Welcome to







Sunday, October 9th, 2022

18th Sunday After Pentecost/Proper 23

Lectionary Readings:

Jeremiah 29:1-4

Psalm 66:1-12

2 Timothy 2:8-15

Luke 17:5-10

PRELUDE Shirley Kaczmarski

WELCOME AND COMMUNITY SHARING

Rev. Kathleen Henrion

OPENING SONG Praise Team

"Jesus, Messiah"

CALL TO WORSHIP Liturgist

Whether we live in an apartment or a house; if we reside in the suburbs or the city:

God tells us to pray for the places where we live.

Whether we are exiles or prisoners for the gospel; if we are young, old, insider, outcast:

God says, 'when you search for me, you will find me.'

Whether we have been wandering and lost; or if we have lived in the same place all our lives:

God says, 'I will gather you from all your places and bring you home.

PRAISE SONG

"The Power of Your Love"

OPENING PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Liturgist

CALL TO RECONCILIATION

Liturgist

Despite our foolish and angry words, God continues to speak of mercy to us. Despite our best efforts to be faithless in our living, God remains faithful in keeping the promise to forgive us and restore us to wholeness. Let us confess our sins to God, so that God's hope and grace might endure in our brokenness.

UNISON PRAYER OF FORGIVINESS

God beyond borders, we know that on our way to worship, we may not have noticed the exiles in our neighborhoods. We admit how easy it is for us to wander down the streets of temptation, pausing at the corner of easy choices. We fall silent in the presence of those who speak words of anger and hate. We tolerate a culture that suspects all who are different from us.

Have mercy on us, O God, for surely you take the side of justice. Open our hearts to all the wonders you are performing in our lives. You gift us with those of other cultures, that our lives might be blessed. You send us friends out of places we least expect, that our community might be enriched. You call us to be generous with our blessings, so others might be graces with the gift of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Rev. Kathleen Henrion

God challenges us, God encourages us. God confronts us, and God accepts us. God works wonders in our midst and gives us the eyes, the hearts, the souls to see such miracles.

God forgives us, God guides us through the wilderness of the world, God leads us home. Thanks be to God. Amen.

RESPONSE

"Gloria Patri (Glory Be to the Father)"



PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

CHOIR ANTHEM

"Praise You in this Storm"

Adult Choir

SCRIPTURE READING

Liturgist

Luke 17:11-19 (NRSVue)

Jesus Cleanses Ten Men with a Skin Disease

¹¹ On the way to Jerusalem Jesus^[a] was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. ¹² As he entered a village, ten men with a skin disease approached him. Keeping their distance, ¹³ they called out, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" ¹⁴ When he saw them, he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were made clean. ¹⁵ Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. ¹⁶ He prostrated himself at Jesus's^[b] feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. ¹⁷ Then Jesus asked, "Were not ten made clean? So where are the other nine? ¹⁸ Did none of them return to give glory to God except this foreigner?" ¹⁹ Then he said to him, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well."

HYMN OF RESPONSE

"God of the Sparrow" See music in back of bulletin

SERMON

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"Healed?"

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

DEDICATION FOR THE OFFERING

May our gratitude be offered with these gifts in these moments, praying that what we share with others will bring them healing, hope, grace, and peace. We pray this in the name of Jesus. Amen.

OFFERING OUR GIFTS

RESPONSE

"Doxology"





CLOSING SONG Praise Team

"What a Beautiful Name"

SENDING AND BENEDICTION

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Having prayed for the places where we live, we go forth.

God sends us into the apartments and homes,

into the streets and playgrounds to bring hope.

Having gathered with God's people of every age, we go forth.

We will join Jesus in serving folks whose birthdays are celebrated in decades, and newborns who are facing poverty and fear.

Having shared prayers and songs with friends and strangers, we go forth.

We will welcome those who the world forgets but who God loves, as surely as we have been embraced by the Spirit.

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JCPC Prayer List

JCPC Family

Cindy Lay Mary Smith Bob Messersmith Elva Holder Kathy Doty Rev. Dr. John R. Shear Stuart and Robin Kinquist

Members in a Care Facility

Arlene Walters

Friends of Our JCPC Family

Randy Gross- C. Lay brother
Charlie Peters- W. Myer's cousin
Denise Kinquist- S. Kinquist sister
Friend of Heather Wolz
Marian Young- L. Schoonover's mother
Ronald Schoonover, L. Schoonover's father
Anderson family, L. Schoonover's friend
Carole Greer- Barclay's neice
Lois Smith- Myers neighbor
Mark Kesner, K. Doty's cousin
Melanie Williams-Harvey, R. Kinquist sister
Charles Barnes, S. Tyler's son-in-law
Amelia Sanchez, S. Tyler's great granddaughter
Kelly Koch, H. Wolz' uncle
Bill Gross & Marie, C. Lay's father & stepmother

For prayer requests and updates, please contact Marion Elliot at (314) 739-5372

ANNOUNCEMENTS | October 9th, 2022

Community Helping Ministries Update

CHM is still in need of food donations and are asking for the following items: jelly, canned veggies (excluding corn), cereal, tuna/canned meats, canned pasta, dry pasta.

