THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

October 29, 2023 10:45 am

PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

Please give any prayer requests to an usher or the pastor before the service.

Prelude Praise Team Welcome Praise Team

WORSHIP THROUGH PRAISE & FELLOWSHIP

Praise Song The Blessing Praise Team Invocation Pastor Russ
Praise Song Goodness of God Praise Team Scripture Reading Pastor Russ

Titus 1:15-16 & Romans 2:14-15

WORSHIPPING WITH OUR GIFTS

Announcements Pastor Russ
Offering Our Gifts Pastor Russ

WORSHIP THROUGH PRAYER AND TEACHING

Time of Prayer Pastor Russ
Special Music Praise Team
Message Pastor Russ

"Let Your Conscience Be Your Guide"

WORSHIP THROUGH COMMITMENT

Hymn "Peace Like A River" #345 Recessional Praise Team

CLI LICENSE # 9643846



GETTING TO KNOW US

Rev. Russell Stammer
Christine Lovette
Minister of Music
JJ Belle
Praise Band
Harry & Rachel Sink, Ted & Shirley Odenwald
Laura Belle
Praise Team
Lori Rosenboom, Steve Handy, Christa Hoppe
All Members of This Faith Community
Ministers

THIS WEEK

Today 9:30 am Sunday School
10:40 am Prayer for service in Pastor's office
10:45 am Worship Service

UPCOMING EVENTS

11/05/23 Noon Coffee Hour 11/12/23 Noon Church Council Meeting 12/24/23 10:45 am Virtual Worship Service 12/24/23 6:00 pm Christmas Eve service

BIRTHDAYS

Rich Rosenboom 11/15

ANNIVERSARY

Ted & Kay MacVicar 11/25

NEW QR CODE FOR EASY GIVING!





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CHURCH FINANCIAL UPDATE

Income 1/1/23 – 10/29/23 \$38,422.12 Expenses 1/1/23 – 10/29/23 \$56,432.36 We need to raise to balance our budget -\$18,010.24

GROWING IN BIBLE KNOWLEDGE 2023 BIBLE READINGS

Mon Oct 30 Ezekiel 23-24; 1 Timothy 2
Tues Oct 31 Psalms 60; Ezekiel 25-26; 1 Timothy 3
Wed Nov 1 Ezekiel 27-28; 1 Timothy 4
Thur Nov 2 Ezekiel 29-31; 1 Timothy 5
Fri Nov 3 Ezekiel 32-33; 1 Timothy 6
Sat Nov 4 Jude 1; Ezekiel 34; Psalms 4
Sun Nov 5 Ezekiel 35; Obadiah; Psalms 108

SCRIPTURE MEMORY PROGRAM

This week's passage is *Galatians 5:16*So I say, live by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the sinful nature.

BIBLE TRIVIA

<u>Today's question is</u>: Who did Paul write a letter to concerning his slave Onesimus?

<u>Last week's question and answer:</u> Which two Old Testament characters appeared with Jesus at the transfiguration? Elijah and Moses (Matt 17:3)

INSPIRATIONAL QUOTE

"Sometimes when we're waiting for God to speak, He's waiting for us to listen." — **Martha Bolton**



"If telemarketers call, invite them to church."

MISSIONS (PUTTING FAITH INTO ACTION

FOOD DRIVE

For the month of October, we will be collecting food for the Ponds Food Pantry. Below is a list of the items that they are currently looking to get:

ITEMS NEEDED:

CANNED FRUIT **CANNED SOUP CANNED MEATS** PASTA/RICE PEANUT BUTTER **JELLY** RAISINS/APPLESAUCE PAPER GOODS SPAM/TUNA CHILI/BAKED BEANS OATMEAL/PANCAKE MIX CONDIMENTS/SALAD DRESSING **BOXED MILK** HAND CAN OPENERS **COOKING OILS** SPICES/SALT TEA BAGS/COFFEE **SNADWICH BREAD CAKE MIX & FROSTING** DISH WASHING DETERGENT

Still Collecting:

- America For Christ 2023
- One Great Hour Of Sharing 2023
- World Mission Offering



PRAYER PAGE

HEALTH ISSUES

Sandy Christopher – in Hospice care.

Nancy Monell – (Ted's Sister) – Ongoing health issues

Dot Nagy – (Ted's cousin) has multiple health issues.

Tricia Fellner – (JJ's Sister) has bradycardia (Low pulse rate)

<u>Justin – Grandson of (Donna Stevens' sister)</u> born with only 2 heart valves

Betty Wilson - (Friend of the Odenwalds) Neuropathy pain

Lois Griffith - Health Concerns

<u>Carl Stevens</u> – Recovering from second knee surgery.

Richard Greenip – several health issues

<u>Ted & Kay MacVicar</u> – Health issues.

Ruth Barton – Recovering from a fall and wrist surgery.

<u>Jordan Lovette</u> – Ongoing health issues

<u>Doug Gipe</u> – recovering from COVID & pneumonia

Christine Lovette – ongoing health concerns

Zeke Stevenson – (Ted & Shirley's great grandson) Blood issues

<u>Eleanor Stammer</u> – Regaining some hearing

HEALTH ISSUES (CANCER)

<u>Joe Alfano</u> – ongoing health issues & Lung Cancer <u>Robert Mariano</u> – (JJ's Uncle) prostate cancer <u>Joan MacMillan</u> – Pancreatic Cancer <u>Kevin Parmeland</u> – Monitoring situation

Barbara Willemsen – Finished radiation

OTHER CONCERNS

Good Shepherd Mission

<u>Unspoken Requests</u> —People requested prayer for an unspoken request. <u>Those dealing with depression, addiction & mental health issues</u>

NURSING FACILITIES

Ginny Palmer

OUR STUDENTS

TJ Bednarz – Eastern Christian Kayla Lovette – Ramapo College Sarah MacVicar – Ramapo College

SERVING IN THE MILITARY

Major David Hutsebaut - son of Dave and Shirley - Army
Sgt. Eduardo Velasquez - son in law of Cheryl Alfano - Marines
Petty Officer Second Class Faustina Owusu Bekoe - US Navy

<u>Our Church</u> – We need to pray for our church as we need work to bring the Gospel to our communities.





"For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope."-Jeremiah 29:11



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