

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE
Twentieth Sunday After Pentecost

October 15, 2023

10:00 AM

Prelude: They'll Know We Are Christians By Our Love Rita Pittman
Welcome and Announcements Rev. Jonathon Kosec

*** Call to Worship from Revelation 15: 3-4**

Pastor: Great and marvelous are your deeds, Lord God Almighty:

People: Just and true are your ways, King of the ages.

Pastor: Who will not fear you, O Lord, and bring glory to your name?

People: For you alone are holy.

Pastor: All nations will come and worship before you,

People: For your righteous acts have been revealed. Amen.

* Hymn # 317 "Beautiful Savior"

* Invocation

Offering Oh, How I love Jesus

* Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

Scripture Lesson. Matthew 22:34-40 Jane McKenzie

Special Music: Laurie Palmer

Today's Message: "Our First and Next Steps" Rev. Kosec

Hymn #195 "Shine Jesus Shine"

Prayers of the Church

The Pastoral Prayer

* Closing Hymn #676 "Go, My Children"

*** Benediction**

Postlude: Pass It On Rita Pittman

*** You may choose to stand or remain seated.**

CHURCH LIFE

PRAYER REQUESTS. If you have a specific prayer request you want included in the prayers today during worship, please let Pastor Jon know before worship.

FLOWER ARRANGING... If this is your interest and you'd like to help out with our Altar arrangements, please talk to Nan McCleerey or call: 941-445-3769.



Choir rehearsal will begin next Sunday morning at 9:00 am.

Everyone Welcome!

THANK YOU! Thanks to all responsible for the wonderful Pastoral Appreciation Sunday celebration, we shared last week. What a nice thing for you all to do! If I can speak for Pastor Alan and Pastor Liz, we really appreciate your blessing us in such a nice way! --Pastor Jonathon

SIGN IN, PLEASE! We are blessed to have you with us today and we invite you to use the sign-up sheets on the rear table.

BIRTHDAYS:

Arlene Lynch 10/15

Anniversary:

Chris & Pam Gabie 10/16

Head Usher: George Alexander

Usher/Greeters:

Barb & Richard Welch

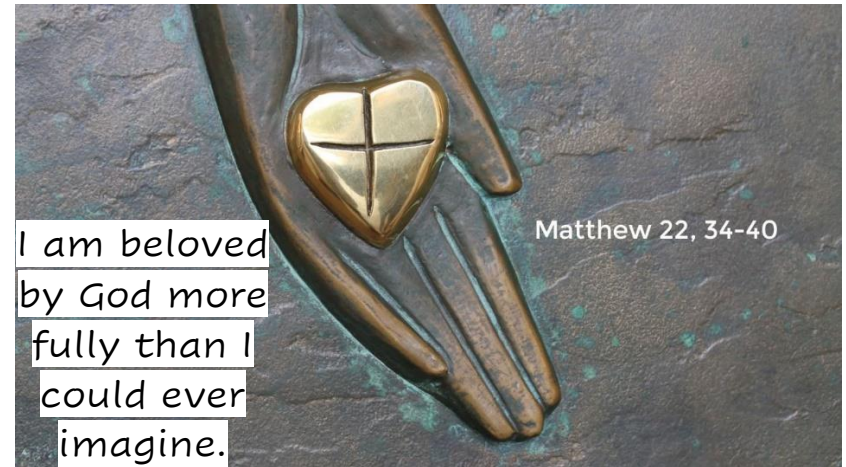
Scripture Reading
Matthew 22:34-40 (New Living Translation)

But when the Pharisees heard that he had silenced the Sadducees with his reply, they met together to question him again. One of them, an expert in religious law, tried to trap him with this question: "Teacher, which is the most important commandment in the law of Moses?"

Jesus replied, "'You must love the LORD your God with all your heart, all your soul, and all your mind.' This is the first and greatest commandment. A second is equally important: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.' The entire law and all the demands of the prophets are based on these two commandments."



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I am beloved
 by God more
 fully than I
 could ever
 imagine.

Matthew 22, 34-40

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Attendance Last Week:
 In-Person – 47

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