

EVANGELICAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

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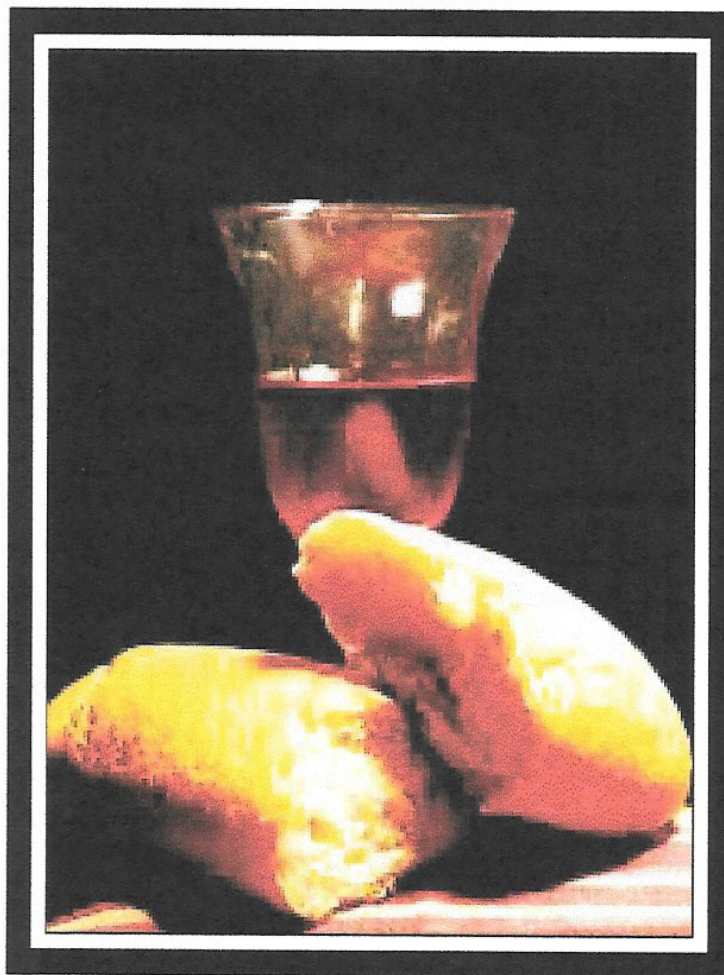
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"SHARING BREAD THROUGH CHRIST"



World Communion Sunday

"The Love of Jesus"

Twentieth Sunday After Pentecost

October 2, 2016

LARGE PRINT

WORSHIP SERVICE 10:30 a.m.
Holy Communion: First Sunday of Every Month

SERVING THIS MORNING

Head Usher - Ken Hirlinger

Liturgist: Travis Overstreet

Music Director - Marilyn Williams Organist: Eula Gowan

† = Please Stand As You Are Able

P=People

L= Liturgist

GATHERING TOGETHER AND SEEKING GOD'S PRESENCE

Bringing in the Light, Prelude, Welcome, Passing of the Peace

† **CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: Be joyful in the Lord, all the earth; serve the Lord with gladness, and come before His presence with a song.

P: **Our Lord is God, who created us; and we are the people of His grace.**

L: Come into His gates with thanksgiving, and into His courts with praise.

ALL: Let Him purge our hearts to bless His holy name.

† **PRAYER OF INVOCATION**

ALL: Almighty God, who in love for us did come down, and in the person of Your Son did suffer and die for us; show us Your favor this morning, and grant us Your holy presence. By Your Spirit. Amen.

† **Opening Hymn:** *"At The Cross"*

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HEARING GOD'S WORD

OT = Old Testament NT = New Testament

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Holy Gospel Reading: *John 3: 11-16*

Old Testament Reading: *Psalm 21: 1-7*

pg. 94 NT
pg. 503 OT

Choir Song: "Remember Me" Kruegan and Inndz
Selected Scriptures Pastor Glandon
Sermon: "The Love of Jesus" Pastor Glandon
† Hymn of Response: "Love Lifted Me" # 26 JS

RESPONDING WITH OUR PRAYERS

Joys and Concerns of our Worshiping Family

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (*debts and debtors*)

Sung Prayer Response:

ALL: Hear Our Prayer, O Lord, Hear Our Prayer, O Lord,
Hear Our Prayer, O Lord, and Grant Us Thy Peace. Amen.

UCC Affirmation of Faith: *A New Creed*

Back of Red Hymnal

SHARING OUR BLESSINGS

Offertory Invitation

Offertory Music

† DOXOLOGY

ALL: Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise God all Creatures here below.
Praise God above ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

† PRAYER OF DEDICATION

ALL: Giver of all life, thank you for the gift of life and for all gifts. Please take our offerings
and our lives and use them in Your service. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

SEEKING GOD'S FORGIVENESS

Call to Confession

† PRAYER OF CONFESSION

ALL: Righteous God. We have all sinned and fallen short of Your glory. You would be justified
in any judgment You decreed. But it is Your nature always to have mercy. Therefore we
are bold enough to come to You, just as we are. We have no excuses and no plea but that
Jesus' blood was shed for us and for our children. We confess before You and before
these, our brothers and sisters, that we have not loved You with all our heart and
strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For Jesus' sake, grant us pardon
and release, time for amendment of life and the sustaining presence of Your Holy Spirit.
Amen.

