

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Four Oaks United Methodist Church

October 17, 2021

11am

*(Large-print bibles/hymnals are available;
an usher can help you with these items.)*

Gathering

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude

Call to Worship

L: Servants of God, lift up your heads!

All: That the Lord of life may behold our eyes!

L: Servants of God, lift up your hands!

All: That the Lord of life may bless our work!

L: Servants of God, lift up your hearts!

All: That the Lord of life may abide within!

The Opening Prayer (*The Prayer of St. Francis*)

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace: where there is hatred, let me sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy.

O divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console, to be understood as to understand, to be loved as to love. For it is in giving that we receive, it is pardoning that we are pardoned, and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.

Opening Hymn, No. 152 *“I Sing The Almighty Power of God”*

*(Children age 4 - 2nd grade are invited downstairs for Children’s Church.
Parents, please pick up your children downstairs following worship.)*

Proclamation of the Word

First Scripture Reading

Psalm 104:1-9

Primary Scripture Reading

Mark 10:35-45

Sermon

“To Sit With Jesus”

Rev. Adam Charville

Response to the Word

The Apostles’ Creed, No. 881

Sharing of Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer

Offertory

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Closing Hymn, No.530

“Are Ye Able”

Sending Forth

Benediction

The End of Worship

The Beginning of Service

Assisting in Worship

Greeters: Lois Creech & Judy Shaw

Ushers: Carmen & Mike Dunn

Children’s Church: Debbie Massengill

Nursery: Deedee Mizner & Anita Stephenson

Sound/Video: Emily Kirsch, Nick Kirsch,

Dodd Matthews, Mike Smith

Last Week’s Attendance: Sunday School: 30, Worship: 112

Last Week’s Offering: General Fund: \$3,182 (Need \$4,575 each Sunday);

Building Our Future: \$576

Cares of the Congregation

Diane Austin, Scott Barnes, Gertrud Beaver, TJ Beroth, Cheryl & Bill Brent, Albert Brewer, Donald Caudill, Dave Doherty, Rev. Al Hocutt, Donna Honeycutt, Pete Lassiter, Darlene Massengill, Kristie O’Neal, Tonya Parker, Barbara Rhodes, Barbara Stephenson, Tim Westbrook

Nursing & Rest Home Care: Betty Barber (Brookdale), Hilda Dunn (Liberty Commons), Mike Wagon (McLamb’s)

Opportunities This Week

Today: 12:30pm, Staff-Parish & Returning Team Meeting (*FH*)

2:30pm, Youth to leave for hiking at Raven Rock State Park

Wednesday: 6:30pm, Charge Conference (*Zoom*)

Next Sunday: 9:45am, Sunday School (*Classes for all ages*)

11 am, Worship

5pm, Youth Group (*Fellowship Hall*)

6pm, Youth Council Meeting (*Fellowship Hall*)

Announcements & Upcoming Events

- Charge Conference: Wed, Oct. 20, 6:30pm (Zoom) - Administrative Council members are expected to attend; all are invited.
- Country Store & Yard Sale - Nov. 5 & 6 - Please spread the word and sign up to help on the sheet in the sanctuary entrance. Baked/canned goods, crafts, yard sale items, and helping hands will be needed.
- All Saints Sunday Candle Burning - Nov. 7 - If you would like to have the name of a departed saint in your life listed, please fill out the form in the sanctuary entrance or on the church website and submit to a UMW member. Cost: \$5/name (*proceeds go to the Building Fund*)
- Candy Project for Local Healthcare Workers - Through Nov. 7, we'll be collecting candy to offer with thank-you cards to local healthcare workers in partnership with JoCo Emergency Management. All are invited to bring any of the following items and place them in the bin at the sanctuary entrance:
 - Rolls** - Lifesavers, mints
 - Packs** - Extra Gum, Dots, Sweet Tarts, Reese's Pieces, Starburst, M&Ms, Tootsie Rolls
 - Pops** - Blow Pops, Tootsie Roll pops
 - Bars** - Take 5, Reese's, Mounds, 100 Grand, Kind, Health Warrior, Perfect, Rx Bar
- Directory Updates - Remember to check your church directory information. For updates or corrections, please contact Toni Langley: carolangs7174@aol.com.
- Grocery Item of the Month: Bag of rice. Please place items in bin at sanctuary entrance.