

Talbott Cumberland Presbyterian Church

“Together Calling People to Christ”

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The Twenty-Third Sunday After Pentecost

November 12, 2017

Morning Worship 11:00 AM



GOD GATHERS HIS PEOPLE

Interlude

Carolyn McClane, pianist

Welcome and Announcements

Dr. Karen Borchert, Worship Leader

Ringling of the Chimes

The sounding of the chimes, representing God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, is an invitation to prepare for worship through this time of silent reflection and meditation.

Prelude

“Canon in D”

Johann Pachelbel

Bringing of the Light

Todd Greene, acolyte
Seth Greene, crucifer

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

***Call to Worship**

One: Are you awake? Are you alert?

All: Christ is coming into our lives in a new way.

One: Are you watching the signs? Are you interpreting what is happening today?

All: Christ is coming into our lives in a new way.

One: Do you see opportunities for ministry? Do you see the poor, the homeless, the hungry, the needy?

All: Christ is coming into our lives in a new way.

One: Come, let us worship and let us work in the reign of God.

All: Christ has extended the invitation: let us work together in the reign of God on earth.

***Hymn of Praise No. 271**

Cwm Rhondda

“Christ Is Coming! Let Creation”

***Affirmation of Faith**

One: Christians, what do we believe as Cumberland Presbyterians?

All: We believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and

earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; He descended to the grave. The third day He arose from the dead. He ascended into heaven, where He shall sit at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from where He shall judge the living and the dead. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy universal church, the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the everlasting life. Amen.

***Gloria Patri**

Greatorex

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost; As it was in the be -
gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men, A - men.

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

(In Unison)

Our Father which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Musical Response No. 629

(Choir & Congregation)

Lord, listen to your children praying,
Lord, send your Spirit in this place;
Lord, listen to your children praying,
send us love, send us power, send us grace.

Assurance of Pardon

I John 1:9

If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. Brothers and sisters, in Jesus Christ your sins are forgiven.

OUR WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

Offertory

“Sheep May Safely Graze”

J. S. Bach

***The Doxology**

Old Hundredth

Praise God, from whom all bless-ings flow; praise *him, all crea-tures
here be-low; praise *him a-bove, ye heaven-ly host; praise
Fa-ther, Son, and Ho-ly Ghost. A-men.

***Prayer of Dedication and Thanksgiving**

Jeanie Saunders

PRESENTATION OF GOD'S WORD

Anthem

arr. Joseph M. Martin

“Give Me Oil In My Lamp”

Give me oil in my lamp, give me oil in my lamp,
Give me oil in my lamp, I pray.

Give me oil in my lamp, keep me burning. Give me oil in my lamp, I pray.
Give me oil in my lamp, keep me burning, keep me burning 'til the break of day.

*Sing hosanna, sing hosanna, sing hosanna to the King of kings.
Sing hosanna, sing hosanna, sing hosanna to the King.*

I sing praise and give thanks for your blessings. I sing praise every day I live.
I sing praise and give thanks for your blessings, for the blessings you alone can give.

Give me joy in my heart, keep me singing; give me joy in my heart each day.
Give me joy in my heart, keep me singing; keep me singing 'til the break of day.

Children's Message

Marianne Sharp

*Hymn of the Word

Lancashire

"Rejoice, All Ye Believers"

"Behold the bridegroom cometh; go ye out to meet him." Mt. 25:6

1. Re - joice, all ye be - liev - ers, and let your lights ap - pear;
2. See that your lamps are burn - ing; re - plen - ish them with oil;
3. Ye saints, who here in pa - tience your cross and suf - f'nings bore;
4. Our hope and ex - pec - ta - tion, O Je - sus, now ap - pear;

the eve - ning is ad - vanc - ing, and dark - er night is near:
and wait for your sal - va - tion, the end of earth - ly toil.
shall live and reign for - ev - er, when sor - row is no more:
a - rise, thou sun so longed for, o'er this be - night - ed sphere.

the Bride - groom is a - ris - ing, and soon he draw - eth nigh;
The watch - ers on the moun - tain pro - claim the Bride - groom near;
a - round the throne of glo - ry the Lamb ye shall be - hold,
With hearts and hands up - lift - ed, we plead, O Lord, to see

up, pray, and watch, and wres - tle: at mid - night comes the cry.
go meet him as he com - eth, with al - le - lu - ias clear.
in tri - umph cast be - fore him your di - a - dems of gold.
the day of earth's re - demp - tion that brings us un - to thee.