Time of Silent Reflection before God / Assurance of God's Grace

Glory Be To the Father *“Gloria Patri”*

ALL: **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.

GOD SHARES WITH US

Invitation

HOLY COMMUNION

“Inner circle is Grape Juice, Outer Circle is Wine.”



COMMUNION PRAYER:

ALL: **Lord Jesus, I confess that You alone are the living God. You alone are worthy of all honor and praise for You set aside Your heavenly glory and came into this world as a man, to redeem lost sinners. I praise You that I am included in Your gracious forgiveness. Thank you that You willingly offered up Your body to be the sacrifice for my sin. Thank you that Your precious blood was shed for my sins and not for me only but all who would trust in Your name. Lord, I kneel before You in humble submission, as I partake of the bread and wine. I do this in remembrance of You. Amen.**

SHARING OF THE ELEMENTS

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

ALL: **Gracious God, thank you for setting us free to become what You intend: a people grounded in the love of Jesus and confident of Your abiding presence. With thanksgiving, we give ourselves to You, to one another and to the world in humble witness, generous service and joyful praise. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.**

† **Closing Hymn:** *“To God Be the Glory”*

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† **Benediction**

Pastor Glandon

† **Dismissal:** **Go now in peace, Never be afraid,
Go now in peace, In faith and in love.**

Postlude

Our Worship Is Over, Now Our Service Begins.



WELCOME ALL, TO WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY.....

We celebrate this Christian unity marked by our shared celebration of the Lord's Supper. Christ calls us back together to celebrate the liturgy "in remembrance of me". Let us all celebrate our Christian Brothers and Sisters wherever they may be, and break bread together today, in Jesus' name! In sharing the Lord's Table, we remember how He gave His life for us and how He would have us respond to His gift. **We're so glad you're here today!**

NEIGHBORS IN NEED SPECIAL MISSION OFFERING We will received this special mission this morning. There was an envelope included in last Sunday's bulletin. If you did not receive one, and would like to give, please let an Usher know, and they will get an envelope for you.

YOGA Tues & Thurs. mornings at **8:45am** in the Lay Center.

GOAT PROJECT The Women's Fellowship is handling this project for our church. This year we would like to buy goats to help in Arkansas and Haiti . This project is sponsored by Heifer International. The cost for each goat is \$120.00, which includes the care and training for each goat handler. **Any amount would be greatly appreciated!** Please give your donations to Velma Flippin or Women's Fellowship Pres. Carolyn Koerner or mail your donation to the church ear marked for the Goat Project. **Deadline for your gift is October 17.**

FOOD PANTRY COLLECITON Next Sunday Oct. 9.

REMINDERS:

Please prayerfully consider serving on our church council. We have many going off this term. Let Russ Bradshaw know if you would like to serve as soon as possible.

There will be a burial for Sybil Kerr on **Sat. Oct 15 at 10:30am** at the Walnut Grove Cemetery. Anyone who would like to attend is welcome.

FESTIVAL OF SHARING.... Oct. 15

SEMI-ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING Sunday, Oct. 23. We will have a carry-in luncheon following church services with the meeting to follow.

God Be With You Till We Meet Again!

IN HIS SERVICE

Head Usher for October

Ken Hirlinger

Oct. Council Rep

Ken Hirlinger

Oct. 9

Liturgist - Donovan Davis

Oct. 16

Liturgist - Janice Cary

Oct. 23

Liturgist - Kurt Grathwohl

Oct. 30

Liturgist - Betty Sieckmann

LOOKING AHEAD

Oct. 9 - Oct. 15

Sunday, Oct. 9

10:30am WORSHIP

Food Pantry Collection

Mon. Oct. 10 - Office Closed

Tues. Oct. 11 - Office Closed

8:45am - Yoga

6pm - Min. All. Mtg.

Wed. Oct. 12 - Office Open

8:00am - Men's Fellowship

5:30pm Choir Prac.

Thurs. Oct. 13 - Office Closed

8:45am - Yoga

Fri. Oct. 14 - Office Open

1:15pm Women's Fellowship @ the
home of Carolyn Koerner

Sat. Oct. 15

Festival of Sharing- Sedalia, Mo.

10:30am Burial of Sybil Kerr

@ the Walnut Grove Cemetery

Please call Carolyn Koerner to start the Prayer Circle at 882-7967. Prayers to the prayer list may also be added by calling the Church Office at 882-5501.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Bud Overstreet, Robin Gerke, Mike Overstreet, Sharon Walther, George Chamberlain, Mindy Nave, Payten Houston, (Roy and Janice Cary's granddaughter) Kathi Reed, Cacky Neckermann and Ruth Zeller. *Please let the church office know if these names are correct, and/or if any need to be updated or removed. Thanks*

ADDITIONAL PRAYERS

- * All those who may be struggling with illnesses, losses, financial difficulties, etc.
- * All those who are home or nursing home bound.
- * Those serving in the armed forces and their families.
- * For Raj, his family and their continued ministry.
- * The Earth, our leaders and everyone in our Country and throughout the world.

Birthdays & Anniversaries Oct. 2 - Oct. 8

Birthdays: Oct. 1 - Clayton Williamson;

Oct. 3 - Glenna McVeigh; **Oct. 6** - Lester Chrisman & Catalina Hagen; **Oct. 8** - Don Neckermann

Anniversary: Oct. 1 - Jim & Dorothy Marshall

FOR THE RECORD

Sept. 25

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