

9:00 AM - Traditional Worship

RINGING THE BELLS

WELCOME TO WORSHIP Pastor Mary Hurley

OPENING MUSIC Rick Hobbs

*OPENING SONG # 478 (1)
"Jesus Calls Us"

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Come, all who are anxious or burdened. This is a time to experience good news.

People: This is God's house, and we can meet God here. We are brought together in the family of God.

Leader: Come with expectancy and anticipation. God is present to greet you and change your life.

People: We are here to remember the ministry of Jesus. We have come to be equipped for our ministry.

Leader: In our eager waiting, there is fullness of joy. In our preparation for worship, we discover life.

People: Unless God is the shaper of our lives, we live in vain. Unless we view our city as God's own, there is emptiness here.

*THE SONG CONTINUES # 478 (3, 4, 5)
"Jesus Calls Us"

*UNISON INVOCATION

In the security of Your love, Mighty God, it is well with us. Our work is fulfilling, our relationships reflect Your faithfulness, and our ability to trust is strengthened. We are here, seeking an extra measure of reassurance, the restoration of our best selves and the clarification of our responsibilities. You are the builder in whose hands the church can become a community of joy and fulfillment. You keep watch over us, strengthening us to be the church wherever we live and serve. Be known to us now and save all who eagerly await Your word. Amen

*RESPONSE "Gloria Patri"

MORNING PRAYER

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And with you also.

One: Let us pray...

Concluding with *The Lord's Prayer*

Organ Response

ANTHEM

Traditional Choir

"Ask Not for Yourself" (Schram & Davenport)
Kerri Kappler Blanford, flute

DEDICATION OF OUR OFFERINGS AND PLEDGES+

Offertory

*Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

We give in the spirit of Jesus, whose whole life was committed to proclaiming Your love, gracious God. May our lives give evidence that we understand the care and compassion You have for all people, near and far, attractive and offensive, rich and poor. Our offerings today are a token of all the gifts we now invest in the work of Your realm that is forever, with beginnings among us now. Amen.

*SONG OF PREPARATION # 473 (1, 4)
"'Are Ye Able', Said the Master"

SCRIPTURE READING Mark 12: 38-44 (NRSV)

SERMON "THE WIDOW'S MIGHT" Pastor Mary

*SONG OF CELEBRATION # 500 (1, 2, 4)
"I Would Be True"

*BENEDICTION

*RINGING THE BELLS

*CLOSING MUSIC Rick Hobbs

11:00 AM - Discovery Worship

GATHERING MUSIC

"Oh Worship the King"

Gathering Music is your opportunity to enter the sanctuary and prepare yourself for worship. Please respect this time and space.

WELCOME TO WORSHIP Pastor Mary Hurley

*OPENING SONGS
"Love the Lord"
"By Faith"

*OPENING PRAYER

*SHARING OF GOD'S PEACE AND LOVE

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Pastor Mary
Children age 4 to 2nd grade, are invited to go to Room 105 for *Children Worship and Wonder*. Parents are always welcome to visit.
Leader: Linda Hobbs; Greeter: Beth Moreland;
Story: "Exodus"

PRAYER SONG
"God of the Poor"

MORNING PRAYER

OFFERING OUR GIFTS, PLEDGES+ AND MUSIC TO GOD
"You Are My All in All with I Surrender All" (Arr. Pethel)
Melinda Hummel, cello

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

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*CLOSING SONG
"Jesus Messiah"

*SENDING FORTH



+ For your use, a 2019 pledge card is available on the back cover.

Name/s _____ City _____ Zip _____
 Address _____ *Email _____
 Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____
 PLEDGE AMOUNT: Annual \$ _____ Monthly \$ _____ Weekly \$ _____

*Will be used as primary communication method

_____ I/We request offering envelopes for 2019. _____ I/We request a giving statement for 2018.

**ST. PAUL'S
UNITED CHURCH
OF CHRIST**

**Please complete & place this card in the church offering plate
on or before Sunday, November 11, 2018.**

Upcoming Events

Please place in the offering plate upon completion.

Our 89th Annual SAUSAGE SUPPER will take place on Wednesday, November 14th from 5-7 PM.

We could use your help with dishwashing (between 4 and 9 pm) and clean-up (around 7 pm).

Sign-up using this tear-off or at the Hospitality Center or talk to Rick Hobbs in the kitchen. Please & Thank You!

Name _____ will help with ...

dishwasher
 clean-up

What's happening...

- SUNDAY - 11/11**
STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY
 9:00 am Traditional Worship
 9:30 am Praise Singers
 10:00 am Breakfast, Sunday School
 11:00 am Discovery Worship
 12:30 PM JAM Kids/ETSA event @ CMoe
- MONDAY - 11/12**
 8:00 am Head Start
 9:30 am Senior Exercise Class (Parish Hall)
- TUESDAY - 11/13**
 8:00 am Head Start
 8:00 am WW (Parish Hall)
 9:00 am Bible Study
 9:30 am 4C Play & Learn
 3:00 pm Open Gym
 5:15 pm WW (Parish Hall)
- WEDNESDAY - 11/14**
 8:00 am Head Start
 9:30 am Senior Exercise Class (Parish Hall)
 3:00 pm Open Gym
5:00 pm SAUSAGE SUPPER
- THURSDAY - 11/15**
 8:00 am Head Start
 3:00 pm Open Gym
 5:30 pm Women of the Well
 6:00 pm D/E/T Meet
 7:00 pm Council
- FRIDAY - 11/16**
 8:00 am Head Start
 9:30 am Senior Exercise Class
- SATURDAY - 11/17**
 10:00 am *Reclaiming Jesus* with Dick Hamm @ Good Samaritan
- SUNDAY - 11/18**
THANKSGIVING SUNDAY
FOOD PANTRY SUNDAY
 9:00 am Traditional Worship
 9:30 am Praise Singers
 10:00 am Breakfast, Sunday School
 10:00 am Hospitality Donuts
 11:00 am Discovery Worship
 12:00 pm Youth Group

Those who serve...

- Nursery Attendants**
- November 11**
 9:00 am & S.S. Hour
 Stacey Henderson & Janine Koehler
 11:00 am Stacey Henderson
- November 18**
 9:00 am & S.S. Hour
 Stacey Henderson & Theresa Herrenbruck
 11:00 am Stacey Henderson
- Greeters**
- November 11**
 9:00 am Kathy & Larry Vonderahe
 11:00 am Shannon Jackson, Karla Smith
- November 18**
 9:00 am Kookie & Gary Ruminer
 11:00 am Judy Batteiger, Judy Lockhart
- Ushers** **November**
- 9:00 am Bob Dreier, Captain; Louie Buschkill, Don Lindenberg, Rusty Yeager, Jim Geiser, Darlene Dycus
 11:00 am Fred Huck, Tom Huck, Chris Kirwer, Gary Ruminer, Ryan Otilie
- Deacon (offering)** **November**
- 9:00 am Kris Mindrup
 11:00 am Dirck Stahl



Rev. Dr. William J. Wassner, Senior Pastor
 Rev. Mary Hurley, Associate Pastor
 Katie Maurer, Director of Music Ministries
 Rick Hobbs, guest organist
 Karen Daniel, Dirck Stahl, Song Leaders
 Dirck Stahl, guitar; Don Armstrong, bass; Bob Koch, drums

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Stewardship Sunday
November 11, 2018