

ORDER OF WORSHIP

August 14, 2016

13th Sunday after Pentecost

Good morning! We wish God's grace and peace to you as we worship this morning. During the welcome, please sign the registration pads. If you are a first time visitor, we welcome you this morning and pray you have a meaningful worship time with us. (CCLI 1765953)

WORSHIP THE LORD IN THE BEAUTY OF HOLINESS

Ministers – The Congregation
Pastor – Mark Chow

GATHERING FOR CELEBRATION

WORSHIP CHIMES

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS / INVOCATION

PRELUDE "Pastorale on 'O God Our Help'"

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

Tony Merry
Todd Sands
P. Manz

CELEBRATION THROUGH PRAISE

*HYMN OF PRAISE 568 "Christ for the World We Sing"

(As the children come forward and depart the sanctuary, the congregation may sing "Jesus Loves Me" - 191 vs. 1)

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

(Children will go downstairs for KidsOwnWorship)

Christy Swope

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

"I've Been Changed"
Grace Notes Quartet

Mosie Lister

Debby Johnston – Zephyr Baker – Nancy Hynds – Crystal Engle

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Todd Sands

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed by 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.**

CELEBRATION THROUGH OUR GIFTS

OFFERING OUR TITHES AND OUR GIFTS TO GOD

OFFERTORY

"I'd Rather Have Jesus"

arr. R. Lister

Grace Notes Quartet

*DOXOLOGY 94

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

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!

*BLESSING OF THE OFFERING

CELEBRATION THROUGH GOD'S WORD

*HYMN OF PREPARATION 156 "I Love to Tell the Story"

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 28:16-20

The Word of God for the People of God.

Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE

Rev. Dennis Baker

BIKES, BELLIES AND BUDDHA!

GOING FORTH TO CELEBRATE

*CLOSING HYMN 569 "We've a Story to Tell to the Nations"

*BENEDICTION

CLOSING VOLUNTARY

"Concluding Voluntary"

R. G. Thompson

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ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY -- Sunday School – 15

Worship – 38, 76

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

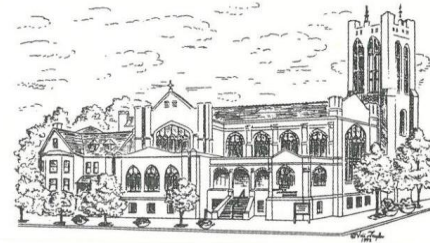
August 14 Bud Hosey
August 15 Kaustin Mock, David Zangmeister
August 16 Aaron Richards, Todd Sands
August 17 Justin Thompson
August 18 Deborah Chow
August 19 Luke Burkhart, Jeff Hanson
August 20 Janet Fogle

THIS WEEK AT GRACE

Sunday, August 14
Monday, August 15
Tuesday, August 16
Wednesday, August 17
Thursday, August 18
Friday, August 19
Saturday, August 20
Sunday, August 21

GRAPEVINE Deadline

6:30 p.m. Staff-Parish Relations Comm. – Parlor
6:30 a.m. Bible Study – Parlor
8:15 a.m. Early Service – Fellowship Hall
9:00-10:15 Fellowship Time – Fellowship Hall
9:15-10:15 Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service



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VISION STATEMENT for Grace Church

GRACE WILL Gather to worship God – Grow spiritually – Go serve and make disciples

Thanks to our worship leaders this morning:

Greeters – Jim & Judy Schumacher
Usher Coordinators – Jim Schumacher, Dana Swope
Elevator Attendants – Bob & Martha Lentz
Liturgist – Todd Sands
Acolytes –
Children's Moment – Christy Swope
Grace Notes Quartet – Debby Johnston,
Sands
Zephyr Baker, Nancy Hynds, Crystal Engle
Nursery Care Provider – Julie McAllister
Sound – Craig Hill, Dan Vincent, Bill Woods

Staff

Admin. Asst. – Judy Cranz
Christian Educ. – Sarah Burris
Custodian – Tracie Moss
Organist – Tony Merry
Parish Visitor – Judy McAllister
Pastor – Mark Chow
Volunteer Lay Visitor – Todd

Living as Disciples

This morning we are challenged to fulfill the calling of making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

8:15 a.m. Worship Celebration

*This morning we welcome Tony Merry – Pianist;
Jim Gillespie – Mandolin; Bob Paap – Banjo.*

Gathering for Celebration

Celebration Through Praise

Celebration Through Our Gifts

Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts to God

Celebration Through God's Word

Scripture — Matthew 28:16-20

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Message — *Bikes, Bellies and Buddha!* — Rev. Dennis Baker

Going Forth to Celebrate

We welcome Rev. Dennis Baker who brings the Word of God at both services today. Rev. Baker is a retired elder of the West Ohio Conference of the United Methodist Church, most recently serving at Coburn UMC for 12 years.

Coming Soon!

Community Block Party – Sunday, August 28 – 10:00 a.m.

Outdoor worship followed by food, fun, fellowship, and lively entertainment. In addition, there will be activities for the kids, a health fair, and giveaways. As Shinnick St. will be closed and tents will be set up, parking will be available at the Library, Health Department, Welcome Center as well as limited street parking.