

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

August 21, 2016

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONGREGATIONAL CONCERNS AND THANKSGIVINGS

OPENING PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER.....Pastor and Congregation

CALL TO WORSHIP ... *based on Psalm 71*

Leader: Rock of Refuge!

People: Strong Fortress!

All: Rescue us from the hand of the wicked and from the grasp of the unjust and cruel.

Leader: You are our hope.

People: We place our trust in you.

All: Teach us to lean on you all the days of our lives.

Leader: Our Rock, our Refuge, Strong Fortress, Deliverer...

All: We worship you today!

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP ... "Holy Is the Lord"... *p. 9*.....Congregation

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON ... *Jeremiah 1:4-10* Reggie Jackson

⁴Now the word of the LORD came to me saying, ⁵"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations." ⁶Then I said, "Ah, Lord GOD! Truly I do not know how to speak, for I am only a boy." ⁷But the LORD said to me, "Do not say, 'I am only a boy'; for you shall go to all to whom I send you, and you shall speak whatever I command you.⁸Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you to deliver you, says the LORD." ⁹Then the LORD put out his hand and touched my mouth; and the LORD said to me, "Now I have put my words in your mouth.¹⁰ See, today I appoint you over nations and over kingdoms, to pluck up and to pull down, to destroy and to overthrow, to build and to plant."

HYMN ... "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"7

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE..... Brandi Powers

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Wise and powerful God, you have given us your light and truth to guide us through confusion, yet we have relied instead on our human wisdom and have lost our way. You offer to share our burdens and give us your strength, yet we trust in our own efforts and find ourselves exhausted. Forgive us, and bring us back into your presence, O God; overcome our separation from one another and from you. We pray this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Hear the Good News, in the name of Jesus, you are forgiven.

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MORNING PRAYER

OFFERTORY HYMN... "Great Redeemer, We Adore Thee" ... vs. 1, 2 and 3209

OFFERTORY PRAYER Usher

OFFERTORY

GOSPEL LESSON ...*Luke 13:10-13*..... Reggie Jackson

¹⁰Now he was teaching in one of the synagogues on the Sabbath. ¹¹And just then there appeared a woman with a spirit that had crippled her for eighteen years. She was bent over and was quite unable to stand up straight. ¹²When Jesus saw her, he called her over and said, "Woman, you are set free from your ailment." ¹³When he laid his hands on her, immediately she stood up straight and began praising God.

ANTHEM ... "Standing in the Need of Prayer"Choir

SERMON ... *Touch of God /Jesus*Rev. Josh Powers

CLOSING HYMN ... "Have Thine Own Way, Lord" ... vs. 1,2 and 4 294

POSTLUDE

CALENDAR

TODAY

4:00 p.m. Planning meeting for celebration and dedication of building

RECREATION AND FELLOWSHIP ... BUILDING AND GROUNDS

DECORATION AND SPECIAL EVENTS ... HOSPITALITY

Barbara Smith, Julie McCaskill, Mary Williams, Angel Robinson, Toni Kellis, Nancy Jenkins, Pat McBride, Gary McCaskill, Tommy Smith, Bruce McNeill, Carolyn Brown, Dwayne Blake, Dwight Saunders, Max Luquire, Alisa Beard, Barbara Buckland, Missy Myers, Rebecca Blake, Mary Beth McCaskill, Elizabeth Loflin, McKenzie Jackson, Elana Kellis, Kiara Myers, Molly Abbott, Wayne Abbott, Linda McNeill, Beverly Saunders, Betsy Crisco, Eugene Crisco

5:30 p.m. Choir Practice

6:30 p.m. Recreation

THURSDAY

9:00 a.m. Leave to have lunch with Arnold Jacob!

SATURDAY

4:00 p.m.BACK TO SCHOOL BASH! at Cam and Carolyn Brown's

NEXT SUNDAY

9:00 a.m.BREAKFAST

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

TODAY Mary Beth McCaskill and Elizabeth Loflin

NEXT SUNDAY Sharon and Dwayne Blake

USHERS

TODAY..... Jeff Robinson's Team

NEXT SUNDAY Youth Team

PRAYER LIST

Church family: Wayne Abbott, Eddie and Sharon Reynolds, Katelyn Reynolds, Linda McNeill, Rachel McCaskill, Jack Boone, John & Alisa Beard, Larry Wilson, Rodney Loflin, Melissa Nelson, Florence Cagle, Jane Covington, Karen Dailey, Bob Morgan, Dave Buckland, Barbara Lynthacum, Gary McCaskill, Tina Cripps			Ray, Frances Hudson Paul/Thelma Hussey	Janie Rumbly Meryl Johnson Mildred Hunsucker Harold Johnson	daughter sister sister-in-law friend brother
At Home: Helen Greene, Violet Epps, Irene Warner			Reggie Jackson Mary James	Marian Jackson Benny McBride Bob & Sue Moore Pam Morgan	mother friend niece/ husband niece
Friends and Relatives of: Molly/Wayne Abbott			Butch/Nancy Jenkins	Sylvia Long Amy Wilson John Moore	friend friend Nancy's father
	Monnie Jenkins	friend	Candy Loflin	Cristie Thomas Beth Holt	friend friend
	Juanita King	friend	Mabel Ann Luther	Misty Morgan	friend
	Tony Lawson	friend	Max/Jane Luquire	Wanda Pierce Iris Luquire	daughter sister-in-law
	Toni Atcheson	sister	Barbara Lynthacum	Jo Brooks J.D. Thompson	friend nephew
	Cassie Jenkins	granddaughter	Jean Maness	Melissa Green Helen Mabe	daughter aunt
	Martha Garner	sister	Janet Maness	Carol Luther	friend
	Tammy Laprade	sister	Sylvia McAlister	Polly King Tammy Parker	friend friend
	Audrey Grace Bryan...	friend	Rachel McCaskill	Marsha Norris Kay Rush	grand-daughter daughter
	Junior Reynolds	brother	Pat/Bob Morgan	Jesse Wallace	friend
John Beard	Pat Jones	brother-in-law	Roy and Carol Myers	John Myers	son
Dave/Barb Buckland	Retha Brooks	Sue Ann's mother	Jeff Robinson	June Spears	friend
Jane Covington	Faye	sister	Nancy Ruppert	Marie Spoon	sister
	Pete Thomas	brother-in-law	Service Personnel: Devin Hurley, Mark Davis, Dylan McCaskill, Christian Rush, Seth Spivey, Garrett Wallace, Chris Stuart		
	Lee Kasik	grandson-in-law			
Tina Cripps	Lee Hurley	cousin			
	Wes Key	uncle			
	Shelly Hawthorne	friend			
Tim and Tammy Dunn	Todd Reece	friend			
	Scott Reece	friend			
	Lynn Saunders	cousin			
Ernest , Karen Dailey	Judy and Estella	daughters			
Garrett Gooch	Mary Chunn	grandmother			
Betty Green	Tom Nelson	brother-in-law			

UPCOMING EVENTS

August 25Lunch with Arnold Jacob
 August 27 Back to School Bash at Cam and Carolyn Brown's
 September 7 Wednesday Night Service resumes
 September 11 Planning meeting for celebration of opening of new building
 September 22 JOY Group excursion
 September 29 and 30..... Feed football teams from EMHS ... Volunteers needed!