



Brandon Christian Church
(Disciples of Christ)

Flock Talk

September 20, 2020



Sixteenth Sunday After Pentecost

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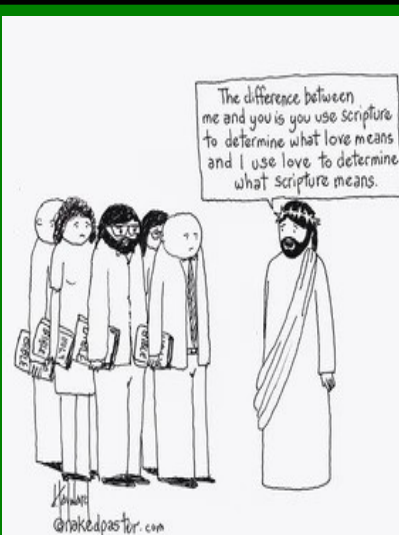
Today's Scriptures & Message:

Liturgist: Lonnie Drayer
Psalm: Psalm 105:1-6, 37-45
Gospel: Matthew 20:1-16

Senior Minister—Rev. Day Broers-Case
Sermon: "God is at Work in You (Loving)"
Sermon Text: Philippians 2:1-13

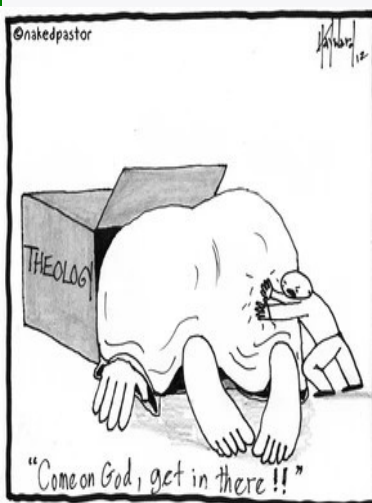
Serving in Today's Worship

Elders: Britt Failes, Jo Henkel
Music Director: Rick Barclay
Audio/Video: Art Konnerth, Tom Smiley
Worship & Wonder: Amy Witherow, Andrea McMillon



Sunday Funnies:

To bring a little levity during this difficult time, this space will be featuring light-hearted church humor. Hopefully we can bring you a chuckle.



In essentials, unity.
In non-essentials, liberty.
In all things, love!

Praise Reports

Thank you so much to Betty Dawson for helping with the Kudzu, if you wanted to help but didn't get a chance to, God has provided us with plenty more that has to be removed also, as well as bushes that need trimming back!

Steven Blinder excitedly reports that he has been elected to serve on the council of the Disciples LGBTQ+ Alliance!

God is Great, All the Time!!

Our Identity

We are Disciples of Christ, a movement for wholeness in a fragmented world. As part of the one body of Christ, we welcome all to the Lord's Table as God has welcomed us.

Disciples of Christ Identity Statement

Prayer Needs...



DAWSON, Kathy (Betty) ++
GOEHRIG, Kevin++
ATKINS, Lorie (Ashley Gerace)
ATKINS, Tim (Ashley Gerace)
BARCLAY, Family
BAUCH, Scott & Pam (Failes)
BENNETT, Adam (Benitez)
BENNICK, Patty and her 3 daughters (Diane)
BUNCH, Keith (Ashley Gerace)
BUTTERWECK, Chris and Jamie
CABRERA, Paquita
CASE, Sharon (Rev. Day)
CHRISTIAN, Pastor Tina
COLLINS, Rev. James (Rev Day)
DENTON, Bill
DIGREGORIO, Robyn
DUPONT, Andy (Kathy M.)
ECKDAHL, Kathy
FAILES FAMILY
FUERST, Jacob (Drayer)
GAINES, Matthew (DiGregorio)

GOODRUM, Steve (Mary Ann's brother)
GIBERSON, Milton (Tom) & Joan
HALL, Lori (Jean U.)
HAYES, April (Ashley Gerace)
HAYES, Gary (Ashley Gerace)
HUSKEY, Joshua (Powell)
JANELLE, Laurie (Deb B.)
LINDQUIST, Brian (Ashley Gerace)
MASON, Evelyn
McKINLEY, Sarah Lynn (Denton)
MCMILLON, Florence (Andrea's Mother)
MCMILLON, Andrea
MICHAEL, (Jo H.)
MILLER, Brooke (Blinder)
MOJICA, Nelda (Betty C.'s Mom)
MOJICA, Ruthie (Betty C's Sister)
PAULSON, Diane
PETERSON, John (JP)
RIENSCHKE, Nancy
RODGERS, Cheryl (Benitez)

