

Sharing of JOY and CONCERNS of the CONGREGATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER IN UNISON

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 debts, as we
forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us
from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory,
forever. Amen.

Go Out as God's People in the World

*Closing Hymn HoF 363: "Living for Jesus"

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

If you are visiting today, we thank you for coming and hope you
enjoy the "Welcome Packet" provided by our Church Greeter.
Please indicate your contact information in the black pew pad, so that
we can send you a note and call about a potential visit with our new
pastor, who is visiting everyone in the congregation she can!
Be sure to also let us know if you have any prayer needs!

PLEASE NOTE: Assisted Listening Devices are available in the
Sanctuary during Worship. For instructions, please see the Greeter.

Childcare offered 9:30 – Noon in the Lower Level Nursery.
(There are no peanut products in the nursery.)
Junior Church (lower level) thru 5th grade, following the children's
message, except weeks when there is communion.

After Worship, please join us in Fellowship Hall for
coffee, light refreshments, and friendly conversation!



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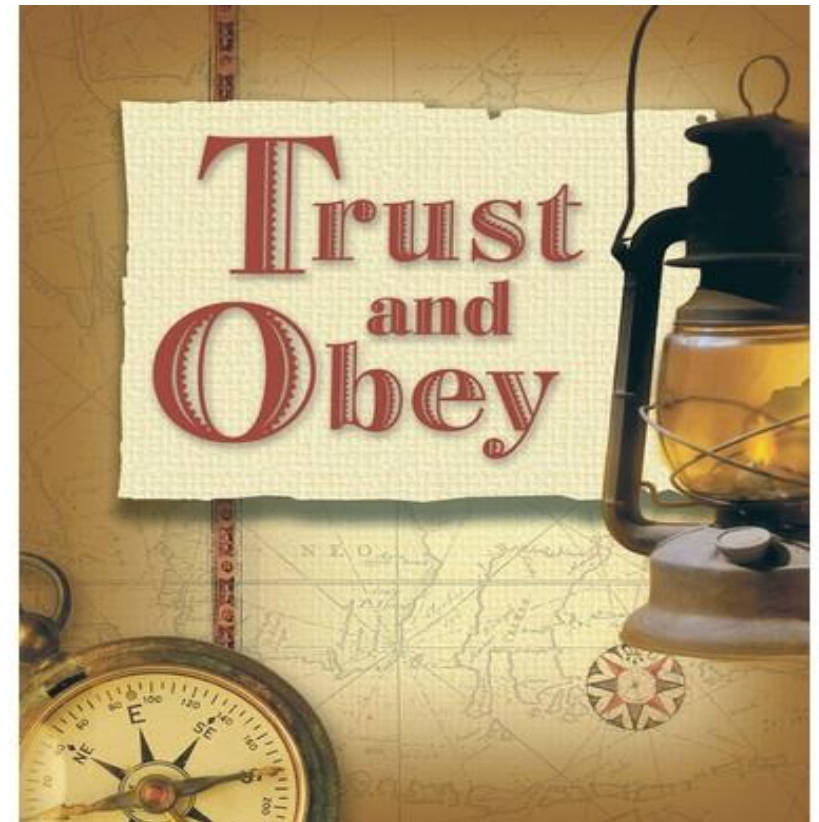
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September 15, 2019

FOR PASTORAL CARE, PLEASE CALL:

The Reverend Dr. Janet Hufford at 412-877-9310



CHURCH STAFF:

Pastor: The Reverend Dr. Janet A. Hufford

Elder Assisting: Leslie Crawford

Today's Musician: Laura Kesor

Nursery: Linda Flowers & Cindy Horn

Junior Church: Genie Dixon & Keegan Horn

Lord's Day Worship

Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. September 15, 2019 Worship, 10:45 a.m.

Please refer to "Hymns of Faith" (HoF) today.

Gathering of God's People

RINGING OF THE STEEPLE BELL

WELCOME: *Fill our worship with grace, Lord Jesus Christ,
that every thought, word, and deed may be acceptable to you,
our Rock and our Redeemer. Amen.*

GREETING AND SHARING GOD'S PEACE

*As God has greeted us with his peace,
so let us pass the peace of Christ to each other.*

RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP *(Please sign & pass the black pew pads)*

ANNOUNCEMENTS *(Also See Old First News Bulletin Insert)*

PRELUDE

INTROIT *by FPC Choir*

**Please Stand if Able.*

*CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 130:5-6

I wait for the LORD,
my whole being waits, and in his word I put my hope.
I wait for the LORD more than watchmen wait for the morning,
more than watchmen wait for the morning.

*Hymn of Praise HoF 196: "Trust and Obey"

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION: *Unison* Psalm 130:1-3, 7-8
"Out of the depths I cry to you, LORD; Lord, hear my voice. Let your ears be attentive to my cry for mercy. If you, LORD, kept a record of sins, Lord, who could stand?" Though deep are our sins, we put our hope in you, LORD, and in your unfailing love. Redeem us, O God. Amen.
(Pause for silent confession.)

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON *Psalm 130:4*
"But with you there is forgiveness, so that we can, with reverence, serve you." Friends, believe the good news of the gospel.
In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

*GLORIA PATRI / RESPONSE
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be world without end. Amen, Amen.

Proclamation of God's Word

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE: *by Chuck Long*
(Please pick up children after worship from Jr Church in Chr Ed wing lower level.)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE: 1John 2:28-3:10 N.T. pgs. # 222-3

SERMON: "Continue in Him to Do Right"
By The Reverend Dr. Janet Hufford

Response to God's Word

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: "The Heidelberg Catechism" 4.060

Q. How are you righteous before God?

A. Only by true faith in Jesus Christ. Even though my conscience accuses me of having grievously sinned against all God's commandments, of never having kept any of them, and of still being inclined toward all evil, nevertheless, without any merit of my own, out of sheer grace, God grants and credits to me the perfect satisfaction, righteousness, and holiness of Christ, as if I had never sinned nor been a sinner, and as if I had been as perfectly obedient as Christ was obedient for me. All I need to do is accept this gift with a believing heart.

*Hymn of Response HoF 380: "Take My Life and Let It Be"

CALL TO STEWARDSHIP

OFFERTORY

*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 FOR OFFERING *Psalm 130:4-5*
We wait on you. In reverence, we bring these offerings to serve you and your purpose for the kingdom of heaven. Receive them, we humbly pray.
Amen.

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