

*Your Friendly
Community Church*



October 3, 2021

***Nineteenth Sunday
after Pentecost***

World Communion Sunday

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE *"Cornerstone"*

WELCOME
& ANNOUNCEMENTS Dave Petty

***CALL TO WORSHIP:**

Leader: Today we gather around God's table from near and far

People: We are the People of God!

Leader: Though we differ in language, custom, and tradition

People: We are brothers and sisters in Christ!

Leader: For there is one Lord, one faith, and one baptism

People: We are One in God's Spirit!

Leader: We are one and together we remember our Lord Jesus

People: For we are the people of Redemption!

Leader: He gave himself up for us, so we could be reconciled to God.

People: Come, let us worship the God of our Salvation!

***HYMN** *"What a Friend We Have in Jesus"* #526

***PRAYER OF THE DAY:** Today, God, we confess our fumbings and failures in accomplishing unity, as we set aside yet another day to remind ourselves of the task. On this World Communion Sunday, give us eyes to recognize your reflection in the eyes of Christians everywhere. Give us a mind to accept and celebrate our differences. Give us a heart big enough to love your children everywhere. We thank you for setting a table with space enough for us all! Amen.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT Pastor Meegian

FINANCIAL UPDATE L.W. Smith

PASTORAL PRAYER

OFFERING (Ushers will come to you.)

OFFERTORY ANTHEM Felecia Boyce
"Lamb of God"

***DOXOLOGY** #94

SCRIPTURE: Job 1:1, 2:1-10

SERMON: "A Good Practice"

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

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.

BREAKING THE BREAD

GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

***HYMN OF INVITATION**

#368

"My Hope Is Built"

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 *"Blessed Be Your Name"*

**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

Worship Line. 1-551-258-6961

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

UMM: Monday, October 4, 6:30 p.m.

Trustees: Tuesday, October 5, 6:30 p.m. via ZOOM

Choir: Wednesday, 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: Rick Boyce & Bill Rose

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.

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