### **FELLOWSHIP TIME**

Please join us for coffee and fellowship after the worship time. If you'd like to help with fellowship time, please sign up on the information table in the fover. THANKS!



KIDS OWN WORSHIP and SUNDAY SCHOOL are in need of more volunteers! Please contact Ashley Scott for more info or fill out the volunteer sign up form on the info table.

**SERMONS ONLINE** 

Going to miss church next week? Wish you could remember the important points in last week's message? Know someone who needs to hear this week's message? You can find sermons at

### mansfield1st.com/sermons

Pastor Mike is teaching a class on C.S. Lewis' classic Christian book, The Screwtape Letters. The class meets in the Westminster Room on the lower floor. You won't want to miss this insightful look into the human condition and our need for Christ. Books are available for \$9.

On Wednesday, February 1 at 7:00 pm, a Bible study on The Sermon on the Mount will begin. The study will meet on the first floor in the Fellowship Room/Parlor. "Humanly speaking, we could understand and interpret the Sermon on the Mount in a thousand different ways. Jesus knows only simple surrender and obedience, not applying it, but doing and obeying it. That is the only way to hear his word.... "-Dietrich Bonhoffer JOIN US!

As a part of All God's Children Hunger Ministry, First EPC volunteers prepare and serve a meal on the 5th Tuesday of the month. Dinners are held at First Methodist Church downtown. Our next date to prepare and serve a meal is Tuesday, January 31. We need a Cook Team (4-6 people) and a Serve Team (6-8 people). Cooking begins at our church at 3:30 pm and we leave with the Serve Team at 5:30 pm. We'd love to have you participate. Please sign up outside the church office on the information table!

# This Week at Mansfield 1st

#### Find us on the web: mansfield1st.com

**SUNDAY, JAN 22** 

Sunday School for all ages 9 am

10 am Worship

**MONDAY, JAN 23** 

8:30 am PreSchool Read-A-Thon

1:00 pm Quilters

**TUESDAY. JAN 24** 

8:30 am PreSchool Read-A-Thon

Check out resources for women and families in the LOFT, located upstairs behind the balcony! Books, color pages for kids, devotionals and comfy chairs to pray and reflect.

Open T-Th, 8:30 am to 1:30 pm; Sunday 9:00 am to 11:15 am.

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The Self-Confident Romans 2:17-3:8

January 22, 2017

**Order of Worship** 

**January 22, 2017** 

**Prelude** 

**Welcome and Announcements** 

**Opening 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 sins, as we forgive those who sin 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 .

Responsive Reading: Psalm 40:1-4

Pastor: I waited patiently for the Lord;

People: He inclined to me and heard my cry.

Pastor: He drew me up from the pit of destruction, out of the miry bog,

People: and he set my feet upon the rock, making my steps secure.

Pastor: He put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise to our God.

People: Many will see and fear, and put their trust in the Lord.

Pastor: Blessed is the man who makes the Lord his trust,

People: who does not turn to the proud, to those who go astray after a lie!

Pastor: Amen!

\*Songs:

#151 A Mighty Fortress
The Lion and the Lamb
\*Greet One Another

\*Songs:

#143 This is My Fathers World

Boldly I Approach

Tithes, Offerings, and Offertory
\*Song of Response #815 Doxology

Children's Message
Children Are Dismissed for Kids Own Worship

Scripture: Romans 2:17-3:8
Sermon: The Self-Confident

\*Closing Song: #157 The Love of God

\*Benediction
Postlude

## **Welcome to Mansfield 1st EPC**

We are glad you are here with us today and we hope

you feel at home in worship!

We have a nursery with a pager system available,

located on this level.

Questions? Please feel free to ask a greeter!

Kids age 3-5th grade are invited to participate in Kids Own Worship following the Children's Message in the 10 am worship service.



<sup>\*</sup>Please stand if possible