Solo

“Jesus Walked This Lonesome Valley”

arr. Gordon Myers

Jessica Borchert, soloist

The Reading Of The Word

Old Testament Lesson

Psalm 78:1-4

¹ My people, hear my teaching; listen to the words of my mouth. ² I will open my mouth with a parable; I will utter hidden things, things from of old—³ things we have heard and known, things our ancestors have told us. ⁴ We will not hide them from their descendants; we will tell the next generation the praiseworthy deeds of the LORD, his power, and the wonders he has done.

New Testament Lesson

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

¹³ Brothers and sisters, we do not want you to be uninformed about those who sleep in death, so that you do not grieve like the rest of mankind, who have no hope. ¹⁴ For we believe that Jesus died and rose again, and so we believe that God will bring with Jesus those who have fallen asleep in him. ¹⁵ According to the Lord’s word, we tell you that we who are still alive, who are left until the coming of the Lord, will certainly not precede those who have fallen asleep. ¹⁶ For the Lord himself will come down from heaven, with a loud command, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet call of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first. ¹⁷ After that, we who are still alive and are left will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And so we will be with the Lord forever. ¹⁸ Therefore encourage one another with these words.

***Gospel Lesson**

Matthew 25:1-13

“At that time the kingdom of heaven will be like ten virgins who took their lamps and went out to meet the bridegroom. ² Five of them were foolish and five were wise. ³ The foolish ones took their lamps but did not take any oil

with them. ⁴ The wise ones, however, took oil in jars along with their lamps. ⁵ The bridegroom was a long time in coming, and they all became drowsy and fell asleep.

⁶ “At midnight the cry rang out: ‘Here’s the bridegroom! Come out to meet him!’ ⁷ “Then all the virgins woke up and trimmed their lamps. ⁸ The foolish ones said to the wise, ‘Give us some of your oil; our lamps are going out.’ ⁹ “‘No,’ they replied, ‘there may not be enough for both us and you. Instead, go to those who sell oil and buy some for yourselves.’ ¹⁰ “But while they were on their way to buy the oil, the bridegroom arrived. The virgins who were ready went in with him to the wedding banquet. And the door was shut. ¹¹ “Later the others also came. ‘Lord, Lord,’ they said, ‘open the door for us!’ ¹² “But he replied, ‘Truly I tell you, I don’t know you.’ ¹³ “Therefore keep watch, because you do not know the day or the hour.

Leader: This is the Word of God for the People of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

Pastoral Prayer

Homily

Dr. Mark Borchert

“Bridesmaids’ Tale”

GOD SENDS HIS PEOPLE INTO THE WORLD

***Hymn No. 275**

Second Coming

“What If It Were Today?”

***Benediction**

***Taking The Light Into The World**

***Postlude**

“Trumpet Air”

Henry Purcell

*Congregation will please stand if able

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In order to meet the projected General Fund Budget for 2017, (\$112,953.00) we need a weekly offering of \$2,172.17.

November 5, 2017

Sunday School Attendance-----28	Sunday School Offering-----\$31.00
Morning Worship Attendance-69	Morning Worship Offering-----\$2362.00
	Building Fund Offering-----\$65.00
	Benevolence Offering-----\$100.00
	Food Pantry Offering-----\$244.00
	Total Offering -----\$2802.00

Thanks for a donation given to the building fund *in memory of Carl Ogle* by Alice Ogle.

Birthdays

11/12 Tom Cain

Anniversaries

11/18 Larry & Gale Knoll

CHURCH SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

THIS WEEK

Today, Nov. 12	9:30am "Illuminate" Small Group meeting in the fellowship hall
	10:00am Sunday School (for all ages)
	11:00am Morning Worship, The 23 rd Sunday after Pentecost
	6:00pm Bible Study – led by Dr. Gerald Borchert
Tues. Nov. 14	6:00pm CPWM meeting
Wed. Nov. 15	6:00pm Wednesday Night Meal – homemade soup & grilled cheese
	6:45pm Bible Study
	7:15pm Choir Rehearsal
Sat. Nov. 18	2:30pm-3:00pm Rev. Alphonso here to pick up tools and cleaning supplies for Hurricane Harvey victims.

