

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE
Thirteen Sunday After Pentecost

September 4, 2022

10:00 AM

Prelude: Betsy Wagner
Welcome and Church Life Rev. Liz Jensen

*** Call to Worship - based on Psalm 1**

Pastor: Oh, the joys of those who delight in doing everything the LORD wants

People: day and night they think about his law.

Pastor: They are like trees planted along the riverbank, bearing fruit each season without fail.

People: Their leaves never wither, and in all they do, they prosper.

Pastor: For the LORD watches over the path of the godly.

People: Oh, the joys of those who delight in doing everything the LORD wants!

*** Invocation**

* Hymn # 22 Praise, My Soul the King of Heaven

Offering * Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer:

Hymn # 531 O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee

Scripture Lesson: Luke 14:25-33 Betty Ballard

Special Music: Betsy Wagner

Message: It's Kind of Spendy

Service of Holy Communion

* Hymn # 589 (Insert) Here I Am, Lord

*** Benediction**

* Postlude:

Church Bell Chimes indicate the start of worship
*** You may choose to stand or remain seated.**

CHURCH LIFE

Altar Flowers: are provided by Ellen Gagnon in loving memory of Joe Gagnon from his wife and family.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Arlene Lynch recovery from surgery.
Kay and Pastor Dave Johnson health issues.
Norma Jolly for health issues.
Janet Vaast and her daughter Nancy, Janet has pneumonia.

Pastoral Search Committee

Ask God to use you in His Service to this community. *You are His Church.*

PASTOR DAVE JOHNSON Thank the folks at Bay Indies church for all their prayers, cards, and calls. We have really appreciated the love and concern. Blessings

FOOD DONATIONS - Next Sunday is the food collection for the Salvation Army. Any and all canned foods and dry goods will be appreciated. Thank you for your generosity.



COME FOR COFFEE.....

Final pre-service coffee of the Summer.....next Sunday, Sept. 11th.....9 - 9:45 a.m.No sign-ups nor cost involved. Just come and chat a bit....enjoy some baked goods and fruit and this week, Nancy Muldoon's famous deviled eggs !!!!

We'll be looking for you!!

BIRTHDAYS

Blake Brown 9/5, Barb Aley 9/4, Carol Geoffroy 9/9, Norma Jolly 9/9
Susan Ponting 9/4 Richard Welch 9/4

Name Tags : Please wear your name tag for Sunday worship service.

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 14:25-33

25 Great crowds were following Jesus. He turned around and said to them,
26 "If you want to be my follower you must love me more than your own father and mother, wife and children, brothers and sisters -- yes, more than your own life. Otherwise, you cannot be my disciple. 27 And you cannot be my disciple if you do not carry your own cross and follow me.

28 "But don't begin until you count the cost. For who would begin construction of a building without first getting estimates and then checking to see if there is enough money to pay the bills? 29 Otherwise, you might complete only the foundation before running out of funds. And then how everyone would laugh at you! 30 They would say, 'There's the person who started that building and ran out of money before it was finished!'

31 "Or what king would ever dream of going to war without first sitting down with his counselors and discussing whether his army of ten thousand is strong enough to defeat the twenty thousand soldiers who are marching against him? 32 If he is not able, then while the enemy is still far away, he will send a delegation to discuss terms of peace. 33 So no one can become my disciple without giving up everything for me.

Head Usher: George Alexander
Usher/Greeters:
Molly Posser & Jane McKenzie
Richard & Barb Welch

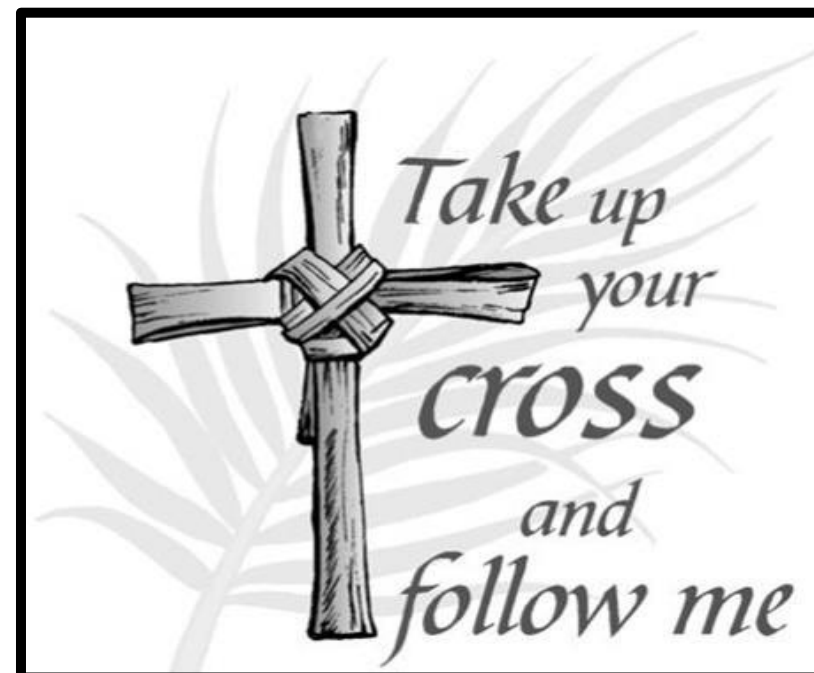
Attendance Last Sunday:
In-Person: 43
Online Church: 37

CHURCH WEBSITE
WWW.BAYINDIESCHURCH.COM

You will find audio/video recordings of previous services, and copies of the worship folders.



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