NOVEMBER 1, 2015

Worship -9:30 a.m.

Sunday School - 10:50 a.m.

PRELUDE

Carol Buller, Accompanist

WELCOME

Ky Stoltzfus, Worship Leader

*INVOCATION

L: Ever-living God, the generations pass before you.

C: Your way is love, and your nature is compassion.

L: Today we remember those who lived and labored and loved among us, whose lives have shaped our own.

C: Grant them rest, grant them peace.

L: We welcome those who come after us, whose lives we now shape, whose life foundations we now lay.

C: Grant them light, grant them peace.

All: Gracious God,

grant us wisdom, grant us light, grant us rest, grant us peace. Amen.

*HYMN #121

Holy God, we praise thy name

PSALM 90: 1-6; 12; 14-17

ANTHEM

O God, our help in ages past

Woodward

(Please reserve expressions of appreciation for Community Building time)

SERMON

Making our days count

A LITANY FOR ALL (see insert)

Lonnie Buerge

HYMN #54 SJ St. 1 quartet; st. 2 all; st. 3 women; st. 4 men; st. 5 all Longing for light

COMMUNION SERVICE

- Words of Institution and Invitation
- Sharing Bread and Cup

Please come forward by the center aisle, take the bread and dip it in the cup of juice. Return by the side aisle. To receive a blessing in lieu of partaking in the bread and cup, please present yourself with hands folded. Gluten free crackers and grapes are also available.

Hymn during communion #87 SJ

Put peace into each other's hands

*Hymn of Response #1

What is this place?

COMMUNITY BUILDING TIME INTRODUCTIONS

We are glad you are here. Once the attendance register reaches the center aisle, please pass it back to the outer aisle.

SHARING JOY

SHARING CONCERNS

PRAYING TOGETHER

Slips of paper are available in the attendance register for those who wish to offer joys and concerns silently and anonymously. These papers, if put in the offering plate, will be placed in the prayer bowl at the front of the sanctuary.

OFFERING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*HYMN (see insert)

Give thanks for life



Children in K - 5th grade are dismissed for WorshipArts (Room 114), a time for children to respond to worship, ask questions and learn more about the language, ritual, movement, sound and art incorporated in worship.

*SENDING FORTH

L: For all the saints who went before us who have spoken to our hearts and touched us with your love,

All: We praise you, O God.

L: For all the saints who live beside us whose weaknesses and strengths are woven with our own,

All: We praise you, O God.

L: For all the saints who live beyond us who challenge us to change the world with them.

All: We praise you, O God.

*POSTLUDE

* Please stand as you are able.

Unless otherwise indicated, hymns are in the blue *Hymnal: A Worship Book*. Songs designated "SJ" are in the green *Sing the Journey* hymnal.



Here is a place for worship reflections. What are you sensing about God in the here and now? What words, images or questions do you want to take with you into this new week?

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