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Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost October 18, 2015

Please remember to turn off your cell phones during the Worship Service. Thank you.

Preparation Music

(Please be seated and prepare yourself for worship)

The Entrance of the Light

Welcome

Moments of Concerns and Announcements

*Ringing of the Bell

*Gathering Music

Choir: *This is the day*

All: **This is the day.**

Choir: *That our God has made.*

All: **That our God has made.**

Choir: *We will rejoice.*

All: **We will rejoice.**

Choir: *And be glad in it.*

All: **And be glad in it.**

All: **This is the day that our God has made.**

We will rejoice and be glad in it.

Choir: *This is the day*

All: **This is the day that our God has made.**

*Opening Prayer

*Hymn: "Down in My Heart"

1. I've got the joy, joy, joy, joy
down in my heart, (*where?*)
down in my heart, (*where?*)
down in my heart.

I've got the joy, joy, joy, joy
down in my heart, (*where?*)
down in my heart to stay!

2. I've got the love of Jesus, love of Jesus
down in my heart (*where?*)
(*continue as in verse 1*)

3. I've got the peace that passes understanding
down in my heart (*where?*)
(*continue as in verse 1.*)

Children's Time: "Equal"

Reading of Scripture: Mark 10:35-45

Call to Reconciliation

Reconciliation Prayer

All: **O God, we tend to be self-righteous when we are hurt or fearful.**

- **Grant us the ability to be humble instead.**

We tend to want our way despite hurting the feelings of others.

- **Grant us the ability to care for others even if plans go awry.**

We tend to have ideas in our minds about how life should be.

- **Grant us the wisdom to let you be God.**

Forgive us for our foolish tendencies, we pray. Amen.

Silence

Kyrie # 750

All: Lord have mercy upon us.

Christ have mercy upon us.

Lord have mercy upon us.

Words of Assurance

Pastor: *We are forgiven! Thanks be to God! We are a forgiven people!*

*Act of Praise..... #760
(Please stand)

All: Amen we praise your name, O God! (Sing Amen)

Amen we praise your name, O God! (Sing Amen)

Amen, Amen! Amen, Amen!

Amen we praise your name, O God!

*The Passing of the Peace

Pastor: *The peace of Christ be with you.*

All: And also with you.

Please share a greeting of Christian love with those sitting around you.

Anthem: **“Touch Us Once Again”**

Sermon: “How to Have Influence”

***Hymn: # 498 “Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love” Verses 1, 2, 3, 4 (omit verse 5)**

Our Morning Prayers

The Candle of Remembrance is lit in honor of Veteran Brandon Ross, and as a prayer for all military personnel and first responders, especially those in harm’s way.

Call to Prayer “Pray”

Pray___, pray___, pray___ for peace within our world_____.

Pray___, pray___, pray___ for peace within our souls_____.

Pray___, pray___, pray___ for love and unity_____;

Quiet our busy hearts, Pray___, pray___, pray___ .

Pray___, pray___, pray___

Silent Prayer, Pastoral Prayer

Prayer of Our Savior (spoken)

All: 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

Our Time of Sharing

Invitation to the Offering, The Sharing of Gifts

Offering Music

*Offertory Response “We Are Giving in the Light of God” (526)

All: We are giving in the light of God,

We are giving in the light of God (Repeat previous 2 lines)

We are giving, giving, we are giving, Oo,

We are giving in the light of God (Repeat previous 2 lines)

Prayer of Dedication

***Hymn #76 “Sent Forth by God’s Blessing”**

*The Benediction

***Benediction Response**

Choir: *This is the day*

All: This is the day.

Choir: *When the Spirit came.*

All: When the Spirit came.

Choir: *We will rejoice.*

All: We will rejoice.

Choir: *And be glad in it.*

All: And be glad in it. This is the day when the Spirit came.

We will rejoice and be glad in it.

Choir: *This is the day*

All: This is the day when the Spirit came.

*Postlude

The Kindle Fire Tablets are for the children’s use during worship. Please sign them out and sign them back in at the end of the service.

We welcome The Rev. Nancy Mears this morning. Nancy is filling in today while Pastor Meredith is recovering from foot surgery.

Robin Brautigam is participating in today’s service along with...

The Congregation.....	Disciples of Christ
Rev. Meredith Ann Hutchison.....	Pastor
Irina Thomas.....	Organist and Keyboard
Rheba Salac.....	Administrative Assistant
Wade Anderson.....	Sexton

Did you know that you can still help support the disaster ministries of the United Church of Christ, as they address the recent weather incidences throughout the United States? There are offering envelopes marked One Great Hour of Sharing on the back table for your donations. *Please read the article that follows.*

October 08, 2015
Written by Carol Fouke-Mpoyo

Severe flooding has claimed 17 lives in South Carolina and two in North Carolina, and the emergency is not over yet. Evacuation orders affecting thousands of people in coastal areas are in force, with authorities warning that flooding may continue for up to two more weeks.

United Church of Christ Disaster Ministries has been monitoring the situation and has reached out to the UCC Southeast Conference Disaster Coordinator and other conference leaders to offer support for both early response and long-term recovery needs.

“We support local efforts through solidarity grants that are aimed at meeting local immediate needs in affected communities where our churches are active,” said UCC Disaster Ministries Executive Zach Wolgemuth.

“Furthermore, I fully expect that UCC Disaster Ministries will be engaged long term in meeting the unmet needs of survivors struggling to put their lives back together,” he said. Wolgemuth urged UCC members to keep people in the Carolinas in prayer, support the UCC’s Emergency USA Fund, and be prepared to volunteer to support long-term recovery efforts in the months and years ahead.



A HUGE thank you to ALL who helped in any way with our Ham Dinner. This is not only a fund raiser, it is a real ministry to the community. So many people today do not sit down to a home cooked meal. Our dinner provides food and fellowship to over 500 people.

This week:

Monday-There will be office hours at the church 9AM – 3PM.

Thursday-Choir 7:00PM

There will be office hours at the church 9AM – 3PM and Pastor Meredith will be working at home.



Next Sunday is our Annual Halloween Party. The event begins at 3:00PM with a pot-luck to follow at 5:00. Come to any or all of the party! If you can help, please speak with Myrt Driscoll.

Attendance for October 11: 58
Offering for October 11: \$2,378.00
Disaster Relief: \$39.00
Neighbors In Need: \$21.00

Tomorrow, Sunday, October 18: Denmark Manor UCC Day at Hoss’s in Murrysville. Hoss’s gives 20%-25% support to the Church from each guest’s check. Please use the Hoss’s Card here. Thank you!

