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Prelude (a call to silent meditation) Revelation 19:17
“Then an angel called with a loud voice, ‘Come, gather for the great supper of God.’ ”

THE LIGHT OF JESUS COMING INTO OUR PRESENCE

Processional/Introit “Spirit Of The Living God” (#155)

GREETINGS, WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: God whose love is pouring over us, welcomes us here today.

People: Praise be to God!

Leader: God whose healing power is ready to bind up our wounds, welcomes us here today.

People: Praise be to God!

Leader: God whose transforming presence offers us hope and peace, welcomes us here today.

People: Praise be to God who loves, heals and restores us.

***Hymn of Praise** “All Hail The Power Of Jesus’ Name” #325
(Stz 1, 2, & 3)

*OPENING PRAYER

Merciful Lord, You know that we are stubborn and willful. We believe that we know the right way to do everything and to heal all the troubles of the world. We resort to extraordinary means to provide healing only to find that we have not placed our trust in Your redeeming love. Our efforts fall far short of the goal of reconciliation. Forgive us our stubbornness and arrogance. Heal our wounded souls and restore hope and compassion to our relationships with You and with each other. Lift us up and cause us to serve You by serving others in this world. And when we need You most, You show us how to pray, saying...Our Father, who art in Heaven...AMEN.

*LORD’S PRAYER “using debts”

*“Gloria Patri” #142

CALL TO PRAYER

Prayer Hymn “Near To The Heart Of God” #35

Silent Prayers, Quiet Music, and Morning Prayer

Response “Lord, Listen To Your Children Praying” (Chalice #305)

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

Invitation to partake of the Holy Communion

Communion Hymn “Victory In Jesus” #82

Sharing of the Lord’s Supper

OFFERING OF TITHES AND GIFTS

Offertory Meditation

Offertory

*“Doxology” #382

*Prayer of Dedication

YOUNG DISCIPLE’S MOMENT

SCRIPTURE READING

Amos 7:7-9 Romans 12:10-16

Leanne Reed

MESSAGE

“A Carpenter’s Hands”

Leanne Reed

INVITATION

If you desire to accept Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior, to renew your faith, or to place your membership with our church family, please come forward during this hymn.

***Invitation Hymn** “Trust And Obey” (Stz 1 & 4) #454

***Benediction**

***Recessional Hymn** “Yesterday, Today, Forever” #83

CARRYING THE LIGHT OF JESUS INTO THE WORLD

Psalms 26

Job 1:1, 2:1-10

Mark 10: 2-16

Hebrews 1:1-4, 2:5-12

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PRAYER CONCERNS

New people added this week:

- Individuals affected by the devastation of Hurricane Nicholas and Hurricane Ida
- Ronnie Cragen-admitted to Hannibal Regional Acute Rehab
- Charlotte Ormer – diagnosed with Covid
- Heartfelt sympathy to family and friends of Linda Sue Hoyt

We pray continued prayers of hope and healing for:

- Those dealing with cancer
- Lisa Ambrosia (wife of the grandnephew of Rae Bair) – slowly weaning her off the trach
- Crystal Bandy (friends of Alvin and Nancy Seelow) – ventilator has been removed but paralyzed on her left side
- Samantha Day (friend of Glenna) – massive brain tumor, located in multiple places in the skull and related bones
- Melburn Fisher - improving
- Linda Hodges – recovering at home from surgery to place plates in both broken wrists
- Bruce Howald (nephew of John and Willene Asbury) – unconscious, the results of a motorcycle accident
- Isa Imtiaz (son of Christia's cardiologist) – born at 24 weeks
- Luke Ragland (2 yr. old son of Thomas and Courtney Ragland) – doing better at home
- Paula Roland – biopsy showed NO cancer
- Moriah Schutte - Crohn's Disease
- Wyatt Smith (nephew of Dawn) – year old hospitalized with major heart issues
- Becky Tuley (cousin of Nancy Seelow) – back at home following the stem cell transplant and doing well
- Melba Whitford (sister of Eunice) – cancer returned

Fish Fry

The Perry Christian Church Fish Fry was held on September 25, and it was a BIG success. Hotdogs were cooked for those who didn't want fish. They ran out of fish around 1:30 and they felt bad because people were still coming in to eat. Next time they'll have to get a bit more fish! Several meals were delivered around town by Alvin and Nancy Seelow. There was \$1,883 in LOVE OFFERINGS ALONE!!! It was a great day, and everyone had such a good time.

Next Sunday's scripture is
Mark 10:17-31

Last Sunday's Attendance
September 26 --- 41

Last Month's Offering
August 2021 --- \$20,813.29*

Last Month's Expenses
August 2021 --- \$6,616.18

*This includes Golf Tournament earnings and an insurance check to repair the damage to the parsonage.

**Bulletins, newsletters, and recorded church services are located on the church's website,
<http://www.perrychristian.church/>**

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October 3, 2021

BIRTHDAYS

Oct 04	Wyatt Lewellen	Oct 04	Marley Cowan
Oct 06	Tim Eisele	Oct 12	Danette Henderson
Oct 12	Travis Brown	Oct 13	Brooklyn Birkhead
Oct 16	Barb Cunningham	Oct 20	Irene Parks
Oct 20	Renea Brown	Oct 25	Alyia Cowan
Oct 27	Nathan Long	Oct 27	Ayden Meranda
Oct 31	Debbie Coleman		

ANNIVERSARY

Oct 07 Gary and Michele House (2002)
Oct 18 Warren and LouAnne Hetrick (1975)
Oct 26 David and Nancy Birch (1963)

GREETERS

Oct 03	Willene Asbury	Jim Bair
Oct 10	Carol Norman	Kim Meyer
Oct 17	Jeanie Gay	Laura Cowan
Oct 24	Nancy Seelow	Alvin Seelow

UPCOMING

Sun., Oct 03 – Brief Church Board Meeting after church
Sun., Oct 10 – Worship Service @ 10:45 a.m.
Sun., Oct 17 – Worship Service @ 10:45 a.m.
Sun., Oct 24 – Worship Service @ 10:45 a.m.

S. S. SUPERINTENDENT – Greg Harrison
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