

*Your Friendly
Community Church*



September 26, 2021

***Eighteenth Sunday
after Pentecost***

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE *"How Great Is Our God"*

WELCOME

& ANNOUNCEMENTS

Jan Smith

***CALL TO WORSHIP:**

Leader: Are any among you suffering?

People: Then let us pray.

Leader: Are any cheerful?

People: Then let us sing songs of praise.

Leader: Are any among you sick?

People: Then let us turn to each other for God's healing touch.

Leader: The prayer of faith will save us.

People: And God will lift us up.

***HYMN**

"Sweet Hour of Prayer"

#496

***PRAYER OF THE DAY:**

Christ Jesus, we come into your presence from many different places. We come with songs of joy and shouts of gratitude. We come carrying heavy burdens and sighs of suffering. As you welcome us into your house, lift our burdens and receive our praise. Salt us with your grace and mercy. Bind us together, that we may be at peace with one another and be strengthened to go forth in service to the world. In your holy name, we pray. Amen.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Diane Horn

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.

OFFERING (Ushers will come to you.)

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Bryon K. Black, II

"More Like Jesus"

***DOXOLOGY**

#94

SCRIPTURE: James 5:13-20

SERMON:

"Powerful Prayer"

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** #881
The Apostles' Creed

***HYMN OF INVITATION** #474
"Precious Lord, Take My Hand"

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

The altar is open for prayer. If you would like the pastor to pray with you, please so indicate. The doors of our church are open if anyone wants to join by profession of faith or by transfer.

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE *"Precious Lord, Take My Hand"*

**Please stand as you are able.*

WELCOME GUESTS

Thank you for your presence this morning at Rehoboth UMC. If you are visiting, please complete a visitor's card located in your pew.

Mark your calendars for Sunday, October 17, the first of our many 110th Anniversary celebrations. There will be a short service, "Remembering Our Loved Ones", in the CLC. This service will conclude around the cemetery with the release of butterflies. For questions, contact Vilma Cobb.

Please continue to be in prayer and to invite friends and family to the 110th Anniversary Celebration on Sunday, November 14. For questions, contact L.W. Smith.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Prayer Line - Sunday, 2 p.m. 1-551-258-6961

110th Anniversary Committee: Monday, September 27,
6:30 p.m., ZOOM

Worship Team: Tuesday, September 28, 6:30 p.m., ZOOM

Choir: Wednesday, September 29, 6:30 p.m.

You are welcomed to attend one of our Sunday school groups each Sunday Morning:

Crossroads SS Class meets via Zoom at 9 a.m.
Contact L.W. Smith for Zoom invite.

Pathfinder SS Class meets at 9:45 a.m. in the parlor in the Education Building.

Ushers: Dan O'Donnell & Chad Phillips

Trustee Lock-up: Randy Anty

HEARING INFO

Hearing assistance devices are available in the narthex. If you would like to use one every week, please provide your own headphones or earbuds. We are happy to keep them in the narthex in a Ziplock bag with your name on it. If your hearing aids have Bluetooth, you can use your phone to connect. All you have to do is download the app "listen everywhere" onto your phone. Then, go to the Bluetooth settings on your phone and click on "Rehoboth audio." The password is "audionet." If you need any assistance, please talk to one of our ushers.

Leadership Team 2021

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