

Nottingham United Methodist Church

October 25, 2020 11:00 am Morning Worship

21st Sunday after Pentecost

"If My people, who are called by My name, will humble themselves and pray, and seek My face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and will heal their land" 2 Chronicles 7:14

"And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable and perfect will of God" Romans 12:2

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

MUSIC MINISTRY OF PATSYAND JIM

† OPENING PRAISE "Oh How I Love Jesus" (Chorus) -----UMH 170
"Seek Ye First"-----UMH 405

WELCOME AND PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP "Christ's Obedience"-----UMH 167

Christ Jesus, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped

but emptied himself, taking the form of a servant, being born in likeness.

And being found in human form he humbled himself and became obedient unto death, even on the cross.

There God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name which is above every name,

That at the name of Jesus every knee shall bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth,

And every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH -----UMH 881

† THE LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN "My Hope is Built" -----UMH 368

MUSIC MINISTRY OF PATSY

PRAYER TIME

SCRIPTURE/SERMONPastor Bill Porter

HYMN "Revive Us Again"-----Screen

†CLOSING PRAYER

MUSIC MINISTRY OF PATSYAND JIM

† CONGREGATION STANDING

PASTOR: Bill Porter

MUSICIANS: Patsy Mercer, Jim Putman, Liz Kiser

AUDIO/VISUAL TECH: Aaron Sams

LAY LEADER: Velena Wheatley

TELLERS: Velena & Jean

Prayer List: *Rev. Ken Pierce Family, Carolyn Tipton Family, Patricia Jo Taylor Family, Tweed Family, Robert Snodgrass Family, Gerald Cox Family, Donald Ray Family, Brian Davis Family, Bob Miller Family, John Renfro Family, James Tilley Family, Eddie McMillan Family, Kyle Donihe Family, Burton Keese Family, Shirley Blackburn Family, Mary Cole Family, Ray Yates Family, Larry Falin Family, Sam Kelly Family, Marian Kurapka Family, Stan Wells Family, Helen Tipton Family, Gladys Goode Family, Douglas Cox Family, Elliott Smith Family, Ray Kerney Family, Everett McConnell Family, Charlie & Lois Anderson, Anna Bishop, Bird Blackburn, Edna Carico, Otis Dockery, Kristen Dykes, Sharon Edwards, Midge Falin, Faye Fansler, Vivian Farley, Gran Fields, Orbin Fleenor, Charles Goode, Wanda Helms, Kenneth & Patsy Herron, Danny Horne, Melanie Horne, Nadine Horton, Carl and Lynn Johnson, Richard & Sherri Jones, Bessie Keene, Drexie & Ken Key, Herb & Lois Kyllonen, James Lane, Jackie McConnell, Mike McConnell, Scott McConnell, Sally McDowall, Patsy Mercer, Shelia Newton, Perkins Family, Kim Potts, Linda Porter, Nell Powers, Jim Putman, Elise Richards, Ruth Richards, Martha Richardson, Bonnie Robinson, Michelle Salling, Gary & Norma Smith, Joan Taylor, Karen Taylor, Kate Warren, Flo Wolfe, Rev. Jeff Wright & Sandy Wright, the lost, our troops, the brokenhearted & discouraged, our President and leaders.*

Baptizing - Hallelujah! Today, we are blessed and honored to baptize Andy and Elise. We have other individuals that are ready to be baptized and/or unite with the Church. For the next three/four weeks, we will baptize one person or family per Sunday. Due to the pandemic, we will take every safety measure and precaution. We are excited and so thankful for these individuals! If you wish to be baptized or unite with the Church, please see the Pastor.

Mendota Worship - Sundays, 3 pm.

All Saints Sunday - Next Sunday, we will remember the Saints from our Church and Community, along with members of our families that left this earth after November 1, 2019. If you want to include someone dear to you, please write their names on a bulletin and leave in the pew today.

Preparing for Charge Conference - Our Charge conference is Sunday, November 22 at 6:00 pm at Holston View UMC. **PPR** - Monday, October 26th, 9am

Bible Studies - Continue this week. We have a 10 am Bible Study at Mendota and 12:00 pm (noon) at Nottingham. Masks and distancing still apply. If there are individuals that cannot attend these times and wish a 7:00 pm Wednesday Night Bible Study, please let the Pastor know so we can restart this Bible Study time.

Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes We have three boxes remaining for you to take one/two and pack it full of items to bless children around the world. The last collection date to return to Church is Sunday, November 22nd. You do not need to include \$9 shipping. If you wish to pack a box on line - samaritanspurse.org/buildonline.

Note - Church Activities - We will **not** be having any Fall activities(Fall Gathering or Hallelujah Night) at the church this year due to the pandemic. However, we pray we can have a Thanksgiving Meal Delivery Ministry. And we will be celebrating the Advent Season and preparing our hearts for the Christmas Season Celebration. These Seasons will be different this year but still exciting and fun and will bring glory and honor to Jesus! More information later! Get Excited!

Christmas CART - On Saturday, we packed the hygiene items in preparation of distribution of this Christmas ministry to children and their families in southwest Virginia. Nottingham was blessed to send a generous donation to this ministry.

In Person and Online Worship - As we continue our In-Church services, our online worship continues also, please send prayer requests to the office by email, phone, Facebook, etc. You may call the Church office and leave a message (276-386-3771) or Pastor (423-914-5156). ***PLEASE REMEMBER YOUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS.*** *You can continue to mail checks or give at Church. Go to Nottingham's Website and click ONLINE GIVING if you are interested in this way of giving.*

October Birthdays: Wanda Helms (7); Ella Ballard (8); Patsy Mercer (8); Pastor Porter (9); Sue Fife (17); Judy Johnson (19); Norma Smith (19); Ruth Fugate (22); Kimber Bailey (24); Jenny Bellamy (25); Lois Anderson (25); Alexa Stroud (27) Maira Stroud (27); Brianna Smith (27); Bob Bays (28); Andy Richards (31)

October Anniversaries: Bruce and Jeanette Ecker (12)

November Birthdays: Helen Goode (1); Jaclyn Bailey (1); Chase Bellamy (3); Charlie Anderson (5); Rick Davis (9); Wayne Yates (11); Danielle Calhoun (16); Willard Rufus Walters (20); Elaina Katherine Calhoun (21); Lloyd Porter (25)

November Anniversaries: Charlie & Lois Anderson (28); Porter & Irene (28); Jerry & Brenda Sams (29)

Records for Sunday, October 18, 2020

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Tithes/Offerings \$465.68| Wednesday Bible Study 14|

Property Fund \$696.76| Paving Fund \$1157.00

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Please continue to pray for everyone on our Prayer List. Pray and give thanks for those working in hospitals, nursing homes, pharmacies, food stores, etc. Pray this disease will be erased from the earth and our memory. Pray for our President and world leaders, our government workers and elected officials. Pray for wisdom and understanding for leading our country. Pray the word over families, our congregation, friends and neighbors. Pray and believe - 1 Timothy 2; 1-3; Psalm 91:10; Philippians 4:19 and Psalm 103: 1-5. God is with us and for us! Please continue to minister and care for one another by phone, cards, text messages, emails, etc.

Welcome back to "Church in the Sanctuary". Thank you for your commitment in returning to worship safely. Everyone must wear a facemask and keep six foot apart at all times. Also, we cannot have congregational singing but you can worship the Lord and make melody in your heart to praise God. You can lift your hands and clap your hands to honor and praise Jesus. We will be continuing live streaming and our on-line worship on our website and Facebook.