

Welcome!

August 27, 2017 +8:30 A.M. +++11:00 A.M.

Liturgist: +Joanne Fox +++ Teresa Purses
Greeters: + Jake and Lynda Lebold +++ Paul Blohm

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lay Leader

PRELUDE

Blessed Assurance
Heather Cooper, organ

Charles Callahan

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

Acolyte

*CALL TO WORSHIP

ONE: Come, let us sing for joy to the LORD;

MANY: Let us shout aloud to the rock of our salvation.

ONE: Come, listen to God.

MANY: Let us learn about how to honor God.

ONE: Do you love life?

MANY: Yes!

ONE: Turn away from evil! Do good!

MANY: Seek peace and go after it!

*HYMN OF INTENTION

“This is the Day of New Beginnings”

No. 383

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Kathy Schmucker, Spiritual Formation Director

COMMISSIONING OF WORSHIP ARTS STAFF & WORSHIP COORDINATORS

Sandy Vaughan, Worship Committee Chair
Cindy Wilcox, Worship Committee Associate Chair and Liturgist Coordinator
Timothy Eck, Worship Arts Coordinator, Carol Choir, Chancel Choir, & Schola Cantorum Director
James Ferguson, Modern Worship Coordinator
Heather Cooper, Organist
Sandy Wallace, Cherub Choir Director & Keyboardist
Jody Lindower, Celebration Bells Director
Dennis Sarver, Harmonia Sacra Brass Director
Sue Bell, Modern Worship Space Design
Maribeth Wilmer and Ann Dixon, Sanctuary Altar Guild
Dave Shilling, Liturgist Coordinator
Joanne Fox and Carol Pierpont, Greeter Coordinators
Shelly Pellegrini, Modern Worship Communion Coordinator
Dale Holwick, Mark Amiet, Dave Pellegrini, Usher Coordinators
Pam Honnold Wedding Coordinator
Patti Deems, Funeral Coordinator

OFFERING & OFFERTORY

Ponteio

Celso Machado

Joanne Fox, hammered dulcimer and Michael Curtis, classical guitar

*DOXOLOGY

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

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON

1 Kings 3:5-12

COMMISSIONING OF YOUTH MINISTRY LEADERS

Amy Smith, Scott Sigman, Youth Ministry Team Leaders
Scott Sigman, Mission Trip Coordinator
Confirmation Leadership Team
Amy Ferguson, Scott Sigman, Sunday School
Philip Bell, Kevin Crowl, Rama Reese, Pam Wig, James Ferguson, Scott Sigman, Small Group Leaders
Jaime Paz, Darin Hinderer, & Greg Blondheim, Game Coordinators
James Ferguson, Youth Worship Leader
Amy Ferguson, Youth Ministry Director

SPECIAL MUSIC

Gymnopédie No.1

Erik Satie

Joanne Fox, hammered dulcimer and Michael Curtis, classical guitar

COMMISSIONING OF SPIRITUAL FORMATION STAFF & COORDINATORS

Gary Jones & Pam Wig, Spiritual Formation Ministry Team Co-Leaders
Sue Schillings & Bethany Sedziol, Spiritual Formation Ministry Team Associate Co-Leaders
Betsy Gorrell, Donna McDaniels, Nancy Share, Library & Media Center Coordinators
Janet Stewart, Resource Coordinator
Joni Hendricks, Children's Sunday School Coordinator
John Hartzell, Wednesday Night Dinner Meal Team Coordinator
Gary Jones & Bethany Sedziol, Wednesday Night Wonder Kids Coordinators
Lorrie Goss & Amy Lowdermilk, Friday Night Out Coordinators
Kristin Krach, Nursery & Childcare Coordinator
Michaela Finefrock, Emily Jacobs, Amy Lowdermilk,
Katelyn Crawford, and Danielle Spak, Childcare Providers
Pam Wig, Spiritual Practices & Resources Coordinator, Emmaus & Retreats
Estela Reynolds, Young Adult Coordinator
Bob Kuchner, Laura Luikart, Sue Schilling, Adult Faith Formation Coordinators
Rita Backhurst & Lorrie Goss, Prayer Partners
Bethany Sedziol, Amy Lowdermilk, Patti Deems, Gary Jones, Pam Wig,
Janet Stewart, Sarah Jones, Messy Church Coordinators
Kathy Schmucker, Spiritual Formation Director

**Please stand in spirit and body*

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SHARING STORIES OF GOD AT WORK IN OUR LIVES
WORSHIP & WORSHIP ARTS, SPIRITUAL FORMATION, & YOUTH MINISTRY PRAYER
SILENT PRAYER, PASTORAL PRAYER, AND 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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom and the power and glory forever. Amen.*

EPISTLE LESSON Romans 8:28-39

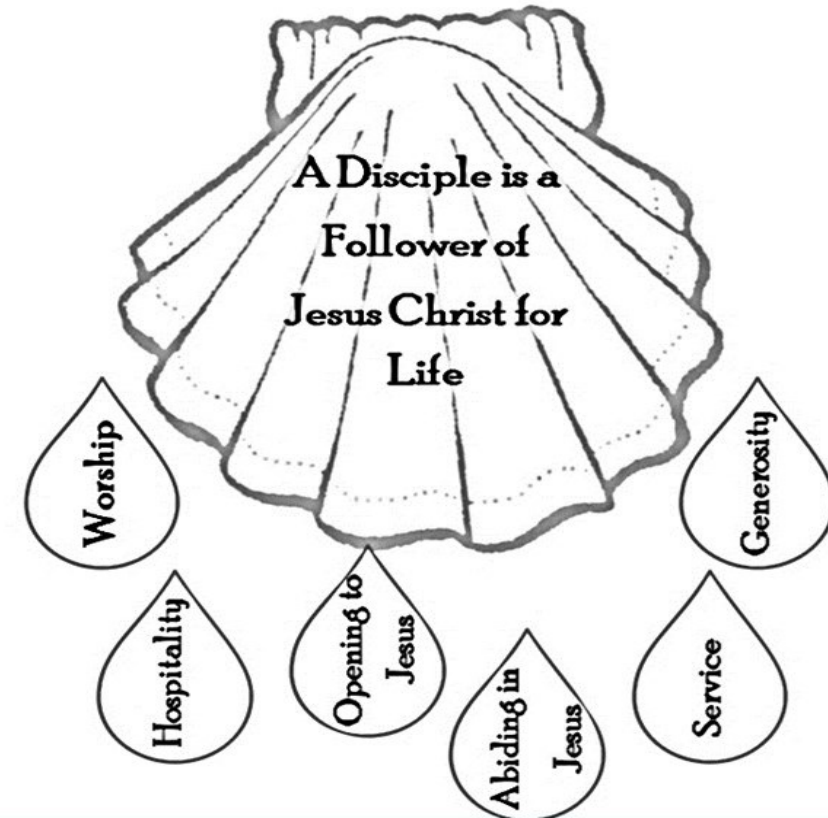
SERMON Discipleship Journey Worship Series: A Life of Worship
Work Together
Rev. Cara Stultz Costello

*HYMN OF MISSION "Here I Am, Lord" No. 593

*BENEDICTION

*CHRIST'S LIGHT TO THE WORLD Acolyte

*POSTLUDE *Hymn to Joy* Michael Burkhardt
Heather Cooper, organ



Kick Off Sunday August 27, 2017 *A Life of Worship*

*Today's altar flowers are given by Mike and Denny Fletcher
In celebration of their 51st wedding anniversary.*

*Today's altar flowers are given by Jack and Paulette Baker
In celebration of their 49th wedding anniversary.*

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