

**Finance & Attendance Update:**

Amount needed each Sunday to meet budget (2018):	2,615.00
Amount received last Sunday:	2,003.00
Total received to date this year	104,607.00
Amount received last week for <b>Capital Fund:</b>	160.00
Amount received year to date for <b>Capital Fund:</b>	15,970.00
Attendance last Sunday	85

**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

**Sunday, October 21**

- 10:00 a.m. Worship
- 11:15 a.m. Finance Meeting
- 3:00 p.m. Grace Korean worship

**Monday, October 22**

- 3:00 p.m. Dessert with Sarah at Hope UMC
- 5:00 p.m. Dollar Dinner
- 7:00 p.m. Dessert with Sarah at Aspenwood Clubhouse

**Tuesday, October 23**

- 10:00 p.m. Parents & Pals Playtime
- 6:00 p.m. PEO
- 6:30 p.m. MN Interfaith Power & Light

**Wednesday, October 24**

- 8:00 a.m. Men’s Breakfast @ Mt. Royal
- 10:00 a.m. Parents & Pals Playtime
- 3:00 p.m. CSA
- 5:00 p.m. Prayer Group

**Wednesday, October 24 – continued**

- 6:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal
- 7:00 p.m. Al-Anon

**Thursday, October 25**

- 8:00 a.m. Men’s Breakfast @ Mt. Royal
- 9:00 a.m. Painters
- 9:00 a.m. Hope Quilters
- 10:45 a.m. Yoga for Parkinsons
- 12:00 p.m. Gentle Yoga
- 1:00 p.m. Music @ 1
- 1:30 p.m. Exercise
- 6:00 p.m. “Headscratchers” book study at Catharine Larson’s

**Friday, October 26**

- 7:00 p.m. Youth meet for Haunted Shack & Corn Maze outing

**Sunday, October 28**

- 10:00 a.m. Worship
- 3:00 p.m. Grace Korean worship
- 3:00 p.m. Trunk or Treat

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- \*You are invited to the **ordination of Cynthia Coffin-Langdon at Pilgrim Congregational UCC TODAY at 2 pm**; reception celebration to follow!
- \***Haunted Shack & Corn Maze for youth 12 yrs. and up**: Let Sandy Johnson know **today** if you’ll be going on Friday evening and to learn details of time, price, etc.
- \***Music @ 1**: Live music offered by musician Sam Black and friends Thursdays in our sanctuary. This week’s program: John Keats and the birth of Musical Romanticism. Join us!
- \*Bring your **UNICEF box stuffed with coins and bills** to turn in **next Sunday, October 28!**
- \*Bring your automobile “stuffed” with candy treats and decorate your spot in our parking lot **next Sunday for Trunk or Treat!** Come set up at 2:30, wear a costume & welcome our neighbors!
- \***“Headscratchers” book study this Thursday**: If some of Jesus’ teachings puzzle you, let’s puzzle together and see what we can understand anew!

**STAFF**

- Administrative Assistant:** Jennifer Amy-Dressler
- Administrative Assistant:** Beth Kaiser
- Nursery Attendant:** Cassidy Kelley, Ella Karki
- Music Director:** Liz Raihala
- Custodian:** Matt Johnson
- Kids’ Quest Director:** Anita Rixe



October 21, 2018

Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost

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Office Hours: Monday – Friday ~ 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

*With God’s grace, we care for the soul for a lifetime and beyond.*

**PRELUDE**

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP** (Psalm 104)

I will bless you, Lord my God! You fill the world with awe. You dress yourself in light, in rich, majestic light;

**You stretched the sky like a tent, built your house beyond the rain. You ride upon the clouds, the wind becomes your wings, the storm becomes your herald, your servants, bolts of light.**

You made the earth solid, fixed it for good. You made the sea a cloak, covering hills and all. At your command the sea fled your thunder, swept over mountains, down the valleys to its place. You set limits, never to drown the earth again.

**Birds nest and sing among the leaves. You drench the hills with rain. You nourish the earth with what you create. You make grass to grow for cattle, make plants grow for people, food to eat from the earth and wine to warm the heart, oil to glisten on our bodies and bread for our strength.**

God, how fertile your genius! You shape each thing, you fill the world with what you want.

**Let God’s glory endure and may God always delight in creating! We will sing to God! We will make music as long as we live! Let my song give joy to God who is joy to me!**

**\*HYMN**                                      “The Servant Song”                                      #2222

**JOYS AND CONCERNS**

**PRAYER**

O God, you are our way, our truth, our light. Shape us in your image, fill us with your power and teach us what to do with the power we have. Lead us, holy one, in your paths which lead to peace...(silence)

**THE LORD’S PRAYER**

**All this we pray in the name of the One who teaches us to pray saying...**

**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 sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not in temptation and deliver us from evil for thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.**

**SPECIAL MUSIC**                                      “Oceans” by Hillsong                                      TeamHOPE

**PASSING OF THE PEACE**

**KIDS’ TIME**

**SCRIPTURE READING**                                      Mark10:35-45, p. 44                                      Shawn Amundson

**MESSAGE**                                      “At Home with God: Servanthood”

**\*HYMN**                                      “Make Me A Servant”                                      #2176

**OFFERING**

**\*DOXOLOGY**                                      #94

**BLESSING:** This thread I weave, this step I dance, this stone I carve, this ball I bounce, this nail I drive, this pearl I string, this check I write, this march I join, this faith I state, this truth I sign, this is small part in one small place, of one heart’s beat for one Great Peace. Amen.

**\*HYMN**                                      “Together We Serve”                                      #2175

**BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

*\*You are invited to stand as you are able*

**LARGE PRINT hymnals, bulletins, and Bibles, as well as hearing devices are available from the usher.**