



#### Sunday, November 8th 10:00 AM Worship Online & in the Sanctuary

#### Monday, November 9th 4:30 PM Staff Meeting in the

Choir Room
6:30 PM Cub Scouts in the Gym

7:00 PM Boy Scouts In the Gym 7:00 PM Boy Scouts Troop 30 on 3rd floor of Education Building

# <u>Tuesday, November 10th</u> 9:30 AM MCLC Chapel

Mary Martha Circle will not begin meeting again until January 2021

5:30 PM Girl Scouts in Fellowship Hall Classrooms & the Gym

7:00 PM Cub/Boy Scouts Troop 911 in the Youth Building

# Wednesday, November 11th

# **Veterans Day**

8:00 AM Facebook Live Devotional with Communion

5:30 PM Praise Ensemble Practice in the Sanctuary

6:00 PM Wednesday Children & Youth Ministries in LLL Classroom & Conference Room

6:00 PM Bible Study in Fellowship Hall & Zoom

7:00 PM Cub/Boy Scouts Troop 911 in the Youth Building

# Thursday, November 12th 5:30 PM Girl Scouts in the

:30 PM Girl Scouts in the Youth Building

# Sunday, November 15th

9:00 AM Sunday School 10:00 AM Sunday Worship Service with Noisy Offering in the Sanctuary & Online

Guest Preacher: Rev. Amy Castro from St. Luke-Simpson in Lake, Charles, LA - Welcome!

# PRAYER LIST

Terry Yeates (M. Allen) Addi Mays (L. Waughtal)
Rev. Laraine Waughtal
Marilynn & Bill Kenney
Lennie Hanchey Joe Ann Lillie Erik Wiley (S. Iones) Belinda Green (D. Penney) Gervis Bailey (K. Bailey) Jovce & Dovle Whitehead (L. Schultz) Robert Lewis (K. Allen) Sue Kent (K. Allen) John Raimer (L. Waughtal) Brenda Cantrell (S. Slover) **Judy Barbay** (L. Schultz) Don Sandstrum (D. Penney) Hannah Woodard (J. Schwarze) Cathy Lott (D. & V. Allen) Kayetha Wilson Neely Biggs (M. & P. Launey)
Hurricane Delta & Laura Recovery
Efforts
All Emergency Personnel
The Military City of DeRidder State of Louisiana The United States of America Our World Our Enemies Our Church Those Who Have Hurt Us



We would like to thank Elizabeth Vincent for coming in to play for us this morning. We also truly appreciate Lexi for leading us in our worship today!

# "With Gratitude in Your Hearts"

Colossians 3:12-17



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#### ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE GOD OF THE AGES

#### WORDS OF WELCOME

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Let the nations be glad and sing for joy, for you judge the peoples with equity and guide all the nations upon the earth.

Let all the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you. The earth has brought forth its increase; may God, our own God, bless us. Let all peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you.

#### \*HYMN OF PRAISE

America the Beautiful

#696 Words by Katharine L. Bates Music by Samuel A. Ward Used by Permission. CCLI License #3026578

- 1. O beautiful for spacious skies, for amber waves of grain; for purple mountain majesties above the fruited plain! America! America! God shed his grace on thee, and crown thy good with brotherhood from sea to shining sea.
- 2. O beautiful for heroes proved in liberating strife, who more than self their country loved, and mercy more than life! America! America! May God thy gold refine, till all success be nobleness, and every gain divine.
- 3. O beautiful for patriot dream that sees beyond the years thine alabaster cities gleam, undimmed by human tears! America! America! God mend thine very flaw, confirm thy soul in self control, thy liberty in law.

#### \*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation or distress, or persecution or famine, or nakedness or peril or sword?

No! In all things we are more than conquerors through the One who loved us. We are sure that neither death nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Thanks be to God! Amen.

# SHARING OF OUR JOYS & CONCERNS

#### **SUNG RESPONSE**

TAKE MY LIFE AND LET IT BE #399, v.1 & 3

WORDS BY FRANCES R. HAVERGAL MUSIC BY LOUIS J.F. HÉROLD USED BY PERMISSION. CCLI LICENSE #3026578

- 1. Take my life, and let it be consecrated, Lord, to thee. Take my moments and my days; let them flow in ceaseless praise. Take my hands, and let them move at the impulse of thy love. Take my feet, and let them be swift and beautiful for thee.
- 3. Take my will, and make it thine; it shall be no longer mine. Take my heart, it is thine own; it shall be thy royal throne. Take my love, my Lord, pour at thy feet its treasure store. Take myself, and I will be ever, only, all for thee.

# CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

# OFFERING PRAYER & RETURN OF GOD'S TITHES & GIFTS

#### HYMN OF FAITH

*AMERICA* #697, V. 1,2, & 4 Words by Samuel F. Smith MUSIC FROM THESAURUS MUSICUS USED BY PERMISSION, CCLI LICENSE #3026578

1. My country, 'tis of thee, sweet land of liberty, of thee I sing; land where my fathers died, land of the pilgrim's pride, from every mountainside, let freedom ring!

2. My native country, thee, land of the noble free, thy name I love; I love thy rocks and rills, thy woods and templed hills; my heart with rapture thrills, like that above.

4. Our fathers' God, to thee, author of liberty, to thee we sing; long may our land be bright with freedom's holy light; protect us by thy might, great God, our King.

#### SCRIPTURE READING Colossians 3:12-17

#### **SERMON** "WITH GRATITUDE IN YOUR HEARTS"

#### ANTHEM

COME THOU FOUNT OF EVERY BLESSING
WORDS BY ROBERT ROBINSON
MUSIC FROM WYETH'S REPOSITORY OF SACRED MUSIC, PART II

# \*HYMN OF INVITATION I NEED THEE EVERY HOUR

WORDS BY ANNIE S. HAWKS MUSIC BY ROBERT LOWRY USED BY PERMISSION. CCLI LICENSE #3026578

1. I need thee every hour, most gracious Lord; no tender voice like thine can peace afford.

Refrain: I need thee, O I need thee; every hour I need thee; O bless me now, my Savior, I come to thee.

- 2. I need thee every hour; stay thou nearby; temptations lose their power when thou art nigh. [Refrain]
- 3. I need thee every hour, in joy or pain; come quickly and abide, or life is vain. [Refrain]
- 4. I need thee every hour; teach me thy will; and thy rich promises in me fulfill.
- 5. I need thee every hour, most Holy One; O make me thine indeed, thou blessed Son. [Refrain]

# \*BENEDICTION

\*Sending Forth HERALDS OF CHRIST

#567, v.1

WORDS BY LAURA S. COPENHAVER MUSIC BY GEORGE S. WARREN USED BY PERMISSION, CCLI LICENSE #3026578

1. Heralds of Christ, who bear the King's commands, immortal tidings in your immortal hands, pass on and carry swift the news you bring; make straight, make straight the highway of the King.

> POSTLUDE SING PRAISE TO GOD WHO REIGNS ABOVE J.J. SCHULTZ & MAURICE BELL