



8:30 AM SERVICE FOR 17 JULY 2011

Welcome - We are glad that you are here! .

Hearing devices are available -- Ask about Children's Sundays School and our Nursery.

**Opening Praise 1) My Redeemer Lives! (E) V Chx3 (2nd a cappella) End fade out...
Welcome by Pastor Harold**

Scripture Reading Matthew 10:27-30 Pastor Harold *The Disciples' Reward*

²⁷ Then Peter said to Him, "Behold, we have left everything and followed You; what then will there be for us?" ²⁸ And Jesus said to them, "Truly I say to you, that you who have followed Me, in the regeneration when the Son of Man will sit on His glorious throne, you also shall sit upon twelve thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel. ²⁹ And everyone who has left houses or brothers or sisters or father or mother or children or farms for My name's sake, will receive many times as much, and will inherit eternal life. ³⁰ But many *who are first* will be last; and *the last, first.*

Opening Prayer - Pastor Harold

Praise:

- 2) How Great Is Our God (G) V1/Ch V2/Ch Bridge Ch
- 3) I Will Sing Of My Redeemer (G) V1 V2 Ch (A) Ch repeat last line x3
- 4) Medley: Jesus Loves Me - Amazing Grace

(Children are dismissed to their Sunday School Class)

Worship In Giving Offertory 5) His Eye Is On The Sparrow (chorus)

**Prayer of Adoration Susan Coho
Sharing God's Peace (greeting one another)**

Joys & Concerns - Pastoral Prayer - Pastor Harold

Scripture Reading Hebrews 11:32-12:2 Mike Herber

Sermon "The Making of A Hero" Pastor Ed McRae

**Communion Scripture Reading 1 Corinthians 11:12-31 In Unison
Communion Song 6) "Who Is Like Thee, O Lord" (D)**

**Benediction Song 7) "The Lord Bless Thee" (D) Susan Coho
Recessional 8) "O My Redeemer!" (D) x2**



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WELCOME WITH NEWS OF THE CHURCH

PRELUDE *Elegy* F. PEETERS, *COMPOSER*

† **CALL TO WORSHIP**

ONE: Today is a day for worship!

MANY: We have come to worship!

ONE: Today is a day to rejoice!

MANY: We have come to rejoice!

ONE: Today is a day to declare God's greatness!

MANY: We have come to declare God's greatness!

ONE: Today is a day to hear from the LORD!

MANY: We have come to hear from the LORD!

ALL: God, we worship you today for you are great and greatly to be praised!

† **HYMN No. 98** *To God Be The Glory*

CHILDREN'S MOMENT JUDY ATWOOD

PRAYER OF CONFESSION #890

SPECIAL MUSIC *I Believe* CHUCK BURNS AND PATTIE MELSHEIMER

JOYS AND CONCERNS FOR PRAYER AND THANKSGIVING

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.

OFFERTORY *Child's Dream* F. PEETERS, *COMPOSER*

† **DOXOLOGY**

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below.

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host. Praise, Father, Son and Holy Ghost

SCRIPTURE READING HEBREWS 11:32-12:2

LITURGIST: This is the word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

SERMON THE MAKING OF A HERO
Rev. Ed McRae

† **HYMN 529** *How Firm A Foundation*

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *Invention* F. PEETERS, *COMPOSER*



Bring a friend!
Join us on Wednesdays
at 7 PM in our youth
lounge (215) with Mike
& Linda Herber.

**STUDY
GROUP**



Men's Bible Study
All men are invited to
meet with us Mondays
at 7 PM in room 215.
Morning Bible Study
Join us on Fridays at
8:30 AM in the Library.
Women's Bible Study
All ladies are invited to
meet at 9:30 AM in room
215 Sunday mornings.



Intercessory Prayer
Thursday mornings at
10 AM in the library.
All are welcome!
Women of Prayer
Join us Mondays in the
Sanctuary at 7 PM.



Debtor's Anonymous
Mondays at 6 PM- MMR
Al-Anon & Ala-Teen
Mondays at 7:30 PM in
the MMR and 211.
Alzheimer's Care-Giver
1st Wednesday of each
month at 1 PM (MMR).



(CH) Criswell Hall
(S) Sanctuary
(N) Narthex
(L) Library
(K) Kitchen
(PS) Pastor's Study
(MMR) McMillen Room

The Bulletin Board

SUNDAY—11/30

"Coffee Hour" ~ Finance Committee

8:30 AM Contemporary Worship
10:30 AM Traditional Worship
3:00 PM Jammin' 4 Jesus (CH)

MONDAY — 12/1

7:00 PM Men's Bible Study (215)
Women of Prayer (S)
SPRC (PS)

TUESDAY — 12/2

8:30 AM Senior Exercise (CH)
9:00 AM Sew 'n' Sews (MMR)
5:00 PM Grande Ringers (115)
6:30 PM AG Community Chorus (S)
7:00 PM Board of Trustees (MMR)

WEDNESDAY — 12/3

3:30 PM Cub Scouts (211)
6 PM Advent Supper and Study (CH)
**6:30 PM Preparing for Advent
Meditation (CH)**
7:00 PM UM Youth (215)
Chancel Choir Rehearsal (S)

THURSDAY -12/4

11:45 AM People's Kitchen (K)
5:00 PM Grande Ringers (115)
7:00 PM Red Umbrella (MMR)

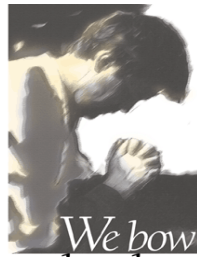
FRIDAY — 12/5

4:00 PM AG UM Children's Center
Staff (MMR)

