

Worship Guide

July 25, 2021: The 9^h Sunday after Pentecost

GREETING AND INTRODUCTION

OPENING HYMN: *TFWS 2162 Grace Alone*

*Every promise we can make
Every prayer and step of faith
Every difference we can make
Is only by His grace
Every mountain we will climb
Every ray of hope we shine
Every blessing left behind
Is only by His grace*

*Grace alone
Which God supplies
Strength unknown
He will provide
Christ in us
Our cornerstone
We will go forth in grace alone*

*Every soul we long to reach
Every heart we hope to teach
Everywhere we share His peace
Is only by His grace
Every loving word we say
Every tear we wipe away
Every sorrow turned to praise
Is only by His grace*

*Grace alone
Which God supplies
Strength unknown
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Christ in us
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OPENING PRAYER

Oh , Lord our redeemer, guide and sustainer; we thank you for looking after us even when we don't deserve it. You love us still even when we are dirtied and worn by the world. Guide us this day into a place of your loveliness where we can be all you've called us to be. May your beauty, joy and love shine through us as we live in your Grace. Amen

SCRIPTURE

Epistle Lesson: Ephesians 3:14-21
Gospel Lesson: John 6:16-21.



MESSAGE: Enough

Betty Austin

SONG BEFORE & AFTER TIME OF PRAYER: *Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying.*

*Lord, listen to your children praying, Lord, send your Spirit in this place
Lord, listen to your children praying, Send us love, send us power, send us grace .*

PASTORAL PRAYER

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (after each time of silence, we'll finish with the words "Lord in your mercy" and you are invited to respond, "**Hear our prayer.**")
Together let us pray:

For the people of this congregation....

For those who suffer and those in trouble....

For the concerns of this local community....

For the world, it's peoples, and it's leaders....

For the Church universal- it's leaders, it's members, and it's mission....

In communion with the saints...

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.

OFFERING

This is an opportunity to share the goodness that has been given to you. Consider sending an offering to PO Box 630, Skowhegan, ME 04976. You are also invited to support an organization or church in our local community that is making a positive difference in people's lives.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

CLOSING HYMN: *TFWS 2172 We Are Called*

*Come, live in the light
Shine with the joy and the love of the Lord
We are called to be light for the kingdom
To live in the freedom of the city of God*

*We are called to act with justice
We are called to love tenderly
We are called to serve one another
To walk humbly with God*

*Come, open your heart
Show your mercy to all those in fear
We are called to be hope for the hopeless
So all hatred and blindness will be no more*

*We are called to act with justice
We are called to love tenderly
We are called to serve one another
To walk humbly with God*

*Sing, sing a new song
Sing of that great day when all will be one
God will reign and we'll walk with each other
As sisters and brothers united in love (united in love)*

*We are called to act with justice
We are called to love tenderly
We are called to serve one another
To walk humbly with God*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BENEDICTION

May you know the love and grace of Christ.

May you dwell in this glorious gift.

Go to serve God's people, bringing words of peace and hope to all whom you meet. AMEN.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The New HEARTS AND HANDS THRIFT SHOP

Co-Managers: James Barto and Ila Libby

Hours of Operation: Wednesdays 9 AM to 12 PM

*****Call James @ 207-858-0257 to arrange drop off donations or for more information**

CLOTHING CLOSET

The Clothing Closet is open on Wednesdays 9 AM to NOON and 5 PM to 7 PM

The Donation Bin will be open to receive clothing donations July 24th—July 31.

THE CUP CAFÉ

Our CUP Café is open on Wednesdays 9AM—12 NOON.

Each week we offer a light lunch, lemonade, coffee and snacks. We also have FREE Wi-Fi and are air conditioned!

FREE DRIVE THRU COMMUNITY MEALS

Our free Drive Thru Community meals are on pause for the summer. We will be returning to our on-site meal program here at 103 Dr. Mann Road in late summer/early fall. More information coming soon.