Our Mission -A family of God growing in Christ, empowered to serve -

Worship September 20, 2020 8:30 a.m.

"Very truly, I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God without being born from above."

Jesus

Gathering Together

Prelude God of Grace & God of Glory arr. C. Hamlin

Centering

Pastor: If then there is any encouragement in Christ, if any

consolation of love, if any fellowship with the Spirit, if any affection and mercy, fulfill my joy by thinking the same way, having the same love, sharing the

same feelings, focusing on one goal.

Church: Do nothing out of rivalry or conceit, but in humility consider others as more important than yourselves. Everyone should look out not only for their own interests. but also for the interests

of others.

Pastor: Dear friends, let us love one another, because love

is from God, and everyone who loves has been born

of God and knows God.

Church: Love consists in this: not that we loved God, but that He loved us and sent His Son to accept the

punishment for our sins.

Prayer

There's a sweet, sweet spirit in this place, And I know that it's the spirit of the Lord. There are sweet expressions on each face, And I know that it's the presence of the Lord.

Sweet Holy Spirit, Sweet Heavenly Dove, You're right here with us filling us with Your love. And for these blessings we lift our hearts in praise. Without a doubt we'll know that we have been revived When we shall leave this place. Welcome

Informal Moments for Sharing

Testimony in Music A Servant in His House Men's Group

arr. Marty Hamby

Teaching John 13:1-17 GNT

Meditation Born Again Pastor Joel

Introduction of New Members

Vows/Reaffirmation of Faith Linda Ross; Robert and Laura Shank; Vivian Statler

Prayer

Presentation to Those Being Baptized Loretta Funk; Donna Russell

*Preparation Hymns

O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee Spirit of the Living God

The Service of Baptism

Benediction

*Postlude Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

arr. C. Hamlin

<u>Ushers</u> David McCleary, Donald Lehman Eugene Hawbaker and Jerry Moore

Thank you to all who serve us in worship today:

Organist Pamela Wert Music Leadership Elizabeth Thorpe

PERK Worship 10:45am

Praise God through song and dance for he is worthy of our praise!

Psalm 150:1-2, 6

Praise the Lord. Praise God in his sanctuary; praise him in his mighty heavens...Let everything that has breath praise the Lord.

Engage in worship through different styles of prayer, skits, videos, and offering.

Matthew 7:7-8

Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock and it will be opened to you.

Reflect on the living Word and how it speaks to your life.

Psalm 119:105

Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.

Koinonia: Spend time in community with fellow believers.

Romans 12:4-5

For as in one body we have many members and the members do not all have the same function, so we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another.

Thank you to all who serve us in worship today:

Music Leaders Praise Team

Please take Note

It is time for us to regather our Adult Sunday School Class. This will begin today at 9:30-10:30am in the Sanctuary. There will only be one class at this time. We ask you to keep the current guidelines that are in place during our normal worship services.

Congratulations to Khris and Ashlynn Horst who were married on Saturday, September 12 at Centrebrook Farm in Willow Hill. Khris is the son of Dennis and Tina Horst and the grandson on Don and Louise Blattenberger.

Our deepest sympathy is extended to Robert Shank and family. Bob's father, William (Bill) Shank went to the Lord last Sunday, September 13th.

Pastor Joel's Bible Study on Revelation begins this Wednesday, September 23rd at 6:30 p.m. on ZOOM.

The Black and Blush Boutique fundraiser for Smart Cookies Preschool held September 11, 2020 amounted to \$227.00 in proceeds. Thank you all for shopping that day and helping the Smart Cookies Preschool!

Smart Cookies Chicken BBQ on Saturday, September 26, 2020. Sales begin at 10:30 a.m. in the Parking lot of Super Shoe, L.W.E., Chambersburg, PA. All ticket orders MUST be picked up by 1:00 p.m. Cost: Whole Meal = \$11.00; Half chicken—No Sides = \$10.00. Tickets are available today in the Narthex and Brethren Life Center Lobby area. Apple Dumplings will also be available for purchase!

Smart Cookies Preschool Committee will meet on Monday, September 28, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. in the Mini-Fellowship Hall.

Worship and Music Commissions will meet on Tuesday, September 29, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. via zoom.

Love Feast & Communion – The Deacons have unanimously agreed that Love Feast is too soon to be held given the COVID situation. Therefore, two services will be held as usual on Sunday, October 4, 2020 with pew communion being held at both 8:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. service.

The Helping Hands Circle met on Tuesday, September 15th and regrets to inform the church that no Christmas candy will be made this year due to COVID. We hope to be able to return to candy making in 2021; so save your orders until then!

CROP Walk is the main hunger relief fundraiser of Church World Service. Its mission is to help feed the millions upon millions of hungry people throughout the world. **However, because of COVID, there will be NO Chambersburg community CROP Walk this year.** Instead, we will be collecting donations to help CROP in their time-tested efforts to feed the hungry. Please be an advocate of CROP because it is so vital in the fight against hunger. Donations can be made directly online webwalk@crophungerwalk.org or by making checks payable to CWS/CROP and dropping it by the church office, dropping it in the offering plate, or mailing to Solomon's UCC, 1594 Swamp Fox Road, Chambersburg, 17202.

September 13, 2020 U.B. = Unified Budget) Worship – 123 Sunday School – 0 **Church Closing Schedule –** September – Judy Witter; October – Rick Shreiner

NETwork Ministries could use your help: Chambersburg schools have shifted - at least for the beginning of the school year - to a virtual model where students receive instruction from our local teachers and with their usual classmates, but entirely online. We are in need of volunteers, starting now. If you know folks looking to serve kids with the school effort, we have kids at NETwork every day. Students have needed a good level of support, so we could use extra hands. Monday-Friday, 8:30-4:00 is when we're open at 419 Hollywell Ave. in Chambersburg. We'd appreciate help whenever it works for folks, but we're especially asking volunteers to consider serving for one or both shifts each day: 8:30-12:00 and/or 12:30-4:00. Our goal is to have 5 volunteers serve during each slot of time, with 50 slots total each week. If interested, please contact Benjamin Raber, Executive Director, 419 Hollywell Ave. + 10 Redwood St., Chambersburg, PA 17201 at 717-264-4640 or email at networkchambersburg@gmail.com.

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Director of Christian Ed and Youth: Jamie Rhodes
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Sunday Worship — 8:30 AM * PERK — 10:45 AM
Sunday School — 9:35 AM

Office Hours 8:00 AM — 3:30 PM - Monday — Friday — Lunch 12:30 — 1:00 p.m.
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