# ~ Welcome ~

September 24, 2023 10:30am

17th Sunday After Pentecost

Prelude "Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy"

Arr. By: Cindy Berry

Welcome & Announcements

\*Greeting

\*Opening Hymn "Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above" UMH No. 126

\*Call to Worship From Psalm 105

Leader: O give thanks to the LORD, call on his name, make known his deeds among

the peoples.

People: Sing to him, sing praises to him; tell of all his wonderful works.

Leader: Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice.

People: Seek the LORD and his strength; seek his presence continually. Leader: Remember the wonderful works he has done, his miracles, and the

judgments he uttered.

\*Morning Prayer

As we sing our praise to you, O Lord, we remember the multitude of blessings you have given us. We are mindful of the ways in which you have lifted us when we have fallen low. Be with us this day as we gather to hear your word for our lives. Amen.

Hymn of Praise "All Who Hunger" TFWS No. 2126

Children's Time "God Provides Manna" Pastor Jane At the conclusion of Children's Time all children age 4 through 5th grades are invited to go with the teachers for Sunday School.

Prayers of the People

Sharing our Joys & Concerns Silent Prayer Pastoral Prayer 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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. 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!

Prayer for Illumination

All: Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that, as the Scriptures are read and your word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.

Scripture Reading Charlie Tramel

Exodus 16:2-15 p. 67 Philippians 1:21-30 p. 1084 Matthew 20:1-16 p. 909

Message "A Different Kind of Deal" Pastor Jane Piehl

Moment of Reflection

Offering "Simple Gifts"

Traditional Shaker Melody arranged by Cindy Berry

\*Doxology UMH No. 95

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.

Offertory Prayer

\*Closing Hymn "O Jesus, I Have Promised" UMH No. 396

\*Benediction

Postlude "Blessings"

By: Laura Mixon Story

\*Indicates congregation to stand

Pastor Jane Piehl	Pastor
Millie Frambaugh	Music Director

### **Upcoming Events**

Tues 6p Herb Society meeting

6:60p Co-op Group parent meeting 7p The Way of the Chosen Study

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- -Our Daily Breads are available for pick up at the back of the Sanctuary
- -Sept. 19 *The Way of the Chosen* Study begins Sept. 19 and continues through Nov. 14. It will be at 7pm in the Conference Room. And led by Sue Kelly
- -Oct. 31<sup>st</sup> is our Community Trick or Treat we'll be passing out candy, hot dogs, and hot chocolate. If you would like to donate candy, please place it at the back of the sanctuary. We'd love for you to help pass out items and cook/ make hot chocolate. Let Pastor Jane know if you can help.

### Welcome to Sharon Center United Methodist Church!

If you are visiting with us for the first time, we are glad you are here! We welcome all to our Worship Service and our Communion Table is open to everyone. Please join us in our activities and gatherings and if you have a question, just ask, and come back again soon! At Sharon Center UMC we are committed to building relationships with Jesus Christ. For families of all ages, this is a great community to join as you grow in your relationship with God and with others.

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