



September 13, 2020

Season after Pentecost

Message
Is Hypocrisy a Thing?

Scripture:
Luke 16: 1-13 NIV



Our Mission

*The mission of the church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ
for the transformation of the world.*

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HOMESTEAD PARK UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

September 13, 2020 10:00 am Worship

Pastor Don Kephart; Bo Collins, Music Director

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

***OPENING PRAYER**

All have fallen short of the glory of God, So we all enter this sanctuary, this place that has been set aside and made holy for worship of God, as sinners equally unworthy of the grace and mercy we've been shown. We enter this time of worship to thank God for all the steadfast love we've been shown. We enter God's house of prayer asking God for strength and mercy as we continue this journey of life. We enter this house of God lifting prayers and praise. Amen.

***CALL TO WORSHIP (responsive)**

Pastor: Make a joyful noise to the Lord.

People: Serve the Lord with gladness; come into God's presence with thanksgiving.

Pastor: Know that the Lord is good. We are the sheep of God's pasture.

People: Enter into God's gates with thanksgiving and into God's court with praise.

Pastor: Be thankful to God and bless God's name.

People: For the Lord is Good!

All: God's mercy is everlasting, and God's truth endures forever!

SONGS OF PRAISE

*** How Great Is Your Faithfulness
Enough**

PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

Doxology

Prayer of Dedication

OUR TIME OF PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

SONG OF PRAISE

What a Friend we have in Jesus

* Please stand as you are able.



SCRIPTURE

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¹ Jesus told his disciples: “There was a rich man whose manager was accused of wasting his possessions. ² So he called him in and asked him, ‘What is this I hear about you? Give an account of your management, because you cannot be manager any longer.’ ³ “The manager said to himself, ‘What shall I do now? My master is taking away my job. I’m not strong enough to dig, and I’m ashamed to beg— ⁴ I know what I’ll do so that, when I lose my job here, people will welcome me into their houses.’ ⁵ “So he called in each one of his master’s debtors. He asked the first, ‘How much do you owe my master?’

⁶ “‘Nine hundred gallons of olive oil,’ he replied. “The manager told him, ‘Take your bill, sit down quickly, and make it four hundred and fifty.’

⁷ “Then he asked the second, ‘And how much do you owe?’ “‘A thousand bushels of wheat,’ he replied. “He told him, ‘Take your bill and make it eight hundred.’

⁸ “The master commended the dishonest manager because he had acted shrewdly. For the people of this world are more shrewd in dealing with their own kind than are the people of the light. ⁹ I tell you, use worldly wealth to gain friends for yourselves, so that when it is gone, you will be welcomed into eternal dwellings.

¹⁰ “Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much, and whoever is dishonest with very little will also be dishonest with much. ¹¹ So if you have not been trustworthy in handling worldly wealth, who will trust you with true riches? ¹² And if you have not been trustworthy with someone else’s property, who will give you property of your own?

¹³ “No one can serve two masters. Either you will hate the one and love the other, or you will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and money.”

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Pastor Don

HYMN OF DEDICATION

468 Dear Jesus, in Whose Life I See

BENEDICTION

Worship for today is over, but your service to God for the week is just beginning.



Calendar of Events

Today	10:00 am	Worship Service
Today	11:00 am	Flu Shot Clinic - Conference Room. - <i>Please bring your insurance card</i>
Tuesday 09/15/2020	7:00 pm	Tuesday In the "Word" Bible Study
Saturday 09/19/2020	9:30 am	Homeless Lunch Prep

** The Church is in need of **Lysol Disinfectant Spray** to ensure that the pews and common areas are sanitized. We are asking our Church families to consider donating this product if you have any that you are not using in your home.

UPCOMING Events

and Important Dates

Sunday 09/20/2020	Homeless Lunch Delivery
Sunday 09/20/2020	Adult Bible Study 9:15 am

**** Important Reminder ****

Please remember to adhere to all protocols and guidelines that are posted in the Narthex. These include wearing a mask and practicing social distancing. Please find a seat when the entering the sanctuary and avoid gathering in the back. We should all be doing our part to ensure that we can continue to meet in-person.

A Note from Pastor Don

Members and Friends, Please contact me directly by cell phone text or email if you need to speak with me. My contact information is located in the bulletin as well as on the business cards in the back of the Sanctuary. Thank you.



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Office hours - Wednesday and Thursday - 12:00 pm to 3:00 pm



Please include the following in your prayers. You may also want to send a thoughtful card, make a caring phone call, or stop by for a short visit.

New Prayers and Praises

- ❖ Ron Brizes
 - Prayers for a complete and speedy recovery and minimal pain from back surgery.
- ❖ Becky Wehrer
 - Praises that extensive surgery for a cyst on an optic nerve has been postponed because the cyst has shrunk.
- ❖ Joe Scavincky, Leta's husband
 - Prayers for a full recovery from a recent car accident
- ❖ Pat Kraeuter
 - Prayers for upcoming heart-valve replacement surgery.

Continued Prayers

- ❖ Parents, Teachers, and Children
 - Prayers for patience as they navigate new ways of learning

Our Friends and Members who are Shut-ins or in Care Facilities

- ❖ Dorothy Davies
- ❖ William Fred Crux
- ❖ Marilyn Myford

Serving in Our Armed Forces

- ❖ Sgt. Chip Conrad - National Guard
- ❖ Crystal Riley-Conrad - Army Medic
- ❖ Cpl. Lawson Priestley - Marine Corps

*To all who serve and have served our country,
Thank you for your sacrifice.*

If you would like to add someone to the prayer list, please call or email your requests to the church office by Thursday morning of each week.