

## WORSHIP CELEBRATION

### *Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

October 12, 2025

10:00 a.m.

#### WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS ~

#### PRAISE VIDEO ~ “Joyful Noise”

*Matt Maher*

#### CALL TO WORSHIP ~ (based on Psalm 111)

L – Praise the Lord! I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart in the congregation.

#### C – Great are the works of the Lord

L – Full of honor and majesty is his work

#### C – and his righteousness endures forever.

L – The works of his hands are faithful and just

#### C – All his precepts are trustworthy.

L – The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom

#### C – Praise the Lord, his praises endure forever.

#### CONGREGATIONAL PRAISE SONG ~

*“Awesome God”*

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#### \*INVOCATION AND GLORIA PATRI ~

**SCRIPTURE #1** ~ Luke 17:11-19

**SCRIPTURE #2** ~ 2 Timothy 2:8-15

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#### MEDITATION ON SCRIPTURE ~

#### COMMUNION HYMN ~

*“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”*

*No. 258*

#### ELDER’S PRAYER FOR THE BREAD AND CUP ~

**CELEBRATION AT THE TABLE** ~ “Let a person examine themselves and so let them eat of the bread and drink of the cup.”

#### \*DOXOLOGY ~

#### SHARING OF PRAISES AND CONCERNS ~

#### SILENT PRAYER / MEDITATION AND PASTORAL PRAYER ~

#### LORD’S PRAYER (using “sins”) ~

“Our Father, who art in heaven hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever.” Amen.

#### SPECIAL MUSIC ~

*Ted Davenport / on the Harp*

#### RESPONSIVE READING ~ Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7

OT # 779 / LP # 1188

#### MESSAGE ~

“Your Welfare”

#### \*SENDING HYMN ~ “God of Grace and God of Glory”

*No. 528*

#### \*BENEDICTION ~

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\*Please stand if able

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS ...

*Please welcome Ted Davenport on the Harp this morning, Ted will provide special music today.*

**Coins for Cause** will be given to the Disciples Mission Fund of the Christian Church (DOC).

Items on the table by the front door are the October **2025 Church Candle**, the “Our Daily Bread” (September, October, November 2025), and the latest Board Meeting Packet.

**Tuesday, October 14<sup>th</sup>** – Board Meeting – 6:00 p.m.

**Wednesday, October 15<sup>th</sup>** – Bible Study Group – 10 a.m.

#### Looking Ahead ...

**Sunday, October 19<sup>th</sup>** – Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time / Sunday School 9:15 a.m. / Worship – 10 a.m. / ECD Council Meeting in Alba – 3:00 p.m.

**Tuesday, October 21<sup>st</sup>** – Seed Faith Circle Dinner-Out at Yanuzzi's Restaurant – 5:30 p.m.

**Wednesday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>** – Bible Study – 10 a.m.

**Sunday, October 26<sup>th</sup>** – Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time / Sunday School – 9:15 a.m. / Worship – 10 a.m. / Celebration Sunday (Bring a snack to share) / Worship Service at Athens Healthcare – 1:30 p.m.

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**Operation Christmas Child** boxes are available in the side vestry. Please return by Sunday, November 16<sup>th</sup>. You can also fill a box online at [samaritanspurse.org/buildonline](http://samaritanspurse.org/buildonline) – for \$30.

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### ***FREE COMMUNITY DINNER ...***

Thursday, October 30<sup>th</sup> from 4 to 5:30 p.m. Our church will be sponsoring the Community Dinner at the Church of the Redeemer on South Wilbur Avenue in Sayre. Three to four volunteers are needed to help serve the meal and provide desserts. Please contact Wendy McKeithan if you are able to serve and/or provide a dessert, at 570-596-4008. Thank you.

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## ***OCTOBER IS “PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH”***

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(Disciples of Christ)



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**Pastor** ..... Rev. Paula Kraus