

WELCOME

+8:30am +++11:00am

Liturgists: +Steven Wilder +++Sam Meister

Greeters: +Kim and Bonnie Reynolds +++John & Betty Brideweser

WELCOME and ANNOUCEMENTS

PRELUDE *"Allemande" from Suite No. 5 in G Major* J. S. Bach
Heather Cooper, pianist

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST Acolyte

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: *God, Your Word says that it is more blessed to give than to receive.*

Many: **Help us to trust You more fully, so we can bless Your kingdom.**

One: *God, Your Word says that we are to give joyfully.*

Many: **Help us to understand that Your joy is our strength.**

One: *God, Your Word tells us that where we put our treasure will indicate the desire of our heart.*

Many: **Help us to have a heart that seeks after You.**

All: **Take delight in the Lord, and He will give you the desires of your heart.** (Psalm 37:4)

*HYMN OF CELEBRATION *Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart* UMH 160
vs. 1, 2, 5

+++CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Kathy Schmucker

STEWARDSHIP FAITH STORY Tom Strauch

OFFERING AND OFFERTORY *"Sarabande" from Suite No. 5 in G Major* J. S. Bach
Heather Cooper, pianist

*DOXOLOGY

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

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON James 1:12-18

ANTHEM *At The River* Aaron Copland
+Chancel Choir +++Schola Cantorum Heather Cooper, pianist

WELCOME OF NEW MEMBERS

SHARING STORIES OF GOD AT WORK IN OUR LIVES

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.*

CHORAL RESPONSE *I Sought The Lord(Psalm 34)*
+Chancel Choir +++Schola Cantorum

HYMN OF SURRENDER *I Surrender All* UMH 354
vs. 1,3,4

SCRIPTURE LESSON Philipians 3:1, 4b-14
SERMON *Lessons From Paul*
Reverend Steve Stultz Costello

DEDICATION OF COMMITMENT CARDS

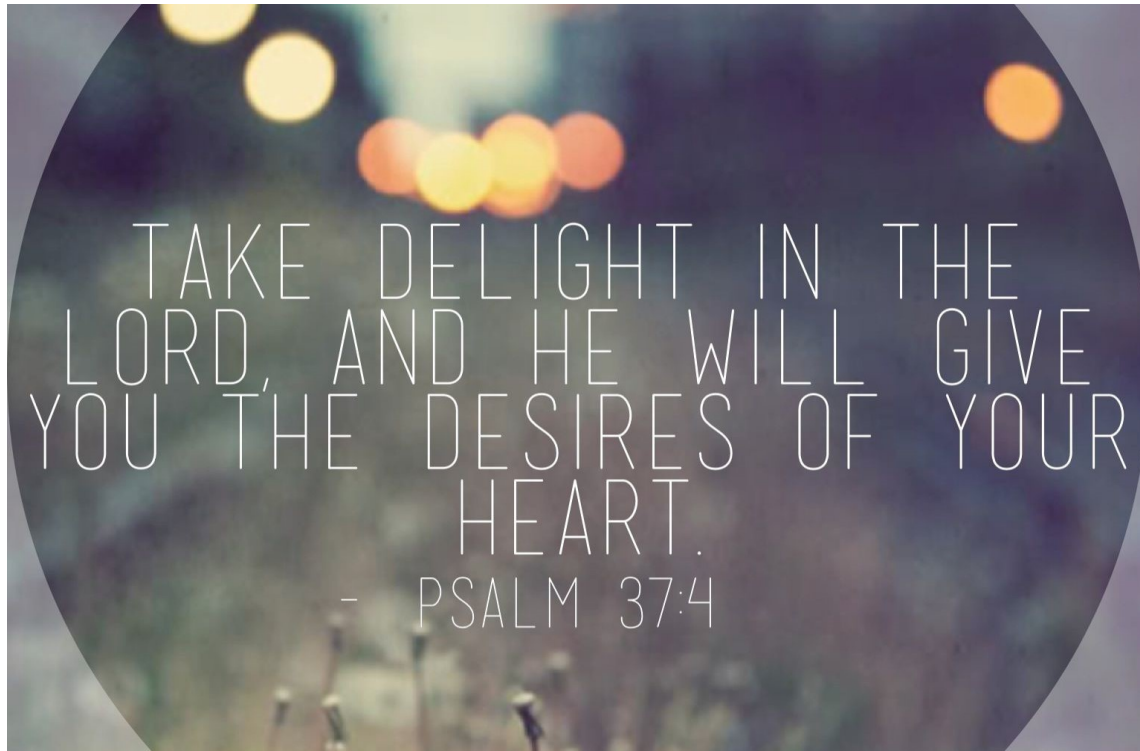
*HYMN OF DEDICATION *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* UMH 140

*HYMN OF MISSION *My Faith Looks Up To Thee* UMH 452
vs. 1, 2, 4

*BENEDICTION

*CHRIST'S LIGHT TO THE WORLD Acolyte

*POSTLUDE *Toccata in B minor* Eugene Gigout
Heather Cooper, organ



*Living and Giving
in
Gratitude*

Lessons From Paul

October 28, 2018

Today's Altar Flowers

*Given by Leonard and Barbara Terlizzi
in Memory of the Terlizzi's Grandsons*

Worship Services: Sundays at 8:30 am, 9:45 am & 11:00 am

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