



Join us for Sundae Sunday in Kirk Hall following the worship service. Thank you to the Francis Family for hosting.



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

Office Hours: Starting last week office hours are Mon-Wed-Fri 8am-1pm. I do check emails and voicemails daily. If it's an urgent matter your issue will be handled immediately otherwise, I will return your call or voicemail the next day.



The Fall Rummage Sale starts Friday! Tomorrow at 6 pm we will meet for pizza and fellowship with set-up to follow. If you haven't already signed up to come, please do so. There will be enough food for everyone! Tuesday, Oct. 2, at 9 am is when your help is needed to unpack and set-up all of the merchandise for the sale. Those working at the sale should arrive on Friday, Oct. 5th at 8:30 am and use the choir room door (north side). We will have last minute housekeeping and prayer before the doors open at 9 am.

If you have any questions, you may call Diann Barnett at 419-756-8720.



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

This Week at Mansfield 1st

Sunday, September 30
10 am

Worship Service

Monday, October 1
6 pm

Rummage Sale Set-up & Pizza
(more setup dates & info in bulletin)

Thursday, October 4
9:30 am

Mansfield 1st Prayer Meeting

Friday, October 5 & 6
9-4pm & 9-noon

Rummage Sale

**OFFICE HOURS are as follows:
M-W-F from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm**

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**“So, WHY Does It Matter?”
1 Corinthians 3:10**

September 30, 2018

Order of Worship

September 30, 2018

Announcements

Moment for Mission—Deacons

****Greet One Another with the Peace of Christ***

Call To Worship (2 Chronicles 7:1-4)

ALL: As soon as Solomon finished his prayer, fire came down from heaven and consumed the burnt offering and the sacrifices, and the glory of the LORD filled the temple. And the priests could not enter the house of the LORD, because the glory of the LORD filled the LORD's house. When all the people of Israel saw the fire come down and the glory of the LORD on the temple, they bowed down with their faces to the ground on the pavement and worshiped and gave thanks to the LORD, saying, "For he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever. Then the king and all the people offered sacrifice before the LORD.

*Hymn of Praise:

Be Unto Your Name

Prayer of Confession & Assurance of Pardon

7 But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin. 8 If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. 9 If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness." (1 John 1:7-9)

*Hymn of Praise:

Wonderful, Merciful Savior

Tithes, Offerings, Offertory, and Prayer Requests

***Song of Response #815 Doxology**

Children's Message

Family Worship (Children stay with parents)

Scripture: 1 Corinthians 3:10

Sermon: "So, WHY Does It Matter?"

Song of Response:

Amazing Grace, My Chains are Gone

Prayers of God's People (Hebrews 4:14-16)

14 Since then we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession. 15 For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who in every respect has been tempted as we are, yet without sin. 16 Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need."

Lord's Prayer:

Our Father who is in heaven, holy is Your Name. Your kingdom come, Your 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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one. For thine is the Kingdom and the Power and the Glory forever. Amen!

Please come forward if you would like to receive prayer.

*Closing Hymn:

#589 Here I am Lord

Benediction

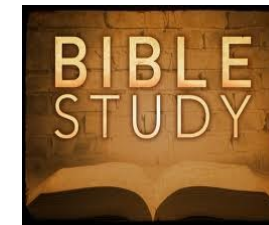
Postlude

*Please stand if possible

Announcements!

WE WANT TO PRAY FOR YOU

If you have an immediate prayer need and would like prayer during service today, please fill out the pew card and place it in the offering plate. Prayer requests will be read and prayers will be after the sermon. Be as thorough as possible so we can most effectively pray for you, and/or get back with you if more information is needed.



ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Class with Dan Davis

Romans: Becoming New in Christ

(Class has moved from behind the balcony to rm. 201)



Session minutes are available in the Narthex following their approval.



Joy in the morning Tuesdays at 9:30am in Kirk Hall. The study is Lysa Terkeurst's "Finding I Am". Workbooks are \$15. See you there and bring a friend!



Important Dates to Remember for Operation Christmas Child.

Now: Begin praying for the child who will receive your shoe box.

Oct. 7: Shoe boxes, packing instructions, sign up sheets and other pick up.

Nov. 4: Final date to return shoe boxes to church. Happy Shopping!