie, Moriah, Bob Shippey, Brittany
Hernandez, Joe & Donna Flynn, Emily & Family, Georgia Beatty,
Bill LaRose, Pastor Kent, Pastor Heather, Unspoken, World
Unrest, Our Military & 1st Responders**