

Sermon Notes

****We Support Lewis Chapel with Our Presence, Our Gifts and Our Service:*

SUNDAY

Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
Worship 10:15 a.m.
M&M's 5:00 p.m.
MYF 5:00 p.m.
Choir 6:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Study and Prayer 1:00 p.m.

TITHES/OFFERINGS

Weekly Budget: \$3,141.51

ACOLYTES

NURSERY

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

OFFERING Counters

Announcements

Thank you for turning off your WI-Fi during worship and silencing all devices.

Friendly Reminder: Please remember to wear masks and distance as you can entering and exiting the sanctuary and other gatherings. Enter though the front doors and exit through the side doors of the sanctuary. Side door with the handicap ramp is open for entry.

Prayer Group Meeting: Wednesdays at 1:00pm in the Bessye Brunson Hall. All are invited to come as we pray for our members, community and Lewis Chapel.

Advent Bible Study: "Making Room, Sharing the Love of Christmas" by Ed Robb will begin Sundays at 5pm (Meeting dates: Nov. 29, Dec. 6, 13, 20). A day time group will meet on Wednesdays at 1:30pm beginning December 2 following Prayer Group. Please let Pastor Nancy know, if you are interested and books will be ordered.

November Mission Focus: Native American Elder Baskets
Items needed: Cans of soup, vegetables, Dried Beans, Laundry Soap, Paper Towels, Toilet paper, hard candy, small uplifting gifts

We Support Lewis Chapel with Our Prayers:

Please refer to the Church Newsletter for the updated list of Prayer Requests

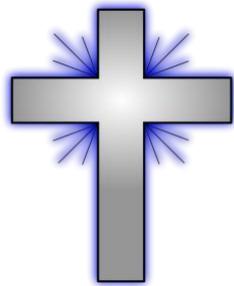
November 15, 2020

The Lord's Day

WELCOME

“Then the one who had received the five talents came forward, bringing five more talents, saying Master, you handed over to me five talents; see, I have made five more talents.”

Matthew 25:20



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Order of Worship

Greeting and Welcome

Prelude

* Call to Worship:

L: Lord, be with us when our lives seem filled with sorrow and sadness.

P: Lord, have mercy on us.

L: Open our hearts to receive your healing grace.

P: Prepare us to be children of the light rather than dwellers in darkness.

L: Throughout all our days, you have been with us.

P: Be with us again. Remind us of your presence and healing mercy. AMEN

*Song of Praise *“This is The Day” Insert*

*Opening Prayer: (In Unison)

Gracious and generous God, you are always with us, offering guidance, healing and hope. We know that when times seem dark or dazzlingly bright; when troubled times assail or peace reigns; there you are with us. Continue to guide and challenge our lives. Lead us in pathways of service and away from trails of fear and anxiety. Open our hearts to receive your healing transforming love that we might serve you more faithfully; for we ask these things in Jesus' name. AMEN.

*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth: And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, Born of the Virgin Mary, Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was crucified, dead, and buried; The third day he rose from the dead; He ascended into heaven, And sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting, Amen

*Gloria Patri

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son
and to the Holy Ghost.*

*As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen*

Children's Message

Pastor Nancy

Scripture: Matthew 25: 14-20

Sermon: *“Following Jesus”*

Pastor Nancy

Time of Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Offertory

Dedication of Tithes and Offerings/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.
Amen.*

Dedication of Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

Congregational Joys and Concerns

Song of Praise *“Great Is Thy Faithfulness” insert*

*Benediction

Postlude

*Please stand as you are able