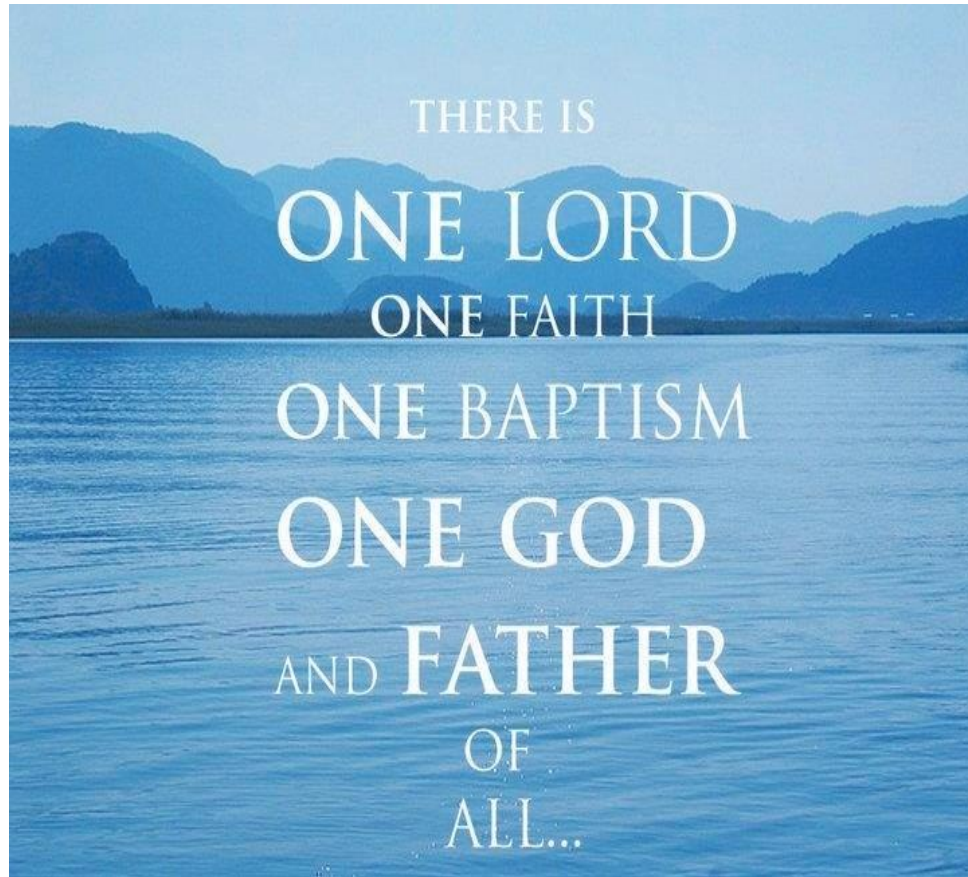


Liturgist: Samantha Howlett

Suggested Readings for June 9, 2024

**1 Samuel 8:4-20; Genesis 3:8-15; Psalm 138;
2 Corinthians 4:13-5-1; Mark 3:20-35**

- **In-person Attendance Last Week: 50**
- **Sunday School Attendance Last Week: 18**



***Ministers: All professing members of Locust Grove GMC
Pastor: Rev. Booker D. Brown, Jr.***



Welcome Guest! We are happy you have chosen to worship with us. Today we celebrate the Baptism of Annie Leigh White.

Locust Grove Global Methodist Church

Sunday School for all ages, 10:00 AM

Worship, 11:00 AM

Second Sunday After Pentecost

June 2, 2024

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(*Please Stand as You Are Able)

ENTERING INTO WORSHIP

GATHERING

PRELUDE

* PRAISE SONG

WORDS OF WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS:

*CALL TO WORSHIP: *(Responsive Reading)*

L: Some boast of their cars, their boats, and their mansions,

P: but we boast of the name of the Lord of host.

L: Do not be impressed by the outward appearance of a person,

P: for God does not see like we do but looks into our heart.

L: If anyone travels with Christ, there is a new creation,

P: old things are obsolete, all things become new.

All: Come, let us worship this God who looks into the human heart and through Christ Jesus make all things new.

*OPENING PRAYER *(In Unison)*

Loving God, you are the source of all creation. Maker of the world and everything in it, you are never far from each one of us. Remind us again on this day that our very identity is dependent on your abiding Grace and Mercy. Reveal yourself to us; dwell with us; and abide in us, today and forever. In the power of the Holy Spirit, we pray. Amen

JOYS AND CONCERNS OF GOD'S PEOPLE

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

#895, Hymnal

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

CHILDREN'S TIME

Pastor Booker

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Pastor Booker

SCRIPTURE READING

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON *(Pg. 788)*

Psalm 20

GOSPEL LESSON *(Pg. 1527)*

Mark 4:1-20

SERMON

"Good Soil"

Pastor Booker

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM

Annie Leigh White

(Selected Sections), pages 39-43, Hymnal

* CLOSING HYMN

"This Little Light of Mine"

#585, Hymnal

GOING FORTH FOLLOWING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

*CLOSING PRAYER

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE