

Celebration of Worship

August 25, 2019

10:30 a.m.

PRESERVICE MUSIC *Let the Redeemed* Josh Baldwin

GATHERING PRAYER

PRELUDE

*HYMN #455 *Come, Christians Be Committed*

WELCOME

*PRAISE SONGS

Come, Now is the Time To Worship

Come, now is the time to worship.

Come, now is the time to give your heart.

Come, just as you are to worship.

Come, just as you are before your God. Come.

One day every tongue will confess you are God.

One day every knee will bow.

Still the greatest treasure remains

For those who gladly choose you now.

Come, now is the time to worship.

Come, now is the time to give your heart.

Come, just as you are to worship.

Come, just as you are before your God. Come.

The Summons (see insert)

PRAYER Psalm 23

The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.

He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:

He leadeth me beside the still waters.

**He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths
of righteousness for his name's sake.**

**Yea, though I walk through the valley of the
shadow of death,**

I will fear no evil: for thou art with me;

thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

**Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of
mine enemies:**

**thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth
over.**

**Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the
days of my life:**

and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

OFFERTORY PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC Sue Brizendine

SCRIPTURE Luke 13:10-17 Pew Bible page 1620

L: The Word of God for the people of God.

P: Thanks be to God!

SERMON *God's Great Reversal*

*HYMN #452 *Make Me a Blessing*

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

Assistive listening system available – Please see a greeter in the Narthex.

Prayer/Praises: You can either text your prayer or praise request to Pastor Jim at 614-313-1482 or write them down on the prayer/praise note cards in the pew.

Pastor Jim's office hours are usually 10-3 p.m. Monday – Thursday. If you'd like to make an appointment to meet over a cup of coffee, please contact him directly at 614-313-1482.

Assisting in worship today:

Greeter: Julie Donnan

Worship Host: Buzzy Thomas

Refreshment Cart: Patricia Thomas

Sound Tech: Michael Buck, Bruce Reedy

Praise Team: Karen Clouse, Dawn Lowery, Noelle Russell

Trustee Building Closer: Jim Cowie

Learning Opportunities

Prayer Time (adults) – Sunday @9:45 a.m.

Coffee, Conversation and God

2nd and 4th Tuesday

Women's Share Group

1st Wednesday

Charitable Pharmacy

Mon., Tues., Thurs., & Fri. 8 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Outreach Ministries

Food Pantry: August 27, 29, 31

Faith Mission: September 15

NOTES

The altar flowers are given by Karen Clouse in honor of Mady Clouse and in celebration of her birthday.

“Operations” – If you wish to use the new designated giving account, please write on your offering envelope and check “Operations” so our treasurer will be able to segregate the offering.

The Livingston Food Pantry - This month we need toothpaste, soup, and cereal. We also appreciate donations of any size suitcases with wheels. Volunteer help is needed this Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, from 8:30 – noon to help distribute the food. In July, we served 52 families in 3 hours and did not have enough help to adequately handle that volume.

Kroger Community Rewards – The Livingston Pantry will receive a check for \$137.35 because of 37 families that participated in Community Rewards Program from May 1 to July 31. We encourage you to link your rewards card to Livingston United Methodist Church (RA532). Community Rewards is easy to use. The more you shop with Kroger, the more money we will earn! Thank you for your support.

Support Groups

GV Open AA – Sunday, @7 p.m.

Meth Recovery Group – Sunday 8:30 p.m.

First Things First AA – Monday – Friday, @7 a.m.

Brothers and Sisters in Sobriety – Tuesday @6:30 p.m.

The Journey NA Group – Friday @7:00 p.m.

Imagine Productions

August 19 thru Sept. 26 (Mon. – Thurs.) 6 – 10 p.m.