

EVANGELICAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

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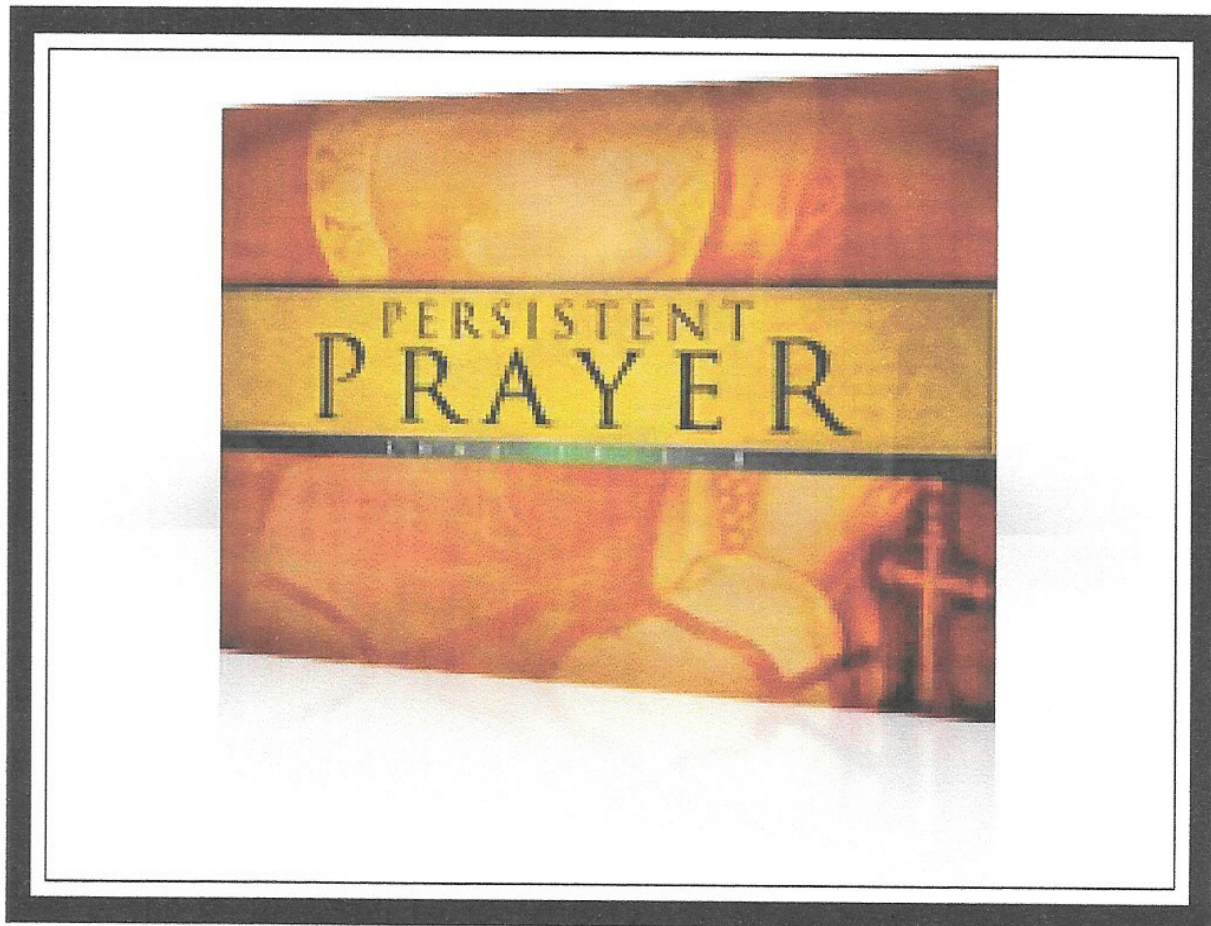
Office Hours: Wednesday and Friday from 10am - Noon & 1-5pm

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Rev. Jeff Glandon - Pastor

"SHARING BREAD THROUGH CHRIST"



Twenty-Second Sunday After Pentecost

"Three Reasons to Be Persistent in Prayer"

October 16, 2016

LARGE PRINT

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

SERVING THIS MORNING

Head Usher: Ken Hirlinger

Liturgist: Donovan Davis

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** *Sourcebook*

L: Praise God with bouquets of joy and miles of laughter.

P: Praise God for children's delight and grandparents wisdom.

L: Praise God for the slant of sunlight and the eagles' flight.

P: Praise God with deeds of love and words of compassion and care.

L: Praise God with the sound of strings and voices raised in song.

ALL: Let us indeed praise God!

