

WORSHIP SERVICE

September 3, 2023

Prelude

Marsha Juday

Great is Thy Faithfulness (Runyan, arr. Wyrzten)

Goldberg Variations by J S Bach (#26, 28, 29)

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah (Hughes, arr. Shackley)

Joshua Fought the Battle of Jericho (spiritual, arr. Hayes)

Welcome and Call to Worship

Opening Hymns

A Shelter in the Time of Storm (#693)

What a Friend We Have in Jesus (#630)

Opening Prayer

Special Music

Phil Beaudoin

Wonderful, Merciful Savior

Communion Service

Amazing Grace (Virginia Harmony 1813, arr. Martin)

Brother James' Air (Bain, arr. Larry Shackley)

Worship Songs

You Never Let Go

Good God Almighty

Hold on to Me

Message

Pastor Thom Christian

Closing Song

A Shield About Me (#709)

Benediction



Following our service, someone will be available at the front of the sanctuary to pray with you or to simply hear your heart, should you wish.

OUR VISION AND MISSION

To be a biblically mature, grace-based church.

We will accomplish our vision by:

Reaching Up

through worship, exaltation, and prayer;

Reaching In

through preaching, teaching, and fellowship;

Reaching Out

through evangelism, missions, and social outreach, that we may present everyone perfect in Christ.

ALWAYS HAS, ALWAYS WILL

Thanks so much for worshipping with us today. As you leave, please go with the knowledge that God loves you! He always has; He always will. No matter what's gone wrong in your life, He'll accept you just as you are—no questions asked. He loves you, period! All He asks is your love in return. So today—right now—why not tell Jesus in your own words that you love Him. When you do, He promises to give you His peace, begin a beautiful change in you, and that He'll always be there for you—always has, always will!

CHURCH PERSONNEL

AV .. Ben Shaner, Sam Frazier, Sam Taber, Beverly Funk, Kat Kennedy, Bernie Anderson

Council Richard Frazier, Jan Hawes, Susan Kifer, Bob Kline, Bruce MacGregor, Ben Shaner, Pastor Thom, Pastor Dave

Auditor..... Len Peterson

Benevolence Fund..... Bruce MacGregor

Communion Preparation..... Nancy Watkins

Compassion Ministry Jerri Dempster

Dinner for Eight Jerri Dempster

Facilities Richard Frazier, Bob Kline

Kitchen Ministry..... Phyllis Forsythe, Sue Bennett, Brenda Berube

Library .. Sarah Charles (Adults), Bev Funk (Children)

Missions Shirley Lymburner

Offering Table/Prayer Chain Church Office

Operation Christmas Child Sam Frazier

Photographer Genie Bennett

Secretary/Clerk Karen Heidebrink

Sew Blessed..... Bette Frazier

Sexton..... Dale Mundo

Treasurer..... John Kifer

Trustees of Trust Funds.. Bruce MacGregor, Mal Cook

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Worship Karen Heidebrink and Worship Team

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**“A Passion for God,
Compassion for People”**

A WORD TO OUR VISITORS

We are so happy you have joined us this morning. Our hope and prayer is that you will feel welcomed and encouraged as we worship our God, learn from His Word, and experience His love to begin a wonderful week.

If we can help you in any way, please let us know. We are here to serve you.

If you fill out an Information Card, located in the pews, and drop it in an offering box, we can send you additional information of our church.

Thank you so much for being our guest!

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

Today	10:00 AM	Worship Service Live Streaming Kidz' Zone Nursery (ages 0-3)
Mon	11:00 AM	Fellowship Hour LABOR DAY—CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED
	12-1:00 PM	AA
Tues	12-1:00 PM	AA
Wed	12-1:00 PM	AA
	6:30 PM	Worship Team Rehearsal
Thurs	12-1:00 PM	AA
Fri	12-1:00 PM	AA

SERMON NOTES

**“REJECTING REJECTION”
(Exodus 2:1-10; Acts 7)
Pastor Thom Christian**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIBLE STUDIES AND SMALL GROUPS will be starting soon! More information and sign-ups sheets are available in the fellowship hall. You're invited to take a look!

THE TWO SUNDAY SCHOOL ROOMS downstairs will be painted starting at 10 AM on Monday, September 18th. We are looking for some people who would be able to volunteer to help paint. If you would be available, it would help a lot! A sign-up sheet is in the fellowship hall with more information. Please bring rollers and handles. Thank you in advance, Sue Christian and Vanessa Peterson

THE FCC LIBRARY is enlarging its DVD collection. Focus on the Family has produced a five-disc DVD video series entitled, “The Path to the Cross—Embracing Obedience and Sacrifice.” It is experiencing the Bible in historical context with Ray Vander Laan. This is a member request.

THERE ARE DROP BOXES in the foyer and fellowship hall in which to place your tithes and offerings either before or immediately after the service. Thank you so much!

NEXT WEEK: “The Church at Work” (1 Cor. 12:14-27)