

Hearing God's Call to Become Community

Prelude "Here I Am to Worship" **Mary Schaumberg**

Welcome and Announcements **David Dellinger**

Special Music: "Image of God" **Damon Dennis, Tony & Anthony Juarez**

Group Picture

History of Our Church **Chris Niebrugge**

***Congregational Hymn:** "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" # 86

1. Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father, there is no shadow of turning with thee; thou changest not, thy compassions, they fail not; as thou hast been thou forever wilt be.

Refrain: Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new Mercies I see; all I have needed thy hand hath provided. Great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

2. Summer and winter and springtime and harvest; sun, moon, and stars in their courses above; join with all nature in manifold witness; to thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love. (Refrain)

3. Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth; thy own dear presence to cheer and to Guide; strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow; blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! (Refrain)

Seeking God's Mercy and Pardon

***Responsive Call to Worship** Sue Raines # 766

Psalms 146

L: Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord, O my Soul!

C: I will praise the Lord as long as I live; I will sing praises to my God all my life long.

L: Do not put your trust in rulers, in mortals, in whom there is no help.

C: When their breath departs, they return to the earth; on that very day their plans perish.

L: Happy are those whose help is the God of Jacob, whose hope is in the LORD their God,

C: who made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them; who keeps faith forever;

L: who executes justice for the oppressed; who gives food to the hungry. The LORD sets the prisoners free;

C: the LORD opens the eyes of the blind. The LORD lifts up those who are bowed down; the LORD loves the righteous.

L: The LORD watches over the strangers; he upholds the orphan and the widow, but the way of the wicked he brings to ruin.

ALL: The LORD will reign forever, your God, O Zion, for all generations. Praise the LORD!

Proclaiming and Hearing the Word

Children's Message Rev. Deana Perdue

Text *Matthew 28: 16-20* Sue Raines (NIV)

Message "A Long Obedience in the Same Direction" Rev. Schwartz

Time for Giving

Call for Our Offerings Jim Ward

Doxology "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" #46

Prayer of Dedication

Receiving the Visible and Tangible Signs of God's Grace

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Congregational/Pastoral Prayer

Communion Meditation and Invitation Jim Ward

****Please take communion during "Communion Music"**

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

Communion Music: "Nothing But the Blood" (SHR) #43

Departing to Serve Where God Leads

Special Music: "How Great Thou Art" **Damon Dennis, Tony & Anthony Juarez**

***Benediction** and prayer for meal Rev. Schwartz

Postlude "I Will Sing of the Mercies of the Lord" # 87

September 25, 2022

Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost
Liturgical Color: Green

Matthew 28:16-20 (NIV)

¹⁶ Then the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had told them to go. ¹⁷ When they saw him, they worshiped him, but some doubted. ¹⁸ Then Jesus came to them and said, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹ Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit ²⁰ and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.”

L: These are Words from the Lord

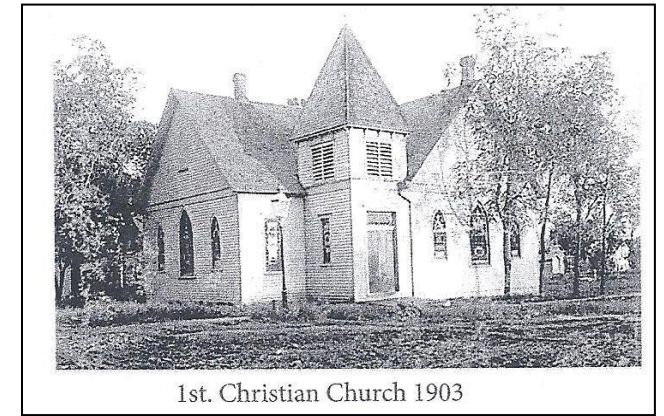
P: Thanks be to God!

JOIN US FOR LUNCH OUTSIDE BEHIND THE CHURCH

MENU

Fried Chicken Dinner (2 pieces)
Potato Salad
Coleslaw

Seating is available outside at tables and picnic tables



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Sunday, September 25, 2022 10:30a.m.

150th Celebration 1872-2022