

Our Service of Worship

Last Sunday after Pentecost

10:55 am

November 22, 2015

*We invite those who are able, to stand during these acts of worship

Gathering Music
Announcements
Opening Scripture
Chimes

Janet Broen

Voluntary

Marche Triumphale on "Nun danket alle Gott"

Matthew Bishop, Organist
By Sigfrid Karg-Elert

Lighting the Altar Candles

***Opening Hymn**

Now Thank We All Our God

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Affirmation of Faith

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Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father and to the son and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. World without end – Amen. Amen.

Consecrating Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

Story for All Ages

Jesus Loves Me

Amy Rooks
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Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so.
Little ones to him belong; they are weak, but he is strong.
Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

Following this, all children through Kindergarten
Are invited to "Children's Church" time next door in our Education Building.
Parents may pick them up there following the worship service.

Prayer Sharing
Call to Prayer
Morning Prayer
The Lord's Prayer

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The Offering
Offertory

Interlude No. 1 in C

***Doxology**

*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here
below; Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus
Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

Prayer for Illumination

**Lord, open our hearts and minds
by the power of your Holy Spirit,
that, as the Scriptures are read
and your Word proclaimed,
we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen**

Epistle Lesson

2 Corinthians 3: 1-6
(Pg. 219 NT)

Elly Tilk

Anthem

Come Forth to Be Renewed

Chancel Choir
By Robert J. Powell
Text: John Milton

Gospel Lesson

Matthew 6: 24-34
(Pg. 7 NT)

Sermon

"Generosity"

Rev. Tilk

Closing Hymn

Rejoice the Lord is King

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Choral Benediction

May the God of Hope So Fill You Text: F. Richard Garland (Romans 15:13)
Music: KINGDOM, by V. Earle Copes

Postlude

March pour l'hymn "Pange Lingua"

Matthew Bishop, Organist
By René Vierne

Worship Matters

We want to **remember and lift up in prayer** these folks: Frank & Janet Broen, Donna Bruns, Charlie Ann Bullington, Don Carman, Mr. Carrillo, Judy & Wes Greenwald, Aaron Hudson, Teagan Jabkowski, Norman McMillan, Keri Reynolds, Tom Schroeder, John Scruggs, Merle Shook, Kim St. Bernard, Dick & Betty Ruth Suber, Rev. Bob Wells, Nita Ziegler. Also, those men and women serving in our military especially those overseas. Also, our sister church Santa Clara in Cuba and missionaries, Rev. Britt and Alison Gilmore serving in East Belfast, Northern Ireland. Advance #3021321 & 3021322.

Heartfelt sympathies to the Croley family on the recent death of Mary Alice Avirett Croley on November 12, 2015.

This service is being recorded to produce DVD's for shut-ins

Ushers
Matthew Bishop, Organist
By Eugène Gigout
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Communion will be served in Shelfer Chapel this morning after the worship service.

TONIGHT - 6pm – Hallelujah Night - Glen Julia UMC (covered dish supper).



Mark and Patsy Bates

are pleased to announce the marriage of their son

John Curtis

to

Alexandria McLeod Higdon

on

Saturday, November 21, 2015

Hendersonville, NC

You-can-do-it EXERCISE!

Introducing a mat exercise class (you provide your own mat) instructed by Joy Green, AFAA certified on **Tuesday & Thursday** mornings at **11am – 12N** (Pairs & Spares classroom). This class includes Pilates as well as some balance, resistance and coordination—with lots of stretching. Beginning **Tuesday, December 1** (\$5 per class or \$30 per month).

Stained glass Christmas greeting cards are available in the church office which includes a CD with Christmas Carols for **\$4/ea**. Proceeds will benefit the Pastor's Discretionary Fund. Thank you.

Our Presence Last Week

Worship service	75
Sunday school	23

Our Stewardship Last Week

General Fund 2015	\$2,801.13
Plate Offering	\$83.00
Sunday school	\$8.00
Church suppers	\$35.00
Christ Town Thanksgiving	\$200.00

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