



**16 OCTOBER 2011—18TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
TODAY IS SOCK SUNDAY**

*SOCKS FOR THE HOMELESS CAN BE PLACED IN THE NARTHEX 'SOCK BARREL'.*

Welcome you to worship -we are glad that you could join us on this Lord's Day!

We invite you will stay for coffee and fellowship after service today in Criswell Hall.

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

PASTOR DAVID

**HANDBELL INTROIT**

*The River*

GRANDE RINGERS

ANNA LAURA PAGE, ARRANGEMENT

**† SCRIPTURE READING**

PSALM 1

**† OPENING PRAYER**

PASTOR DAVID

**HANDBELL ANTHEM**

*God of Grace*

GRANDE RINGERS

MANZ-LUTZ, ARRANGEMENT

**PRAISE**

*I Will Sing of My Redeemer*

*The Family of God*

*Breathe*

*\* Children are dismissed with their teacher to Sunday school - Room 211\**

**WE WORSHIP IN GIVING**

**OFFERTORY**

*For The Beauty of The Earth*

**PRAYER OF ADORATION**

SUSAN COHO

**WE SHARE IN GOD'S PEACE (GREET THOSE AROUND YOU)**

**JOYS & CONCERNS FOR PRAYER AND THANKSGIVING**

PASTOR DAVID

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**SCRIPTURE READING**

MATTHEW 8: 5-13

MIKE HER-

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**LITURGIST:** *This is the word of the Lord.*

**PEOPLE:** *Thanks be to God.*

**SERMON**

*Making Faithful Disciples of Jesus Christ- Part 6*

*Life In The Deep*

PASTOR DAVID M. BURGESSON

**COMMUNION SCRIPTURE**

1 CORINTHIANS 11: 23 - 26

PASTOR DAVID

**COMMUNION SONG**

*Remember Me*



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*Hearing devices & large print bulletins available. Ask about Nursery Care & Children's Sunday School.*

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PRELUDE *Kyrie Eleison* C. GOUNOD, *COMPOSER*

HANDBELL INTROIT *The River*  
ARRANGEMENT BY ANNA LAURA PAGE

### † OPENING PRAYER (*IN UNISON*)

**Holy Spirit, fill this place. May you be our guide as we worship, our voice as we sing, our hearts as we pray, our ears as we listen. Please clear our minds and hearts of the distractions of daily life, of thoughts about tomorrow's responsibilities, of anxiety about yesterday's mistakes and of dread over a sense of our unworthiness. Instead, fill us with only you. You are the reason we come together and we invite you to be the center of all that happens in this place. Thank you for your presence among us. Amen.**

† HYMN No. 660 *God Is Here*

HANDBELL ANTHEM *God of Grace*  
ARRANGEMENT BY MANZ-LUTZ

**\*\* CHILDREN ARE DISMISSED TO SUNDAY SCHOOL AT THIS TIME**

### CALL TO CONFESSION

PASTOR: Our Messiah suffered, died and rose from the dead on the third day so that repentance and forgiveness of sins could be proclaimed in his name to all nations. Because of that sacrifice, we are able to confess our sins without fear.

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

PEOPLE: **God of grace and glory, you have given us the gift of Scripture, but we fail to read and study your Word with diligence. You commanded us to teach our children your laws and the story of your people, but we put other things and activities at a higher priority. You commanded us to instruct all new disciples in your ways, but we fall short. You gave us the gift of the Holy Spirit, yet we find excuses to avoid sharing the good news of the gospel. Create in us a hunger to read and meditate on Scripture — individually and with our families. Forgive us for those times when our words and actions are in direct conflict with your teaching. Inspire us to find ways to bear witness to those who do not know your redeeming grace. Amen.**

### WORDS OF PARDON

PASTOR: Friends, believe the good news! In Jesus Christ you are forgiven. Alleluia. Amen.

CHORAL ANTHEM *We Are More Than Conquerors* CHANCEL CHOIR

JOYS AND CONCERNS FOR PRAYER AND THANKSGIVING  
PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

### CALL TO OFFERING AND PRAYER

OFFERTORY *Ave Maris Stella* G. GUILMANT, *COMPOSER*

### † DOXOLOGY

† HYMN No. 64 *Holy, Holy, Holy*

SCRIPTURE MATTHEW 8:5-13 TOM EGAN

LITURGIST: This is the word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God.**

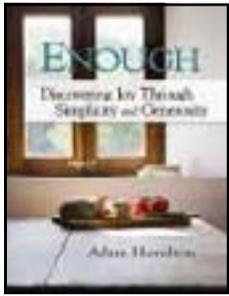
SERMON **MAKING FAITHFUL DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST - PART 6**  
*Life In The Deep*  
PASTOR DAVID M. BURGESSON

† HYMN No. 664 *Sent Forth By God's Blessing*

### † BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE

POSTLUDE *Marcia* A. REINHARDT, *COMPOSER*

- Sermon Series
- Book Study
- Discussion Group



**Join US...**  
*Sunday Series and Series Discussion*

**Group**

*begins October 23*

*(Discussion Group meets at 9:45 AM in the McMillen Room to review and go deeper into pastor's sermon.)*