LOOKING AHEAD

- Sun. Nov. 19 9:30am “Illuminate” Small Group meeting in the fellowship hall
- 10:00am Sunday School (for all ages)
- 11:00am Morning Worship, The 24th Sunday after Pentecost, Bible Sunday (an offering will be taken to support the American Bible Society)
- 6:00pm Church Family Thanksgiving Dinner and Loaves & Fishes Program
- Wed. Nov. 22 7:00pm Talbott Community Thanksgiving Service at Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church - Rev. Dr. Mark Borchert will be the speaker.
- Thurs. Nov. 23 THANKSGIVING DAY

2017 Talbott Community Thanksgiving Service
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Host Church	Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church
Offertory Prayer	Omega Baptist Church
Reading of Scripture	Mt. Pleasant United Methodist Church
Sermon	Talbott Cumberland Presbyterian Church
Benediction	Community Chapel Freewill Baptist Church

Elders

Class of 2018	Class of 2019	Class of 2020
Lonnie Knight	Richard Snowden	Larry Knoll
Terry Sanders	Allen Williamson	Jeanie Saunders

Deacons

Class of 2018	Class of 2019	Class of 2020
Ron Saunders	Peggy Long	Gale Knoll

NOVEMBER

Elder of the Month.....Lonnie Knight

Deacon of the Month.....Gale Knoll

Greeters of the Month.....Jane Satterfield & Michael Stanbery



It's that time of year! The **Angel Tree** is going up at LifeCare of Jefferson City. If you would like the name of a resident along with some gift suggestions, or if you would like to make a donation so a gift may be purchased, see Mitzi Sanders. Thank you!



Larry and Jane Brooks will be spending the next few weeks at Vanderbilt Hospital in Nashville and will remain there until a few days before Christmas. Today we are receiving a love offering to assist with their expenses. Please make checks payable to TCPC.

This year **The Loaves & Fishes Offering** will be going to Choctaw Presbytery. Your gifts to the Loaves & Fishes Offering will purchase groceries such as fresh produce and food staples to help Cumberland Presbyterians and many others during the fall and winter months in Oklahoma. Your generous support will provide the congregations in Choctaw Presbytery the financial means to address hunger in their neighborhood not just for 2017 but for years to come.

We will return our Loaves and Fishes Offerings on Sunday Night, November 19 in a service following our Family Night dinner.

SERMON QUEST

The Parable of the 10 Bridesmaids teaches

1. _____ is our bridegroom.
2. A time is coming to be _____.
3. Christians should not be _____.

VETERANS

Salvatore Aversa	Army
Bill Hickey	Army
Bob Ishman	Army
Ralph Lamb	Air Force
Ron Pickard	Army
Jim Rolen	Army
Leroy Smith	Navy
Richard Snowden	Marines
Walter West	Army
L. D. Word	Navy

Three of our church family are presently in the military:

Brian Davis	Army
B. J. Rolen	Air Force
Nathan Horner	Army

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I am planning a mission trip to Houston, Texas on Saturday November 25 and return on December 2. To help hurricane Harvey victims of flood. We will be cleaning and do some construction in the community of 1st CP Houston. We will stay at the church, the church has showers and kitchen. we will be there for 6 days. on the final day we are planing to go to Galveston for a fun day.

On Saturday November 18 we are planing to be at **Talbott CP Church** from 2:30 PM to 3:00 PM collecting tools and cleaning supplies. I know that many do not have the opportunity to go out of the country on a mission trip, but we can travel within the United States, too. We have scholarships available. If someone likes to participate please let me know or contact me at my cellular phone or text message at (865) 660-7579, or by e-mail to: AMarquez61@bellsouth.net<<mailto:AMarquez61@bellsouth.net>>, also you can contact me by Messenger.

Churches can gather materials or tools for the trip.

List of things we need:

Wheel Barrels

Shovels

Rakes

Pickers

Hammers

Tweezers. (pliers)

Bars (Crow Bars)

Buckets (5 gallon buckets)

Plastic gloves (Surgical gloves)

Gloves for work

Trash bags.

Clorox (Bleach)

Detergent

Disinfectants

Respirators or at least surgical masks,
boots or work shoes with heavy soles.

safety glasses

hard hats.

Repellents for insects.

If you have any questions or suggestions do not hesitate to contact me.

May God continue to bless you greatly !!!

Pastor Alfonso

"Gloria a Dios en las alturas,y en la tierra Paz, para con los hombres con buena voluntad !." Lucas 2:14

