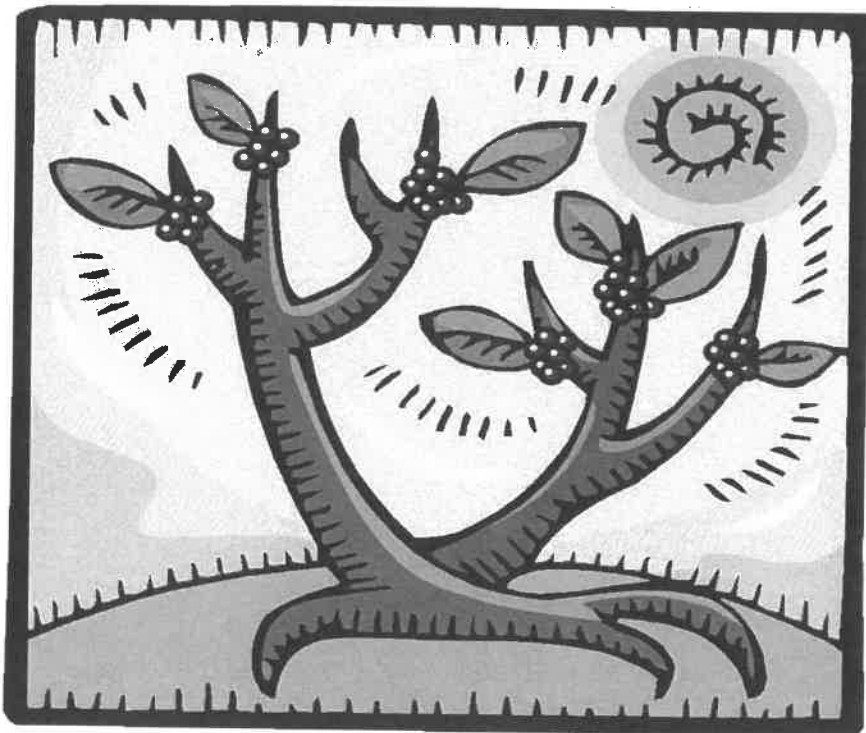


If you have faith the size  
of a mustard seed,  
you could say to this  
mulberry tree, "Be uprooted  
and planted in the sea,"  
and it would obey you.

Luke 17.6



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**THE CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP  
SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER  
Twenty-Seventh Lord's Day in Ordinary Time**

**WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY**

**BALDWIN UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
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Rev. Dr. Robert E. Walkup, Pastor  
Mrs. Grace Shearer, Organist & Choir Director  
Mr. Tom Yousko, Liturgist  
Rev. Dr. James K. Smith, Sr., Pastor Emeritus

11.00 A.M.

October 6, 2019

**WE GATHER IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST**  
*(Please be seated in silence)*

**First Organ Prelude**

**Announcements**

**Second Organ Prelude**

**Call to Worship**

(Litany for Unity)

**Antiphonal**

Leader: That we may lift our voices as one:

**People: *Father, hear our prayer.***

Leader: That your goodness and truth may triumph:

**People: *Father hear our prayer.***

Leader: That your peace may reign in the world at last:

**People:** *Father hear our prayer.*

Leader: Across all barriers of language, race and nationality:

**People:** *Unite us Jesus.*

Leader: Across all our differences of thought, outlook and religious affection:

**People:** *Unite us Jesus.*

Leader: That there may be one flock with one Shepherd:

**People:** *Unite us Jesus.*

Leader: To confound the pride of Satan and his assaults:

**People:** *Come, Holy Spirit*

Leader: That our hearts may be set ablaze and our minds transformed:

**People:** *Come. Holy Spirit.*

Leader: That every knee should bend and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord:

**People:** *Come, Holy Spirit.*

Leader: May we see the fullness of God waiting in all that encounters us:

**People:** *That we may rejoice in your Presence forever*

**\*Hymn**

**#434**

*"Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken"*

**\*Prayer of the Day**

L: The Lord be with you.

***P: And also with you***

L: Let us pray.

