

Salem in Ballwin
United Methodist Church

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

August 4, 2019 10:00 AM

Please sign the registration pad at the end of the pew and pass it to the next person.



THOUGHT UPON ENTERING

“Behold, how good and how pleasant *it is* for brethren to dwell together in unity!” Psalm 133:1 KJV We come together for worship as the church partly to remind us that we are not alone; but joined with those who choose to follow Christ and to be God’s hands in the world. It is good that we choose to come but the pleasant part is up to us. It can be difficult to lay aside our differences, to listen to others, to find a common direction. God will lead us if we choose to submit and follow.

WELCOME

PRELUDE “How Great Thou Art” - flute and piano

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: God says, “Everyone who thirsts, come to the waters.

People: Come, you who have no money. Come, buy, and eat!”

Leader: We have come to feast on the living Bread, that we might minister to the world’s hungers.

People: We have come to drink from the waters of life, that we might minister to the world’s thirst.

ALL: Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be filled. Let us worship God, the source of every blessing. Amen.

***OPENING PRAYER**

Leader: We give thanks, Holy God, for the refreshment and refinement of this hour of worship. Needy for nourishment and the fellowship of this faith family, we come with open hands, open hearts, and open minds for what we are about to receive from your bounty. Fill us, until we want no more.

ALL: Amen.

***OPENING HYMN #2254**

“In Remembrance of Me”

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

We will not approach your table on this day, dear Christ, out of a sense of entitlement, but because of your invitation and gracious hospitality. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table, but you are the same Lord whose nature is always to have mercy. And it is mercy we need and want, for sins past and present, for ugly thoughts and thoughtless acts, and good left undone. And so we pray: Lord have mercy; Christ

have mercy; Lord have mercy. Amen.

SILENT PRAYER

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Leader: Hear and believe. The Lord is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love. Even so, our sins are forgiven.

ALL: Thanks be to God! Amen.

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

ANTHEM

“One Day Soon, We’ll See Jesus” - Choir

PASTORAL PRAYER

EPISTLE READING

1 Corinthians 11:17-28 (The Message)

***GLORIA PATRI #71**

***GOSPEL READING** Matthew 26:26-29 (NRSV)

HYMN OF PREPARATION #681

“Let Us Break Bread Together”

MESSAGE “Bread and Wine” Pastor Ken Gottman

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERING MUSIC

“His Eye is on the Sparrow” - flute and piano

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

RITUAL OF HOLY COMMUNION (UMH pg. 10)

(We practice open communion. You do not have to be a member of Salem, or a United Methodist in order to receive the sacrament. Go forward to the altar rail when indicated by the ushers. Kneel or stand to receive then return to your seat, giving thanks to God.)

COMMUNION MUSIC

Ashokan Farewell - flute and piano

*CLOSING HYMN #614

“For the Bread Which You Have Broken”

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE “Stand Up for Jesus” - flute and piano

Thanks to all who support the
Rose Koch and Esther Smith Music Fund
for today’s flute music.

All are welcome at our Fellowship Luncheon
immediately following the service in Duff Hall.

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Serving Today

Ushers - Steve Gregory, Cathy Gregory,
David Welch

Liturgist - Helen Ralston

Fellowship Coordinator - Charlotte Meshell

Video/Audio - Bill Schrader

Flute - Jennifer Adams

Coming Up Next Week

Monday, August 5

Trustees, 5:30 pm

Woodcarvers, 7:00 pm Duff Hall

Wednesday, August 7

Prayer Group 5:45 pm Duff Hall

Thursday, August 8

Cards 12:00 pm Duff Hall

Hearing-assistive devices are available from the ushers.

Service CD’s are available from Bill Schrader.
They are also available in the mailbox labeled
Service CD’s (upper left corner) in Duff Hall.

We believe in the Power of Prayer

Our Members Needing Prayers

Peggy Araki; Mike Groves; Roger Crabtree; Betty Caswell;
Nancy Boerner; Donna Flora; Jeanne Williams; Velma
Buermann; Jan Groves; Darwin Schlag; Wayne and
Virginia Jordan; Bob Kight; Lila Poertner; Gale Crabtree

Our Family and Friends Needing Prayers

Denise Kelley’s friend Meryl; Bob & Dee Vogt’s friend
Boonie; Janice Lienemann’s & Nancy Boerner’s niece Sa-
mantha; Mike & Jan Groves neighbors brother; Nancy
Boerners friend Janice; Jeannie Williams husband Marvin;
Alice Krechel’s brother Lawrence & sister-in-law Melva;
Patti Ham’s daughter Tracy; Sharon Kleitsch’s daughter-in-
law Gale

Our Community

LA flood victims; southern border crisis; Our country; The
Ballwin Police Department; Francisco Queniasse, our semi-
nary student in Mozambique; All First Responders; home-
less people; all dealing with mental health - sufferers and
support system; The Fold Children’s Home

Those in our Armed Forces

Michael Suozzi is in the Navy and is currently stationed in
San Diego; Kyle Roe is stationed in Yankeetown, Florida
with the Coast Guard.

Joys

Diana Hughes attended Quinn Graessle’s Eagle Scout
Court of Honor.

George Vitela had his grandkids last week.

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