

WORSHIP CELEBRATION

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 20, 2026

10:00 a.m.

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS ~

PRAISE VIDEO ~ *"He Will Hold Me Fast"*

Keith and Kristen Getty

CONGREGATIONAL PRAISE SONG ~

"Great Are You Lord"

Slide

*INVOCATION AND GLORIA PATRI ~

SCRIPTURE #1 – Jonah 3:10-4:11

SCRIPTURE #2 – Matthew 20:1-6

Slide

RESPONSIVE READING ~ Philippians 1:21-30

NT #1161 / LP #1768

MESSAGE ~

"Living for Christ"

COMMUNION HYMN ~

"More Love to Thee, O Christ"

No. 476

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 ~

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING ~

SPECIAL MUSIC ~

To be announced

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.

*SENDING HYMN ~ *"Now Thank We All Our God"* No. 525

*BLESSING AND CHARGE ~

L – Today and every day let us praise God's name.

C – Great is the Lord and greatly to be praised.

L – Today we will think on your wondrous works.

C – Today we will proclaim your awesome deeds.

L – Having worshiped in word, prayer, and song, let us go out and continue our worship of God.

Dismissal ~

*Please stand if able

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Items on the table by the front door are the **September 2026** Church Candle, the "Our Daily Bread" (September, October and November 2026), and copies of the Board Minutes.

Tuesday, September 22nd – Seed Faith Circle Dinner-Out at the Drybrook Golf Course and Restaurant (formerly Tomasso's) / 5:30 p.m. (Please let Wendy McKeithan know if you plan on attending.)

Wednesday, September 23rd – Bible Study Group / 1:00 p.m.

LOOKING AHEAD ...

Sunday, September 27th – *Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time* /
Bible Study – 9:15 a.m. / Worship – 10 a.m. / Celebration Sunday
(bring a snack to share) / Worship Service at Athens Healthcare –
1:30 p.m.

Martha's Mission Bin – For the month of September, the Outreach Team is asking for Cat and Dog treats for the Bradford County Humane Society.	Coins for Cause <i>will be given to the Disciples Mission Fund of the Christian Church (DOC).</i>
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SAYRE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

(Disciples of Christ)



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