### **Church Calendar of the Week**

## Sunday, Oct. 4

Praise Service 8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship 10:30 a.m.

## Wednesday, Oct. 7

Praise Band 5:30 p.m. Chancel Choir 6:30 p.m. (Solos & Duets)

## Thursday, Oct. 8

UMW Meeting 1p.m.

Masks and social distancing

## Friday, Oct. 9

Art Class 10 a.m. Masks and social distancing

## Sunday, Oct. 11

Praise Service 8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship 10:30 a.m.



## **Scripture Verse for the week:**

<sup>5</sup> The apostles said to the Lord, "Show us how to increase our faith."

<sup>6</sup> The Lord answered, "If you had faith even as small as a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, 'May you be uprooted and be planted in the sea,' and it would obey you!

<sup>7</sup> "When a servant comes in from plowing or taking care of sheep, does his master say, 'Come in and eat with me'? <sup>8</sup> No, he says, 'Prepare my meal, put on your apron, and serve me while I eat. Then you can eat later.' <sup>9</sup> And does the master thank the servant for doing what he was told to do? Of course not. <sup>10</sup> In the same way, when you obey me you should say, 'We are unworthy servants who have simply done our duty.'"

Luke 17:5-10

## Church Mission Outreach Project of the Month: Open Door Ministries

**Acolytes:** Ally & Mady Tankersley

## **Prayers and Concerns**

Sylvia Griffin

All of our homebound members.



# Worship Services October 4, 2020



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## **CALL TO WORSHIP**

Lamentations 3, Psalm 137

One: Sing to the Lord, whose mercy is from everlasting to everlasting!

Many: But how can we sing the Lord's song when so many are without?

One: Sing to the Lord, whose faithfulness renews us every morning!

Many: But how can we sing the Lord's song when so many are gone?

One: Sing to the Lord, who has not forgotten the melodies of salvation!

Many: Let us remember the joy of the Lord, and sing a new song together!

## **Prayer of Confession:**

Almighty God, mother of mercy, father of grace: You have called us to one table, but we have pursued our own course. You have promised us the abundance of all creation, but in our greed, and in our envy, the world goes without. You have promised us the bread of life itself, but in our pride, and in our arrogance, the world goes hungry. You have promised us the waters of peace and justice, but in our violence, and in our discord, the world goes thirsty. And now we are famished, too, Lord. Have mercy on us. Forgive us, again. Transform us, at this table, and for this table, and send us from this table as servants of your righteousness, by the power of your Son, our Lord. Amen.

## Celebration of the Word 8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Prelude

Call to Worship

Hymn of Praise For the Beauty of the Earth

**Prayer of Confession** 

Gloria Patri

**Joys and Concerns** 

Pastor's Prayer and "The Lord's Prayer"

Offertory

Doxology

Hymn of Preparation One Bread, One Body

Special (8:30 a.m. service) I Stand in Awe Barbara Guinn

Scripture Luke 17:5-10

The Message "Christians Serving Around the World" Russ Breshears

**Holy Communion** 

Hymn of Commitment In Christ Alone

Benediction