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We are a community of faith, who welcomes ALL people. We believe that the love of Jesus <u>was</u>, and <u>is</u>, radically inclusive. We desire for you to find this sanctuary and church to be a safe place, full of love and grace.

Thank you for filling out the enclosed Connection Card and placing it in the offering plate during offering time.

September 24, 2023 - Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

(\*Those who are able, please stand.) (Bold face type – parts we all speak or sing.)

# **GATHERING & CENTERING TIME**

**OPENING MUSIC** 

"Prelude on Take Time to Be Holy"

WELCOME Rev. Lisa Petty

#### \*CALL TO WORSHIP:

Lord, you call us to be awake and alert,

To your teachings and the moving of the Holy Spirit.

We sometimes get complacent,

We get comfortable in the status quo.

So, nudge us again, make sure we are paying attention,

In order to learn and to grow.

That we will know the direction Christ is leading us,

In this one hour, AND in this life.

This is the day that the Lord has made;

Let us Rejoice and be glad in it!

\*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

\*SONG "Take Time to Be Holy" UMH #395

**RECEIVING NEW MEMBERS** 

# CHILDREN'S TIME

SONG "Where Children Belong" TFWS #2233
MYSTERY BOX

(Children & adults are welcome to come forward. Childcare for children 2 years and under is available in the Nursery.)

MUSIC MINISTRY

"I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes"

by Gordon Young

Chancel Choir, Dir. Logan Bingham

# **OFFERING OUR PRAYERS, GIFTS & TITHES**

\*INVITATION TO PRAYER "Lord Listen to Your Children Praying"

**TFWS #2193** 

SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER

Rev. Bruce Kolasch

#### 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 the glory forever. Amen.

#### **INVITATION TO OFFERING**

**OFFERING OPTIONS:** QR Code to Give: Use the QR code. <u>Text to Give:</u> Text dollar amount to 801-317-8833 and follow the prompts.

MUSIC MINISTRY "Wake Up My Soul"

by Greg de Blieck

Mike Hampton, soloist

#### \*OFFERING RESPONSE SONG

On Screen

RECEIVING TIME

SCRIPTURE READING Acts 20:7-12

SERMON "Sleeping Beauty: Lessons on Falling Asleep in Church" Rev. Lisa Petty Series: The Bible You Thought You Knew

# **SENDING TIME**

\*SENDING SONG "Christ Beside Me"

**TFWS #2166** 

WAYS TO ENGAGE THIS WEEK

\*BENEDICTION

CLOSING MUSIC "Sleepers Wake, a Voice is Calling, BWV645"

by J.S. Bach

# Christ UMC - TODAY's Events

8:00 am - Chapel Worship Service, Chapel

8:30 am - Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Music Room

9:00 am - Adult Sunday School, Chapel

9:30 am - Fellowship/Coffee Time, Hallway

10:00 am - Worship in the Sanctuary

Children's Sunday School, (children will start in worship)

11:00 am – Fellowship/Coffee Time, Hallway

11:15 am – Asbury Rehearsal, Music Room

11:15 am - Social Justice Luncheon, Gym

5:00 pm - Wesley Bell Ringers Rehearsal, Music Room

# Christ UMC Events This Week: Sep. 25 – Oct. 1

Monday: 1:00 pm United Women in Faith Book Club, Parlor

7:00 pm Sloe Jam, Music Room \*Newcomers welcome

**Tuesday:** 7:30 pm Wesley Bell Ringers Rehearsal, Music Room **Wednesday:** 10:00 am Wednesday Morning Study Group, Parlor

Thursday: 7:30 pm apPRAISEation Rehearsal, Music Room

**Sunday: Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost** 

8:00 am Chapel Service

8:30 am Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Music Room

9:00 am Adult Sunday School, Chapel 9:30 am Fellowship/Coffee Time, Hallway

10:00 am Worship in the Sanctuary & Children's Sunday School

11:00 am Fellowship/Coffee Time, Hallway 11:15 am Asbury Rehearsal, Music Room

5:00 pm Wesley Bell Ringers Rehearsal, Music Room

# THOSE SERVING IN WORSHIP

Pastor Rev. Lisa Petty

Children's Ministry Alicia Griffing & Alicia Simons

Organist Shelby Fisher

Media Barrett Carpenter & Shannon Meyer

Liturgist Mike Hampton



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The Back Pew - Jeff Larson



Eutychus fell asleep while listening to Paul preach fell 2 floors to his death. BUT recovered becoming the patron saint for those who sleep in church.

Acts 20:9-12

Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

September 24, 2023 - 10:00 Worship

Pastors, Rev. Lisa Petty & Rev. Bruce Kolasch

"Creating and promoting a faith that is thoughtful, compassionate and inclusive"