**Wednesday Bible Study**

*begins October 19 at 6 PM in the McMillen Room*

**AG United Methodist Children's Center**



**Family Fun Day**  
**Trike-A-Thon, BBQ and Carnival**

**Saturday**  
**October 22**  
**11 AM—1:30 PM**  
**Church parking lot**

- **Trike-a-Thon** at 11 AM
  - **Tri-tip served** at 11:30 AM
- PRE-SALE TICKETS \$8**

*Carnival Games, Bounce house, face painting, bake sale & more!*

*Come see Smokey the Bear and Starkey from 5 Cities Fire.*

Join us to discuss this *provocative* and very *interesting* book!

- All are welcome -

**UMW Book Club**



**October 27**

4 PM

McMillen Room

*The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks*

by Rebecca Skloot

*Patti Melsheimer has more info.*



**Sign-up**

*in Criswell Hall for this day to HELP US keep God's house in good and working order!*

*We need every one—all ages!*



**United Methodist Women Bake Sale & Boutique**

*Sunday, November 6th*  
*between and after services*

*November 5th between 1-5 P.M.*

*Please bring any baked goods and/or NEW items for the sale to*

*Criswell Hall,*

*Monies raised will go to projects of the United Methodist Church.*



**Friday Meeting?**

*YES...That's right!*

*Meet our U/M/M at 8 AM on Friday, October 28th in the U/MC of AG parking lot to car-pool to the Melsheimer manufacturing plant in Santa Maria. There we will be treated to BREAKFAST and a tour. Reservations are required!*

*See Wayne Huggins in Criswell Hall or sign-up details.*

**One Service Sunday**



**October 30th, 2011**

*Service at 10:30 AM*

*Potluck at 11:30 AM*

*Show off your favorite potluck dish—and try someone else's!*

*Sign-up sheet in Criswell Hall*



**October 23rd**

**2012**

*Alternative Christmas giving opportunities are:*

**LOCAL GIFTS WILL BE DOONED AMONG:**

*South County Food Bank, Five Cities Christian Women, and People's Kitchen.*

**NATIONAL GIFTS ARE FOR:**

*US Disaster Response through U/M-COR where the church is in ministry following floods, fires, tornadoes, hurricanes providing physical, emotional, and spiritual assistance.*

*Advance # 3021326*

**INTERNATIONAL GIFTS GO TO:**

*Nothing But Nets, also through U/MCOR. This ministry provides bed nets to help in the blocking out of Malaria.*

*Advance # 902015*

*Pray about your gift giving and share in the way that is meaningful to you. We have so much to be grateful for that we can share with others and let them know care.*

*No gift is too small when we share...together we can make a difference!*

# Please be Praying for... 16 October 2011

- Continue to pray for our pastors and their families.
- Missionaries serving God around the world.

- The homeless and hungry around the world.
- Prayers for peace & justice throughout the world.
- God grant our nation & its leaders wisdom & discernment.
- Lift up those around the world following recent natural disasters.
- Members & friends dealing with issues of life, we lift them up.
- We lift up those affected by Hurricane Irene.
- **Prayers for Comfort and Healing for:**
  - MacKenzie Gandy asks healing for her mom, Jen, who has severe cellulitis.
  - Dick Gainer injured his back during their recent move.
  - Shirley Noll fell and broke her hip and is in a rehab at Mission View in SLO.
  - Pat Weimers' sister, Linda, is undergoing further cancer treatment.
  - Pauline Castillo's niece is having difficulty with radiation treatment.
  - Betty Lorenz son is in Marian Medical Center and is now off ventilation.
  - Jerrilyn Trujillo asks prayers for Bryan who needs a job and more faith in God.
  - Nancy St. Laurent's friend, Linda, was diagnosed with bone marrow cancer.
- **Praise God for God is good! We thank God for hearing our prayers.**
  - Happy Birthday to Chuck Buckton who turned 90 on Saturday, October 15!!
  - Jan Treat's mother, Marcy's test results came back with good news.

**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, Linda Archibald, the Hammonds, Esther Miller, the Paulsons, Yvonne Holt, Sean Lehman, Fenton McClure, Kent Brown, Roy Lewis, the Bucktons, Jean Coho, Sheila Owine, Todd Everett, the Wisemans, Eleanor Hughes, Ken Coombs, Osabella Sloan, Ora Lee King, Leanne & Adam Gainer, Sue Ann Sanders, Geri Nolte, Pat Smith, Ann Williamson, and Jo Underwood. **On Care Facilities:** Bob Atwood, Bob Woods, Mary Patterson, Dnez Kenneaster, Wayne Frisby, Bob Serby, Mary Johnson, and Donna Truman. **Shut-Down Members:** Doris Rice, the Houldings, Jeanne Jenkins, Madge Young, Ruby Weddell, the Cochrans and Osabelle Sloan.