

9th Sunday After Pentecost

Green (symbolizing the Growth)

The United Methodist Church of Chugiak

Pastor: Rev. Timothy McConville

Ministers: The Entire Congregation

9:30 am Worship Service

July 22, 2018

As you are seated, please remember to fill out the attendance pad and pass it along the pew.

* - Indicates those who are able may stand

Bold – Everyone speaks

UMH – United Methodist Hymnal (blue hardcover)

FWS – The Faith We Sing Hymnal (black paperback)

WAS – Worship and Song (green paperback)

Inspiration

As by his courtesy God forgives our sins when we repent, even so he wills that we should forgive our sin, and so give up our senseless worrying and faithless fear. Our desire is to fear God reverently, to love him humbly and to trust him mightily. Amen.

Julian of Norwich

Words of Welcome

Greeting

Prelude

Terri Schimmack

Prayer of Safety

Jan Wachsmuth

As we light this lamp, we pray for the safety of all who are in harm's way this day and especially for all those in the midst of conflict.

Grant us peace, grant them peace, grant the world peace, in the name of Your Son. Amen.

***Call to Worship**

Leader: Wilt Thou not turn again and quicken us

People: That Thy people may rejoice in Thee?

Leader: Make me a clean heart, O God

People: And renew a right spirit within me.

Leader: O give me the comfort of Thy help again

People: And establish me with Thy free spirit.

--George F. MacLeod, *The Whole Earth Shall Cry Glory*, 58.

***Opening Hymn**

UMH #435

"O God of Every Nation"

Call to Prayer

Unison Prayer of Invocation

God on high, what does peace even look like anymore? It feels so foreign, so often completely absent from the world we live in. "He is our peace." Jesus, our Savior, is our peace. He is the one who brings calm and quiet and rest. Give us tangible moments of deep peace. Help us to believe that it is possible to experience peace even in the midst of chaos. And make us instruments of your peace. May we always spread the truth of Christ and the peace that he brought to each person that we meet. Thank you, God, that peace is not lost. Just help us to know how to see it. Amen.

Silent Prayer

Words of Assurance

Response and Call to Prayer

WAS #3109

"Living Spirit, Holy Fire"

Prayers of the People

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Brief prayers may be shared by people in the congregation.

*If it is a prayer request, the Pastor will end the prayer by saying,
"God, to your love..."*

If it is a praise, the Pastor will say, "God, in thanksgiving..."

*Then the people shall respond each time by saying:
"...we trust this prayer."*

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Especially for Children

FWS #2233

This, this is where children belong, welcomed as part of the worshipping throng. Water, God's Word, bread and cup, prayer, and song: This is where children belong.

Offering our Gifts

(All loose change goes to Beacon Hill)

To our first time visitors: As the offering plate is passed, please understand that your presence is the only gift we ask. If you would join us again next Sunday, that would be appreciated even more!

***Doxology**

UMH #94

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below:
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia!
Alleluia! Alleluia!

***Prayer of Dedication**

Reading from the Word

Listen for the Word of God.

Our hearts and minds are open.

2 Samuel 7:1-14a

Psalm 89:19-37 (UMH 807 Response #2)

Ephesians 2:11-22

*Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

Thanksgiving for the Word

The Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God

The Message

Nathan Woods

***Hymn of Discipleship**

UMH #123

"El Shaddai"

***Taking Christ's Light into the World**

Extinguishing the altar candles

***Benediction**

***Benediction Response** (*words on the overhead beams*)

***Passing the Peace**

May the Peace of God go with you.

And also with you.

Scriptures for next Sunday, July 29th

2 Samuel 11:1-15

Psalm 14 (UMH 746)

Ephesians 3:14-21

John 6:1-21