

United Methodist Church at Shrub Oak

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October 13, 2019

10:30 a.m. Eighteenth Sunday After Pentecost

**Please rise in body and/or spirit.*

Please take time to greet and welcome each other in the name of Jesus Christ.

*“We strive to **GROW** in a relationship with God through Worship, Prayer and Study. Guided by the Holy Spirit, we seek to make Christ’s love known as we **CONNECT** and **SERVE** others.”*

Prelude

Parish Concerns, Announcements, and Praise

Opening Prayer (In Unison)

Awesome God, who has given us life and kept our feet from slipping, we thank you now for bringing us to this place of worship and learning. Inspire us to speak truthfully and listen attentively. Keep us from wrangling over words in ways that divide. May we prove to be faithful workers, devoted to healing and reconciliation in Jesus’ name. Amen.

***Opening Hymn:** “Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee” UMH #89

Scripture Reading: 2 Timothy 2:8:15

***Gospel Reading:** Luke 17:11-19

Liturgist: The Word of God to the People of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

Anthem: “How Beautiful”

Offering of Gifts and Tithes

The Offertory: “Heal Me, Hands of Jesus” (Verses 1-4) MH #262

*The Doxology

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, praise him all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

*Prayer of Dedication

Gracious God, we bring the first fruits of our labors, the best of all we have, a portion of the bounty you entrust to us. Accept our gifts as a symbol of our renewed commitment. We give thanks for the wholeness you offer us amid a fragmented world. We are grateful for meaningful tasks you entrust to us for your glory. We dedicate ourselves and our offering to your faithful service. Amen.

Children’s Moment: Pastor Iwy

(Children will go to Sunday School)

***Hymn of Preparation:** “When Jesus the Healer Passed Through Galilee” UMH #263

The Good News: Pastor Iwy

The Lord’s 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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass 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.

***Recessional Hymn:** “Lord, I want to Be a Christian”

UMH #402

Commission and Blessing:

Go your way; your faith will keep you well.

Give praise and give yourselves in thankful living.

We will bless God as long as we live.

We will reach out to help others every day.

Share the gospel of salvation in Jesus Christ.

In humility, seek to embody the Word of truth.

We will work for the welfare of God’s earth.

We will pray for the well-being of God’s people.

Surely God is faithful and will help us.

Live confidently, assured of God’s forgiving love.

Great are the works of God, which endure forever.

We rejoice that we may abide in covenant with God. Amen. Amen.

Postlude:

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The flowers on the altar are given by Kathy Casey

*“In celebration of Cory Casey’s birthday and Kathy and Jack’s Anniversary
Praise God!”*

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Serving Today:

Acolytes:

Children of the Church

Coffee Hour:

The Krueger Family

Greeters:

Kathy Schiavi, Jean Engel

Ushers:

Annette Reynolds, Joy Santaroni, Patti Scozzari & Debbie Vesuvio

Today:

9:30 am Adult Sunday School; 12:00 noon Choir Practice; 12:00 noon – 2:00 pm Youth Group; Mission Committee Meeting after Worship

Monday:

6:30 pm Women’s Small Group

Tuesday:

10:00 am Bible Study; 7:30 pm Bible Study, GP Room; Chimes Deadline

Wednesday:

10:30 am Small Group 1; 7:00 pm Book Study- Final Session, GP Room

Thursday:

11:00 am Prayer Group, Chapel

Friday:

10:00 am Small Group 2; 11:00 am Crafts for a Cause, GP Room

Saturday:

8:00 am Men’s Group; 9:30 am Small Group Leaders

Next Sunday:

2:30 pm DS & SPRC Meeting;

3:00 pm Church Conference; Laity Sunday

We welcome all visitors and are happy you chose our church to worship. Please fill out the visitor card in the pews and indicate if you would like the Pastor to call on you. If you are interested in joining our church, please talk to Maxine Haigh, Pastor Iwy or call the office. **Attention, parents of young children:** On the back shelf, there are liturgical activity sheets for the children that are linked with morning worship. Please feel free to get one for your child.

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