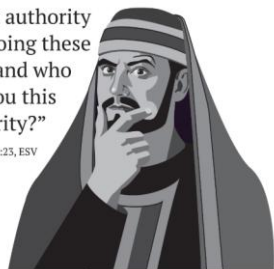


"By what authority
are you doing these
things, and who
gave you this
authority?"

Matthew 21:23, ESV



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September 27, 2026
Pastor Justin Judy

PRELUDE ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Cate McQuade

Leader: The apostle Paul calls us to "let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus." What is the mind of Jesus?

People: The mind of Jesus is to love God, neighbor, self, and all creation.

Leader: Paul reminds us that "it is God who is at work in you." How is God at work in us?

People: God enables us through grace to love God, neighbor, self, and all creation.

Leader: Paul exhorts us to "work on your own salvation with fear and trembling." How do we work on our own salvation?

People: We cooperate with grace to love God, neighbor, self, and all creation.

Leader: Beloved, we gather to worship God who, through Jesus, shows us how to love and enables us to love as Christ loves us.

People: We gather to learn how to live in full accord through our love of God, neighbor, self, and all creation. Amen.

*PRAISE SONG

"Jesus"

*INVOCATION

Most wonderful God, the beauty we see in Jesus is your beauty veiled in human flesh, the love we witness from Bethlehem to Golgotha is your love contracted to a span. You are more than the eye could bear, more than the mind can ever fathom. Yet you have so carefully made us that although we cannot fathom you, we can yet love you. Gratefully, we bring our little lives to you, asking that our worship may arise from love and be shaped by love, and be directed towards that larger loving which is our soul's desire. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC

"Shepherd Boy"

Danny Conner

CHILDREN'S TIME

EXPRESSION OF NEED AND PRAISE
PASTORAL PRAYER
LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERTORY

* DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*HYMN "O How I Love Jesus" #170

SCRIPTURES Matthew 21:23-32 *Ian Schlosser*

MESSAGE "Actions Speak"

*CLOSING HYMN "My Hope is Built" #368

*BENEDICTION POSTLUDE

**Those who are able, please stand*

GRACE UMC PRAYER CONCERNS:

Chuck Salay, Bill Stephens, Ray Tomsik, Joy Gresiek, Judith Henderson, Bruce and Jaye Holsopple, Pat Wickham, Dorothy Kolinsky, Richard Mostoller, Kristy Burkett, Darlene Roberts, Shirley Schlosser, the family of Sandy Younkin, the Davis Family.



The altar flower vases have been given to the Glory of God by the Holsopple Family.



Today's "Thinking of You" card will be sent to Tim Bell. The card is located in the narthex.



MISSION of the Month



Groceries from
GRACE
October's List

Breakfast Bars/ Pop Tarts

Cereal

Dish Soap

Canned Chicken

Chili

Crackers

Mac & Cheese

Pasta Mixes

Soup

Vegetables

Body Wash

Kleenex

Pudding Cups

Delivery Date: October 16



September's
Challenge

Anything that fits in a shoebox
& a prayer!



Faith on Fire will not meet tonight.

See you next week.



The women of Grace will meet Monday, October 12th, 2026 at 6:00 pm in the Parlor. All women are welcome.



The Men of Grace will meet for Breakfast October 17th, 2026 at 8:30 am in the fellowship hall. All men are invited. Please sign up in the narthex so enough food is made.

CHRISTMAS



PROGRAM

Christmas Presentation

A CHRISTMAS PRESENTATION WILL BE HELD ON DECEMBER 17TH FOR ANY AND ALL WHO

WOULD LIKE TO PARTICIPATE.

IF A GROUP OF 10 OR MORE CAN BE FORMED, A PLAN WILL BE MADE.

ANYONE IN THE CHURCH CAN PARTICIPATE — KIDS AND ADULTS

SIGN UP IN THE NARTHEX OR SPEAK TO MELISSA.



October 23, 2026

4:00 – 7:00 PM

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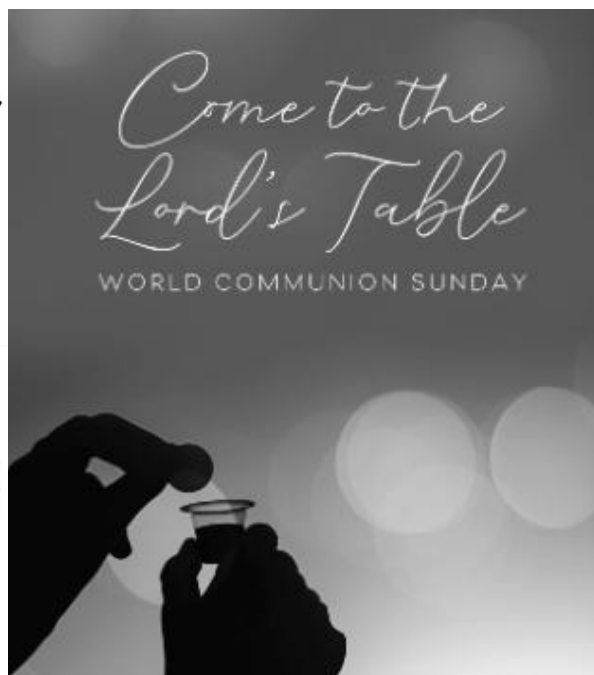
Sign up to help in the narthex
Today!!!



To request the chain to pray, please call Amy during office hours (M-F 9am to 1pm) at the church office 814-443-2906 or send her a text at 814-233-5977 at any time.



Join us Wednesday mornings at 10: 00 am for Bible Study, conversation, and hot beverages. The group meets in the Parlor.



Today, September 27,
2026
After church in the
Parlor

October 25, 2026



**The Board will meet on
Tuesday, October 6th, at
6:30 pm in the Parlor.**



The Friends and Fellowship Group will meet at Italian Oven, 4129 Glades Pike, Somerset October 8 at 1:00
RSVP is requested by the Tuesday before each outing, if possible. This will ensure we have a seat for you! All are welcome to join this group for a meal and fellowship