

Join us for snacks and coffee across from the sanctuary following the worship service. Thank you to Jerry & Joyce Duff for hosting.

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In the pew you will find small cards with a QR code on them. Scanning this code with your camera phone will allow you to give electronically. If you choose to give electronically this week, you are welcome to put one in the offering plate. This will let the office know to watch for an online gift.



Update! Women In Ministry has cancelled the Gentle Yoga on October 20th and is rescheduled for January 26, 2020.

Rummage Sale Fall 2019

Once again our fall rummage sale was a huge success as we cleared \$3,123. The WIM would like to thank all who helped in this endeavor. We're now ready to begin filling our shelves with your donations for our spring sale.

This Week at Mansfield 1st

Sunday, October 20

9 a.m. Adult Sunday School10 a.m. Worship Service

Thursday, October 24

9:30 am Mansfield 1st Prayer Meeting



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JESUS REPLIED: "LOVE THE LORD YOUR GOD WITH ALL YOUR SOUL AND WITH ALL YOUR SOUL AND WITH ALL YOUR MIND." THIS IS THE FIRST AND GREATEST COMMANDMENT. AND THE SECOND IS LIKE IT: AND THE LOVE AS YOURSELF."

MATTHEW

22:3739

"The Great Commitment"

Matthew 22:37-38

October 20, 2019

Order of Worship

October 20, 2019

Announcements

"Prayer and Praise Requests"

Moment for Mission— Fellowship Team

*Greet One Another with the Peace of Christ

<u>Mission Statement</u>: "We serve to build relationships.

We build relationships to share the Gospel."

Call To Worship (Psalm 25:6-10)

<u>Leader</u>: Remember your mercy, O LORD, and your steadfast love, for they have been from of old. Remember not the sins of my youth or my transgressions; according to your steadfast love remember me, for the sake of your goodness, O LORD!

<u>People</u>: Good and upright is the LORD; therefore he instructs sinners in the way. He leads the humble in what is right, and teaches the humble his way.

<u>ALL</u>: All the paths of the LORD are steadfast love and faithfulness, for those who keep his covenant and his testimonies.

*Hymn of Praise:

#45 "Crown Him with Many Crowns"

*Prayer of Confession & Assurance of Pardon

Gracious LORD, Your son Jesus came to serve and to give his life as a ransom for us. This same Jesus called us to follow him with the power of His love. But we need Your forgiveness for our thoughtless words, hurried decisions, destructive moments, and selfish motives which we made without Your love or Your wisdom and which wounded others. Help us to tune our ears to Your Holy Spirit; make our passion be compassion and our strength be love. May we never fail to follow You. Through Christ our Lord we pray. Amen

Tithes, Offerings, Offertory, and Prayer Requests

*Song of Response #815 Doxology

Children's Message

Children are dismissed for Kids Own Worship

Scripture: Matthew 22:37-38

Sermon: "The Great Commitment"

*Song of Response:

#329 "There Is Power in the Blood"

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

14Since then we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession. 15For 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. 16Let 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:

#439 "Song for the Nations"

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.

Last week your contributions totaled \$3,344. This includes online deposits posted 10/7-10/13. Thank you for your tithes and offerings.

We would like to help you make your giving simple, fast, and meaningful. We offer multiple online giving options to members and visitors. If you would like to learn more or need help creating a login account with Realm, please find the sign up sheet in the office hallway. YOU DO NEED AN EMAIL ADDRESS TO CREATE A REALM ACCOUNT.



ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Studying the Epistles of Paul, Galatians, Ephesians, Philippians, and Colossians.

(Class is held in the Westminster Room-lower level of church)



Session minutes are available in the Narthex following their approval.



October 20 , Today!

Trunk or Treat 2-2:30 (Wear your costumes!)
Games, Crafts, and Snacks 2:30-5 pm
Serving: Donut Holes, Chips, Cider, Apple Juice and Water