Leader: Almighty God, you built your church on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Jesus Christ himself as the cornerstone. Gather your church in unity, by your Holy Spirit, that it may manifest your power among all peoples to the glory of your name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. *Amen.*

## **HIS LIGHT DISPELS OUR DARKNESS**

### **\*Call to Confession**

When we come together and confess, we recognize our humanity and pray for peace over our brokenness and wholeness over our division. Together, let us offer our prayer of confession:

### **\*Prayer of Confession**

**Unison**

***Merciful God, in your loving presence we confess we have not always acted in ways that enhance life. We have forgotten to honor the sacredness and grandeur of your creation. Our fears and our selfishness have prevented us from honoring others as your children. Although you sent Jesus to be Savior of the world, we confess that we sometimes treat him as our own tribal god.***

*Although you are One and the Body of Christ is One, we fail to display that unity in our worship, our mission and our fellowship. Restore us, O God of life. Renew our vision and birth in us a spirit of love, compassion, and courage that your reign might be on earth as it is in heaven as we together pray, saying: "Our Father.....Amen."*

**\*Silent Prayer**

**\*Assurance of Pardon**

**Minister**

Christ is our peace, and for his sake we are promised God's mercy and are assured that God's grace will follow us all the days of our lives.

***Thanks be to God!***

**\*Gloria Patri**

**#546**

**\*The Peace**

**Offertory**

**\*Organ Response**

**#552**

**\*Prayer of Dedication**

**\*Doxology**

**#544**

**\*Hymn**

**#485**

*"Eternal God, Whose Power Upholds"*

**HIS LIGHT GRANTS US VISION**

Prayer for Illumination

Unison

*Holy Spirit, settle our hearts and minds as we read the scriptures today. Help us to hear them in a new way. May our meditations and actions be acceptable to God and may the peace of Christ be with us. Amen.*

First Reading

Pew Bible pg. 763

*Lamentations 1:1-6; 3:19-26*

Second Reading

Pew Bible pg. 211

*2 Timothy 1:1-14*

Gospel Reading

Pew Bible pg. 80

*Luke 17:5-10*

Sermon

Rev. Walkup

*"When Will It Be Enough?"*

## THE RESPONSE OF LOVE

Invitation

Minister

The Great Thanksgiving

Responsive

L: The Lord be with you.

***P: And also with you.***

L: Lift up your hearts.

***P: We lift them to the Lord.***

L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

***P: It is right to give him thanks and praise.***

L: Give thanks to God, for he is good.

***P: His love is everlasting.***

**The Prayer of Thanksgiving & Petition**

**Affirmation of Faith**

**Apostles' Creed**

*Hymnal pg. 12; using "Holy Spirit"*

**Words of Institution**

**The Sacrament of the Bread and Cup**

**Prayer After Communion**

**WE BEAR THE LIGHT OF CHRIST TO OTHERS**

**\*Hymn**

**INSERT**

*"They'll Know We Are Christians By Our Love"*

**\*Charge & Blessing**

**\*Response**

**# 78**

*"God Be With You Till We Meet Again"*  
*(Verses 1)*

**\*Postlude**

***\*Please Stand if Able***

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**WORSHIP & COMMUNION**

**TEAM TODAY:**

**Jim Palmer, Darlene Degenhardt, Diane McGreevy, Giness Mumba**

**WORSHIP TEAM NEXT WEEK: Colleen Frey, Sean Frey, Craig Frey**

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***Bible Readings***



- SUNDAY:** "Becoming Known" I John 1:1-4
- MONDAY:** "Honest With God" Romans 8:31-39
- TUESDAY:** "Who Is My Neighbor?" Luke 10:25-37
- WEDNESDAY:** "Investing" Micah 6:6-8
- THURSDAY:** "Productive Pruning" John 15:1-8
- FRIDAY:** "An Unexpected Hour" 10:38-42
- SATURDAY:** "Hiding In Plain Sight" Galatians 6:1-10

**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:** *"What does the LORD require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with our God. Micah 6:8 (NIV)*

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**Please continue to pray for our sick and shut-ins. Also pray for Jay Torrance, Dorothy Williams, Mary Ellen Shenkle, Brenda Torrance, George Briggs, Cheryl Harriett, Jean Beyer, Eloise Berglund.**



Today is **Holy Communion Sunday**. If you are receiving **Holy Communion today**, please complete the registration card on the back of the bulletin and place on the **offering plate**.

**PER  
CAPITA**

So far **25%** of our membership has paid their **Per Capita**. The apportionment due for each member is **\$34.00**. The **Per Capita** is due at the end of **October**. Please prayerfully consider **contributing**. **Thank you.**





There will be a Deacon's meeting today after Worship Service.

There will be a Session meeting on **Tuesday, October 8**. Copies of last month's minutes are on the hall table for the Elder's review.



The first **Soup and Sandwich luncheon** is today after Worship Service. Stop by Fellowship Hall for some delicious soup and sandwich. **Eat-in or take-out.**

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR:** The **Pork and Sauerkraut dinner** will be held on **Saturday, October 26 at 5:30 PM**. The cost will be **\$10.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children ages 6 to 12 years old**. Please **RSVP Margie** or sign-up sheet by **October 20** if you plan to attend.