

WORSHIP CELEBRATION

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 16, 2026

10:00 a.m.

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS ~

PRAISE VIDEO ~ *“Trust in God”* *Elevation Worship*

CALL TO WORSHIP ~ based on Psalm 133 and Psalm 67

L – How very good and pleasant it is when kindred live
together in unity!

**C – May God be gracious to us, bless us, and make his
face to shine upon us**

L – Let the nations be glad and sing for joy

C – Let the peoples praise you, O God.

L – May God continue to bless us;

C – Let all the ends of the earth revere him.

CONGREGATIONAL PRAISE SONG ~

“As the Deer”

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*INVOCATION AND GLORIA PATRI ~

SCRIPTURE #1 – Genesis 45:1-15

SCRIPTURE #2 – Matthew 15:10-28

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MEDITATION ON SCRIPTURE ~

COMMUNION HYMN ~

“We Give Thee but Thine Own”

No. 515

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.

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN ~

“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”

No. 337

SCRIPTURE ~ Isaiah 56:1-8

OT #733 / LP #1118

MESSAGE ~

“Kin-dom”

***SENDING HYMN** ~ *“Fairest Lord Jesus”*

No. 240

*BENEDICTION ~

*Please stand if able

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Items on the table by the front door are the **August 2026** Church Candle, the “Our Daily Bread” (June, July and August 2026) and the latest Board meeting packet.

Tuesday, August 18th – DCF Dinner Meeting at Canoe Camp – 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, August 19th – Finance Committee – 6:00 p.m. in the Board Room.

LOOKING AHEAD ...

Sunday, August 23rd – Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time / Worship – 10 a.m.

Rev. Dr. Thad Allen Regional Minister – will meet with the Search Committee.

Martha's Mission Bin – For the month of August, the Outreach Team is asking for donations of Socks (Ankle high - sizes Small, Medium and Large) for "Kids at Risk."

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

KrispyKreme Donuts ... Please pick up on Friday, August 21st at the church between 3:00 and 5:00 p.m. downstairs.



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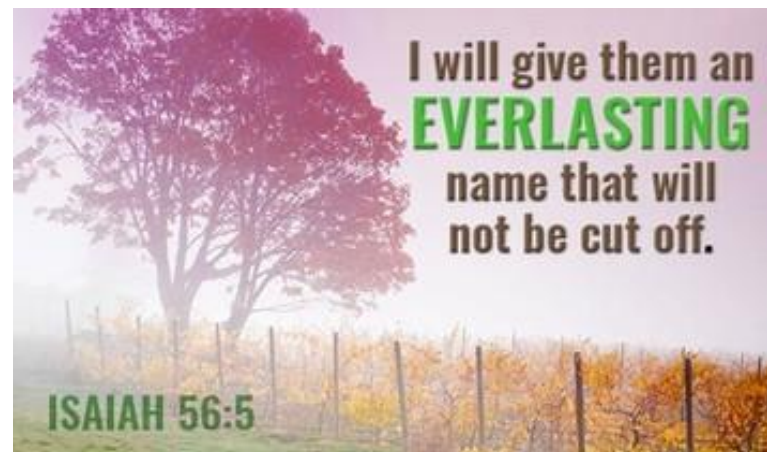
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