Donations can be placed in the welcome area.

We continue your continued efforts to support our community and those impacted by food shortages!





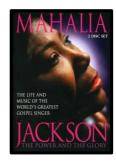
Goldtimers at Fratelli's Ristorante!

Our Goldtimers will be gathering at Fratelli's Ristorante on **Friday, October 14**th at **11:30 AM** for a time of fellowship and great food!

Please indicate if you will be joining us by signing up in the welcome area, or by contacting the church office. All are welcome!

Mahalia Matinee | October 16th

Join us in the Sanctuary on Sunday, October 16th at 1:00 PM for our "Mahalia Matinee"! Our Movie Discussion group will host the viewing of the Mahalia Jackson documentary "The Power and the Glory" and a time for discussion following. We invite you to join us as we learn more about one of America's most prolific gospel singers and one of the most influential vocalists of the 20th century.



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Room at the Inn: An Opportunity for Ministry

One of our new neighbors, Room at the Inn, offers a variety of services to families, women, and children in need, and they are looking for individuals to help serve in a variety of ways. More details will be coming soon. If you would like to help, please see Amy Brixey.





Mug Rack in Fellowship Area

We have installed a mug rack in the main fellowship area and are asking members to bring a mug to use during our time of coffee and fellowship before and after worship service. Not only will this reduce our paper and Styrofoam waste but will also serve as a visual reminder of the importance of fellowship!

Welcome a friend to JCPC!

Do you love our church and have a passion for our ministry? Do you feel God working in this place? We encourage you to consider inviting friends and neighbors to join us for worship. We want to spread the love and passion for Christ that is in this place!



Please submit announcements by Tuesday at 5:30 PM to icpcovd@gmail.com

JOHN CALVIN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH | TRUNK OR TREAT

We are excited for the return of our Trunk or Treat event on **Sunday**, **October 30th** from **3:00-5:00 PM!** This is a fun, safe, family friendly eventand best of all- FREE! We have advertised around the community, and continue to push this event, but we still need your help...

We have promotional materials to hand out for this event-please feel free to take a handful or two to hand out in your neighborhood and community!

We also have a variety of ways we need help to make this event successful, and we hope you will consider participating!

Interested in hosting a Trunk?

Contact the church office or Amy Brixey with your name and decoration ideas. Please submit entries by October 21st. Cars are asked to arrive by 2:00 PM on event day to be in place.

Interested in donating candy?

We have a basket in the welcome area where candy donations can be placed. We are asking for candy and treats that DO NOT contain peanuts or tree nuts.



We are looking forward to a successful event and sharing our ministry of welcome!

CHURCH CALENDAR and BIRTHDAYS October 2022

October 9th-October 15th

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Sunday, October 9th

9:00 AM- Movie Discussion Group

10:30 AM- Worship

Monday, October 10th

Church Office Closed

7:00 PM- Boy Scouts Troop 766

Tuesday, October 11th

Birthday: Mark Vogler

Wednesday, October 12th

Birthday: Marty Hornberger

Thursday, October 13th

6:15 PM- Adult Choir Rehearsal

Friday, October 14th

10:00 AM- Member and Nurture Outreach Meeting

11:30 AM- Goldtimers at Fratelli's

Saturday, October 15th Birthday: Koda Hook

UPCOMING EVENTS

Goldtimers @ Fratelli's

Friday, October 14th | 11:30 AM

Mahalia Matinee in Sanctuary

Sunday, October 16th | 1 PM

Trunk or Treat

Sunday, October 30th | 3-5 PM

Building Dedication Service

Sunday, November 13th | 10:30 AM

Dessert Auction

Sunday, December 4th | 12:00 PM



Guitar chords do not correspond with keyboard harmony.

Though a lack of punctuation makes this text appear freeform and the flowing tune enhances a sense of movement, each stanza here is firmly anchored by a final weighty word (praise, save, thanks, life, peace, home), a sign of God's eternal presence in an ever-changing world.

Welcome to John Calvin Presbyterian Church

We are so glad you are here!

- Please feel free to stop by our welcome area and get a nametag if you do not already have one.
- Our worship and communion services are <u>open to all</u>. Please let us know if there is anything we can do to make your time with us more welcoming and comfortable.
- Please see any of our greeters or ushers if you have any accessibility needs/requests.
- **Restrooms** are located across the hall from the sanctuary entrance as well as in the fellowship area. Please see an usher if you need directions.
- Please feel free to join us for fellowship time following worship!

For more information on John Calvin Presbyterian Church, please visit JCPChurch.org!

Do you have a passion to serve?

We are always in need of members and volunteers to help serve in various ways at John Calvin Presbyterian Church! If you feel called to serve, please contact the church office, or see any of the worship stewards, and we will be happy to connect you with the appropriate team!

"There is one body, but many parts. But all parts make up one body.

So it is with Christ."

-1 Corinthians 12:12-

Thank you for your consideration!