

*Cicero United Methodist Church
Fifth Sunday After Pentecost
July 10, 2022, 10:00 am*



Prelude

Lighting the Altar Candles

Praise Song *"Shout to the Lord"*

Responsive Psalm 25:1-10

Males: To you, O LORD, I lift my soul.

Females: O my God, in you I trust; do not let me be put to shame; do not let my enemies exult over me.

Males: Do not let those who wait for you be put to shame; let them be ashamed who are wantonly treacherous.

Females: Make me to know your ways, O LORD; teach me your paths.

Males: Lead me in your truth, and teach me, for you are the God of my salvation; for you I wait all day long.

Females: Be mindful of your mercy, O LORD, and of your steadfast love, for they have been from of old.

Males: Do not remember the sins of my youth or my transgressions; according to your steadfast love remember me, for your goodness' sake, O LORD!

Females: Good and upright is the LORD; therefore, he instructs sinners in the way.

Males: He leads the humble in what is right and teaches the humble his way.

Females: All the paths of the LORD are steadfast love and faithfulness, for those who keep his covenant and his decrees.

Hymn: *"Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"*

Invocation *(Led by Pastor)*

Lord's Prayer *(said by all)*

Welcome/ Acknowledgements/ Announcements

Offering

Offertory Prayer

Time with Children & Youth

Children /Youth attend Christian Education class with Sue

Scripture Reading Luke 10:25-37

10:25 Just then a lawyer stood up to test Jesus. "Teacher," he said, "what must I do to inherit eternal life?"

10:26 He said to him, "What is written in the law? What do you read there?"

10:27 He answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself."

10:28 And he said to him, "You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live."

10:29 But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?"

10:30 Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead.

10:31 Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side.

10:32 So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side.

10:33 But a Samaritan while traveling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity.

10:34 He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him.

10:35 The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, 'Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend.'

10:36 Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?"

10:37 He said, "The one who showed him mercy." Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."

Hymn *"Jesus United by The Grace" (Help Us to Help Each Other)*

1 Help us to help each other, Lord,
each other's cross to bear;
let each his friendly aid afford,
and feel another's care.

2 Up into thee, our living head,
let us in all things grow,
and by thy sacrifice be led
the fruits of love to show.

3 Touched by the lodestone of thy love
let all our hearts agree;
and ever towards each other move,
and ever move towards thee.

4 This is the bond of perfectness,
thy spotless charity.
O let us still, we pray, possess
the mind that was in thee.

Message *The Neighbor*

Special Music *"Sacred Musical Selection" Performed By Ken Hinman and Sue Pitonzo*

Prayers of Intercession *(offered by Pastor)*

Song /Hymn *"Jesu, Jesu"*

Benediction (Pastor)

Postlude *"I have decided to Follow Jesus"*

*Altar Flowers today are in Honor and Memory of
Pastor Greg from Joe and Debbie Finch*

ANNOUNCING OUR MISSION FIELD OPPORTUNITIES

Outreach: As you know we can always use food donations. These are always welcome and encouraged. We have noticed that there is a bigger need for things that SNAP benefits cannot cover such as: Pet Food, Paper products (paper towels, toilet paper, napkins, paper plates), Hygiene products (shampoo, conditioner, body soap, toothpaste, toothbrushes, deodorant for men and women, Tampons, and Pads for women), Cleaning Supplies, Laundry Supplies. Anything you can think of that is not listed here. Please feel free to drop off your items at the office to Mary and she will see that they get to the correct people. Thank you as always for all you do!

Help Us Help Others

The CUMC Congregational Care Ministry has slowly been coming together, but we still need your help. We ask that you consider your gifts and talents and volunteer to help in the teams.

Transportation Shepard: Provide rides to the doctor, pharmacy, or to church

Meal Shepard: When called upon, provide and deliver meals to someone who is sick, recovering from surgery, or just released from the hospital.

New Mother Shepherd: Stay in contact with mother to be, and when the baby arrives provide and deliver a meal to the family the day that mom and babe come home.

Communion Shepherd: Contact Home Bound Members to determine if they would like communion. Take communion to their home Pray the words provided and give elements. Previously blessed communion will be available for you at the church in the Narthex.

If you can help in any of these areas, please contact Elaine Ruckdeschel 315-288-4757 Or Ellie Stiver 315-751-1156

BUS TRIP:

If you would like to reserve a spot for the Made In America Bus Trip we will need a \$20.00 deposit to reserve your spot. The balance will be due September 15th. Balance will be determined based on number of participants. Total trip will not exceed \$50.00, we expect it to be less!

Checks should be made payable to Cicero United Methodist Church and given to Mary Alice Scheel or Deb Popp.

OUR WORSHIP MINISTRY PARTNERS

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Worship is prepared and staffed by:

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Sunday School is staffed by:

Sue Bonspille, *Director*; Vicky Moore, Linda Bouwens, Danni Gauthier.

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