

Bible Study will meet on Tuesday, October 2, at 6:00 PM. The reading assignment is: Job 1:1; 2:1-10, Job 23:1-9, 16-17; Psalm 26; Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12; Mark 10:2-16.

All are invited to join the weekly **Prayer Group** on Wednesday mornings at 10:00 AM.

Choir rehearsal is Wednesday evenings at 6:00 PM.

Elder – Susan Chambers
Bulletins – Gina Kinney
Nursery – Carson Moore and Claire Moore

WELCOME VISITORS

If you are visiting, we are pleased to have you share in our worship and invite you to consider membership. Please sign an ORANGE visitor's card and then place it in the offering plate. Following the service, the pastor will be happy to speak with you about any concerns. Prayer requests are welcomed by all.



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September 30, 2018

Leader: The Lord be with you.

Stan Webster, Minister

People: And also with you.

Welcome & Concerns of the Congregation

Prelude “Marche Pontificale”

Cheryl Wissmann, Organist

Introit

*Responsive Call to Worship

Psalm 19:7-11

The law of the Lord is perfect, reviving the soul;
the testimony of the Lord is sure, making wise the simple;
the precepts of the Lord are right, rejoicing the heart;
the commandment of the Lord is pure, enlightening the eyes;
the fear of the Lord is clean, enduring for ever;
the ordinances of the Lord are true, and righteous altogether.
More to be desired are they than gold, even much fine gold;
sweeter also than honey and drippings of the honeycomb.
Moreover by them is thy servant warned;
in keeping them there is great reward.

*Hymn “When Morning Gilds the Skies”

Green Hymnbook, #215

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

(By All)

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. In your mercy forgive what we have been, help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. And now, dear Lord, hear the prayers deep within the silence of our hearts

Silent Prayer

Declaration of Forgiveness

* “Glory Be To The Father”

Red Hymnbook, #546

*Apostles’ Creed

Red Hymnbook, page 12

Anthem “The Majesty and Glory of His Name”

Congregational Reading

James 5:13-20

Is any one among you suffering? Let him pray.

Is any cheerful? Let him sing praise.

Is any among you sick?

Let him call for the elders of the church,

and let them pray over him,

anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord;

and the prayer of faith will save the sick man,

and the Lord will raise him up;

and if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven.

Therefore confess your sins to one another,

and pray for one another, that you may be healed.

The prayer of a righteous man has great power in its effects.

Elijah was a man of like nature with ourselves

and he prayed fervently that it might not rain,

and for three years and six months it did not rain on the earth.

Then he prayed again and the heaven gave rain,

and the earth brought forth its fruit.

My brethren, if any one among you wanders from the truth

and some one brings him back,

let him know that whoever brings back a sinner from

the error of his way

**will save his soul from death
and will cover a multitude of sins.**

Minute for Mission

Dean Masters

Young Disciples’ Message

*Hymn “Amazing Grace”

Green Hymnbook, #343

Prayer for Illumination

The Written Word (*Pew Bible page 43*)

Mark 9:38-50

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

The Spoken Word

“Salted With Fire”

Prayer of Supplication & Intercession

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.

Stewardship Invitation

Offertory

*The Doxology

Red Hymnbook, #544

*Prayer of Dedication & Thanksgiving

*Hymn “Be Thou My Vision”

Green Hymnbook, #562

*Benediction

*Congregational Response

(By All)

**Glory to God,
Whose goodness shines on me,
And to the Son,
Whose grace had pardoned me,
And to the Spirit,
Whose love has set me free.
As it was in the beginning
Is now and ever shall be. Amen.**

*Postlude

**Please stand, as you are able.*