SCRIMA, Jon (Butterweck)
SKASKO, Family
SINGLETON, Carol
SMITH, Dee (Sherman)
SMITH, Tim
STUEBER, Susan (Solomon)
UPTON, Dallas (Jean)
VELEZ, Fernando (Elizabeth)
WALKER, Jerry (Joan Solomon)
WATSON, Sandy
WATSON, Tom
WHITFIELD, Bob
WILKINSON, Rick (Deb B.)

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Please also pray for all those affected by Covid-19, our first responders, medical care professionals, and those out on the front lines to protect us.

During this time of unprecedented civil unrest across the nation, please pray for peace, understanding, and unity in America and around the world.

One Shepherd's Thoughts...



Sharing Abundance

O Creator of all living things: We are all hungry in a world full of abundance. The possibilities of food for bodies and souls overflow in this beautiful world.

We ask for the grace to see the abundance of our world and enough awareness to acknowledge our sins of greed and fear. Give us openness of soul and courageous, willing hearts to be with our sisters and brothers who are hungry and in pain. We ask for your intercession on behalf of every person hungry for earthly food and hungry for the taste of the Spirit of God. We give thanks that we can be part of that intercession. This world is blessed with enough food of the earth for every person to eat and be satisfied.

We all can feed on the bread of Christ, through the Holy Spirit, as God makes a home in our hearts.

We come together in awe and wonder at the Creator who loves us so much that we are invited and urged to be co-creators with God in the care of our brothers and sisters. In the name of the tender Mother-Father of all people who hears every cry, Amen.

--Ann Case

God IS with us,
Rev Day



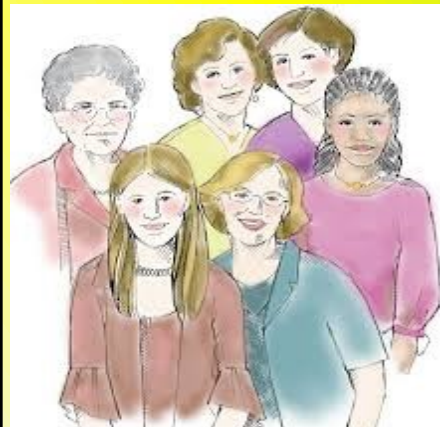
Society of St. Andrew

GLEANNING AMERICA'S FIELDS ~ FEEDING AMERICA'S HUNGRY



Today, we ask that you skip one meal to get a glimpse of what our hungry neighbors regularly experience. Pray for the people in your immediate area who cannot provide their own next meal and visit a food bank that is serving them. Setting aside a small amount of money to further the Society of St. Andrew's work, putting healthy food on the tables of hungry people.

September 20	September 21	September 22	September 23	September 24	September 25	September 26
Luke 14:15-24	John 6:1-14	John 6:22-34	John 6:35-40	Acts 2:43-47	Romans 14:1-9	1 Corinthians 10:23-31
Is there an area of your life in which you are refusing God's invitation?	Skip lunch today and give the money you'd have spent to Society of St. Andrew instead.	How are you working for the food that endures for eternal life?	Give thanks today for Jesus, the Bread of Life.	Consider how your faith community could be more like the Acts 2 community.	Try a new food from a different culture today.	Serve a meal at a soup kitchen or shelter today for the glory of God.



S.W.I.F.T. (Single Women in Fellowship Together) will be gathering on Zoom this coming Sunday, September 20 at 1:00 pm. All single women are invited to join in the discussion, catching up since it has been while since the group last met, and spending time in prayer and fellowship with one another. You are encouraged to prepare a light meal to make it feel more like meeting in person. For more information contact Betty Dawson at 813-404-9393. Below is the information for joining the Zoom meeting:

Topic: BCC SWIFT—Time: Sep 20, 2020 12:45 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

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