

HEALTH CONCERNS

Members:

Margaret Burks (health issues)

Bernice Nelson (cancer)

Rocky Newton (recovering from cancer surg. on 4/27)

Vivian Stowe (health issues – at Piney Grove Nursing & Rehab. Center)

Kay Sudderth (cancer treatment)

Ellen Watts (recovering from arthroscopic knee surg. on 4/24)

Rodgers White (health issues)

Friends & Family:

N. Bolen **Pam Averill** (cancer); Megan Hedgecock (health issues); Jim Fields (heart attack); Faye Dean Watson, Amy Ikerd, Cindy Strickland (diabetes and health issues)

Henderson Jeff Briggs (home in Walkertown)

Mattingly Tina Hutchins (health concerns)

Hodges Michelle Ivey (Randall's wife—health issues)

Watts Marzel Routh (long time friend and ex-coworker of Dale Watts—stroke and ALS), Denise Gray (Dale's sister—Metastatic lung cancer)

Rev. Wilkie Peter Wilkie (Alzheimer's)

Waddell Shirley Lamkin (sister—stage 3 cancer)

SPECIAL CONCERNS

N. Bolen Employees of MSG Services (business hit by Sunday's tornado)

S. Sharp Paulo Correa (job issues)

Smith Dear friend needs prayers for serious medical decision to be made

Vernon Family Member (silent)

SYMPATHIES EXTENDED TO

The family of Norma Stikeleather (who passed away May 28, 2018)

The family of Wilbur Idol (Burch's brother—the death of Wilbur's wife on 6/2)



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June 10, 2018—10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

GATHERING

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Gather to give thanks with your whole heart. Rejoice in God's love and faithfulness.

People: We bow down, for this is God's holy temple. We pour out our thanks in songs of praise.

Leader: God answers us when we call. Our creator increases the strength of our soul.

People: Great is the glory of our God! We rejoice in God's steadfast love.

Leader: Wait for God, and hope in God's Word. Open your hearts to the holy presence in our midst.

People: Our ears are attentive to the voice of God. We open our lives to God's direction.

All: Let us worship God!

*HYMN NO. 370

"This Is My Father's World"

TERRA BEATA

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

We confess, O God, that we often act as if we know better than you what is right for us. We make decisions without considering your larger purposes. Our own convenience and desires are more important to us than your commands. We go our own way and then blame others for our mistakes. Our inner confusion creates division and brokenness. We hide from you rather than admitting our needs. O God, we want to face our sin and find forgiveness. Help us! Amen.

(The prayer continues in a time of silent, personal confession)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: The One who raised Jesus from the dead offers us new life today. Our sins are forgiven. Our lives are cleansed. Our inner nature is being renewed. God does not forsake us. We are the work of God's hands, the object of steadfast love. Meet the world with the assurance that you are loved, valued, and empowered as an ambassador of God's eternal realm. Friends, believe the good news...

People: *In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God.*

*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 every shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

People: *And also with you.*

(Please share a sign of peace with others.)

ANTHEM

THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: *Thanks be to God.*

Genesis 3:8-15

Mark 3:20-35

SERMON

Rev. John Pruitt

SENDING

*HYMN NO. 530

"One Bread, One Body"

ONE BREAD, ONE BODY

*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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on 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 Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

*Those who are able, please stand.

PRESENTATION 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.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

THE SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

The Words of Invitation

The Prayer of Thanksgiving - 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 debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

The Words of Institution

The Sharing of God's Gifts

The Communion Prayer

HYMN NO. 846

"Fight the Good Fight"

DUKE STREET

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

FLOWERS IN THE SANCTUARY are give to the glory and honor of God and are placed by Dale and Ellen Watts in celebration of their 45th wedding anniversary.

Serving Today (Jun 10)

Greeters/Ushers: Joy Lynn Budkey, Jim Ingram

Lay Reader: Millie Vernon

Element Prep: Norman & Lynda Self

Assisting Elders: Nancy Bolen, Ellen Watts, Kerry Kerr
Rich Tincher, Faye Hodges

Serving Next Sunday (Jun 17)

Greeters/Ushers: Bernie Krecklow/Dale Watts

Lay Reader: Nancy Bolen

*Those who are able, please stand.