† **PRAYER OF INVOCATION** *Sourcebook*

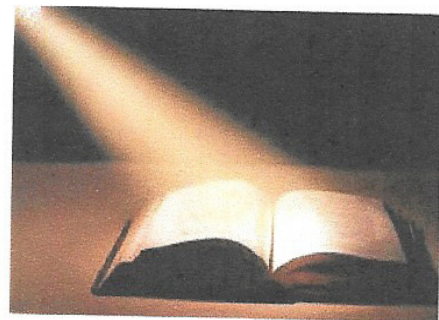
ALL: God of all grace, we have come here today not by our own power, but You have drawn us in Your mercy and truth. You have sought us in every moment of our lives, that we may be with You through eternity. Now let us enjoy a glimpse of that blessed day in which You will be glorified in all the worlds. Lord, we long to see Your face smiling upon us in the face of our Savior Jesus Christ, in whose name we offer up all praise, to the glory of Your blessed name. Amen.

† Opening Hymn: “My Faith Looks Up to Thee”

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HEARING GOD’S WORD

OT = Old Testament NT = New Testament



SCRIPTURE

Old Testament Reading: *Psalm 121* pg. 571 OT
Epistle Reading: *2 Timothy 3:14-4:5* pg. 213 NT
Choir Song: “*Promised Land*” Sleeth

Special Scripture Reading: *Luke 18: 1-8* Pastor Jeff
Sermon: “*Three Reasons to Be Persistent in Prayer*” Pastor Jeff

† Hymn of Response: “*I Love to Tell the Story*” # 199 R

“PRESENTATION OF OUR PRAYERS AND PETITIONS

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 the Red Hymnal

SHARING OUR BLESSINGS

Offertory Music

Offertory



WELCOME! We greet those who have come to worship with us today in the name of our Savior Jesus Christ. We are gathered as a community of Christians. Our center is Jesus Christ. We are here to know again the touch of His forgiving and healing hand. We are so happy to have you here today! *God Be With You Till We Meet Again....*

Today we welcome Dr. John Ward, from the Gideons, who will make a short presentation at the end of the service. A love offering will also be taken.

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 . 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. **TODAY IS THE LAST SUNDAY TO GIVE YOUR GIFTS TO Velma or Carolyn.**

ZION LUTHERAN SCHOOL 46th ANNUAL TURKEY DINNER

TODAY, Sunday, Oct. 16, Noon - 3pm Free Will Donation. Country Store & Silent Auction. Food Menu includes: Turkey & Dressing, Potatoes & Gravy, Grn. Beans, Sweet Potatoes, Vege & Fruit Salads, Home-made pies, and drinks... Carry Outs Available! All proceeds from this event will be used for school improvements.

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

COUNCIL MEETING This Tues. **Oct. 18 at 6:30pm** in the Ed. Bldg.

NEWSLETTER ARTICLES DUE this Wed. **Oct. 19**

SEMI-ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

NEXT SUNDAY, Sunday, Oct. 23. We will have a carry-in luncheon following church services with the meeting to follow.

COOPER LODGE #36 CHRISTMAS FUNDRAISER 717 Main St., Boonville

Sat. Oct. 22 11am - 2pm Famous Chili! \$10.00 donation.. Children under 6 Free.

All money goes toward Christmas Baskets, Harvest House, Agency on Aging, Neighbors Helping Neighbors and Baby Grace. Bring the family! Carry-outs available. For tickets see Roy Cary or call 882-6440

**IN HIS SERVICE FOR
OCTOBER**

Head Usher for October

Ken Hirlinger

October Council Rep

Ken Hirlinger

Oct. 23

Liturgist - Kurt Grathwohl

Oct. 30

Liturgist - Russ Bradshaw

LOOKING AHEAD

Oct. 23-29

Sunday, Oct. 23

10:30am WORSHIP

CONGREGATIONAL MTG

following carry in dinner after
service.

Mon. Oct. 24 - Office Closed

Tues. Oct. 25 - Office Closed

8:45am - Yoga

11am - CCMH Devotional

Wed. Oct. 26 - Office Open

Thurs. Oct. 27 - Office Closed

8:45am - Yoga

Fri. Oct. 28 - Office Open

10am - NEWSLETTER

ASSEMBLY

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

Neva Davis, Bud Overstreet, Robin Gerke, Mike
Overstreet, 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. 16 - 22

Birthdays: Oct. 21 - Mary Webster & Abby

Brueckner; **Oct. 22** - Michael Dilse

Anniversaries: Oct. 17 - John & Barb Holtzclaw;

Oct. 18 - Daniel & Anna Kudlacz; **Oct. 20** - Jane &
Pete Rodman

FOR THE RECORD

Oct. 9

\$ 596.00

Attn: 30