

If you are a guest with us, welcome! We are glad you are here. Below is some information that may be helpful to you joining us in worship.

Worship Information:

During our service, we have a volunteer staffed Nursery available for children up through Pre-K. You may find it by going downstairs and into the blue room in the corner of the basement. In worship, we will be saying the Lord's Prayer and singing the Doxology. If you do not know the words, please find them below.

The Lord's Prayer

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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

The Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye, Heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

St. Paul's

United Church of Christ



July 30, 2023
10:00 am

ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
7700 Middle Mount Vernon Rd.
Evansville, IN 47712

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

Welcome/Announcements

Prelude

*Call to Worship (based on Psalm 146)

One: Praise the Lord.

Many: Let all who draw breath praise the Lord.

One: Happy are those whose help is from God—
the One who made heaven and earth,
the One who created the seas and all that is in them.

**Many: Happy are those whose hope is in God—
the One who keeps faith forever,
the One who feeds the hungry
and defends the oppressed.**

One: God will reign forever, for all generations.
Praise the Lord!

Many: Let all who draw breath praise the Lord.

*Prayer of Invocation (based on Psalm 146) **(in unison)**

**O God, who lifts us up, sets us free, and watches
over us, visit us this day. Lift our spirits, and free
our minds. Open our eyes and hearts to your
words, your will, and the miracle of your holy
presence, that we may encounter you in the
meeting of friends and in kindness to strangers.
Lift us up, and set us free, O God. Watch over us,
we pray. Amen.**

*Hymn "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" 11

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Silence/Morning Prayer/Lord's Prayer **(in unison)**

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory

*Response "Doxology" 621

*Prayer of Thanksgiving **(in unison)**

**Gracious God, as an expression of our gratitude
for your enduring love, we give you this offering.
May it be used for the benefit of those in need of
physical, emotional, or spiritual sustenance. We
pray through the mighty name of Christ. Amen.**

Special Music "Come Let Us Sing" Choir
(Brown)

Scripture Psalm 146

Sermon "In The Hands of Experts"

*Closing Hymn "Let The Praises Ring" On-Screen

*Benediction

*Postlude

On the cover: Our newest members: Pat and Larry Adams,
Ken, Zoey "Dots," Kenna, and Varner Knodle

() All who are able please stand when noted.*