SATURDAY — 12/6

6:30 AM Praise Team Rehearsal (S)

17 July 2011- Prayers & Thanksgiving



*We bow
our heads
in prayer*

- Continue to pray for our pastors and their families.
- Missionaries serving God around the world.
- God grant our nation & its leaders wisdom & discernment.
- The homeless and hungry both here and around the globe.
- Prayers for peace & justice throughout the world.
- Lift up the many following devastation from natural disasters around the world.
- Members & friends of our congregation who are dealing with the many issues of life, we lift them up.
- **Prayers for Comfort and Healing for:**
 - Christy Eichelberger is having back pain and problems with issues at work
 - Betty Ann Quintanna is having health problems.
 - Julie Burns friend who is battling cancer.
 - Continue prayers for Chuck Perriguey who is in critical condition at Cottage Hospital after 2 brain surgeries. Prayers for the family.
 - Marie Kliesch, Irene's mother-in-law, passed away.
 - Vern Wizeman is having health problems, prayers for Joanne also.
 - Carleen Minkler is home recovering from a stroke. Cards are welcome.
 - Adam Gainer is recovering from brain cancer.
 - Peace for Gordon Bennett who is under hospice care.
- **Praise God and thank Him for His goodness.**
 - Pastor David and his new bride Sarah as they travel home from their honeymoon.

Our Covenant Missionary: Krista Givens in Germany

Field Missionaries: Julie & David Elmore (Alaska), John Elmore (Chile),

Muriel & Terry Hendersons (Mexico), Lorene & David Persons (Congo).

Remember in prayer: The leaders and the people of other nations; those in the military and their families. **Continue to pray for: Our church family and friends, our Youth and Children's Ministries, Wil Ogden, Jennifer Gandy and family, the Caweltis, LeAnna Gainer, Linda Archibald, the Hammonds, Esther Miller, Bill Paulson, Yvonne Holt, Sean Lehman, Fenton McClure, Kent Brown, Roy Lewis, the Bucktons, Bodie Bennett & family, Jean Coho, Sheila Owine, Todd Everett, Gordon Bennett, and Eleanor Hughes. **In****

Care Facilities: Bob Atwood, Bob Woods, Mary Patterson, Inez Kenneaster, Wayne Frisby, Bob Serby, Mary Johnson, and Donna Truman. **Shut-Ins: Doris Rice, the Houldings, Jeanne Jenkins, Madge Young, Hershel Whitefield, Ruby Weddell, the Cochran and Isabelle Sloan.**

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The 17 July 2011
Bulletin Board



This Week's Host
 Staff/Parish

Next Week's Host
 Blue Umbrella



Altar Flowers

"In honor of
 Laura's Birthday."
 by
 Ray Ewick

For more information,
 visit our website at
worshipweekly.com

Today's News

UMC of AG Welcomes

We are so grateful to have Pastor Ed McRae in the pulpit today.

The Burgeson's are on their honeymoon until July 24.

We thank Judy Atwood and Heidi Carpentier for giving their time to keep our office in control.

JOURNEY WITH JESUS

Deepen Your walk with God and strengthen your discipleship through this complimentary 3 day spiritual renewal program known as the Emmaus Walk. The Mens walk begins Aug 4 and the Womens walk begins Aug 10. For more information, contact the office.

HIGHLIGHTS



- **WOW(Women of Worth) 7/21 at 6:30pm (MMR)**
- **Sarah Returns to Office-7/25**
- **Pastor Returns to Office—7/26**
- **Preschool Board - 7/26 (MMR)**
 closed session at 2 PM
 open session at 3:30 PM
- **Endowment Board - 7/26 at 2 PM (MMR)**
- **Book Club—7/28 at 4 PM (MMR)**
- **Church Council—7/28 at 6:30 PM (MMR)**
- **Praise Team —7/30 at 6:30 PM (S)**
- **Rummage Sale—8/5 & 8/6 (CH)**
- **Emmaus Walk— Mens 8/4-8/7; Womens 8/11-8/14 (Ventura UMC)**
- **World Thank Offering—8/18 (CH)**
- **Soul Surfer - 8/20 at 6PM (S)**

WHILE THE PASTOR'S AWAY...



We will welcome Pastor Ed McRae on July 17th.

We know that you will make this special man feel at home. Our prayer is that you enjoy the words the Lord has given him for this Sunday while our Pastor is on his honeymoon.



Gather together to read the bible aloud every Thursday from 5—6 pm in the Sanctuary

Church Rummage Sale to fund school kits

A church rummage sale to benefit the school kits project will be held on Friday and Saturday, August 5 & 6, from 8:30 am to 2:30 pm in Criswell Hall. Donations of items (excluding furniture) will be accepted at the church hall on Thursday August 4 after 10 am. For item pickup, contact Nancy Baughman.

Why does the Methodist church get involved in politics? What does the Methodist church say about abortion?

Join us each Wednesday evening during the month of August as we answer these and many other questions. We will be studying and discussing the *Social Principles of the United Methodist Church (2009-2012)*. This study is being facilitated by Pastor David Burgeson and Patti Melsheimer. The Social Principles "provide our most recent official summary of stated convictions that seek to apply the Christian vision of righteousness to social, economic, and political issues." We will have dinner at 5 PM in Criswell Hall and begin our discussion at 6 PM in the MMR. Together we will attempt to understand how the leaders of the church arrived at this group of beliefs and how they have changed over the years. Study books will be provided. Please sign-up for the study in Criswell Hall this Sunday.

Peoples Kitchen

"The People's Kitchen needs your help. The homeless can use your toiletries from recent trips you may have made. They also can't get enough pairs of socks. See Betty and Chuck Ashton in Criswell Hall for further information."

