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Worship 10:45

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October 13, 2024 Liturgist, Bonnie Bloom 10:45a.m.
Pastor Appreciation Sunday

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE "For Those Tears I Died" Stevens

* OPENING HYMN "Hymn of Promise" 707

* CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Sing for joy, O heavens, and exult, O earth;
P: break forth, O mountains, into singing!
L: For the Lord has comforted his people and will have
 compassion on his suffering ones.

*All: Sing praises to the LORD, for he has done
 gloriously; let this be known in all the earth. Let us
 sing to God!*

* OPENING PRAYER

Renew your church, Lord, your people in this land. Save us from cheap words and self-deception in your service. In the power of your Spirit transform us and shape us by your cross. Amen.

* GLORIA PATRI 70

OLD TESTAMENT READING Job 23:1-9, 16-17
The word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God

CHILDREN'S MOMENT & Coin offering

* PASSING THE PEACE

OFFERING

OFFERTORY "Living for Jesus" Lowden

* DOXOLOGY

* OFFERTORY PRAYER

PRAYERS OFFERED IN PRAISE AND PETITION

(Please give prayer cards to acolytes)

PRAYER HYMN "Be Thou My Vision" 451

PASTORAL PRAYER

SILENT MEDITATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

ANTHEM "Tell it To Jesus/What A Friend"

EPISTLE READING Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16

The word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God.
Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path

MESSAGE "That's Life!"

*CLOSING HYMN "Joyful, Joyful" 89

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

WELCOME

In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications..." (Hebrews 5:7). We, too, have come to pray and ask for God's help and guidance. Let us unite our hearts as brothers and sisters before the Lord. Everyone is sincerely welcomed.

PRAYER CONCERNS THIS WEEK

Don Heckathorne	Ray Knopsnider	Thomas Leeder
Paul & Myra Holden	Baby Thompson	Becky Irwin
James & Deanna Sherbondy	Trey Corvin	Paula Snyder
Allen Mellinger	Chadd Tressler	Mary Swope
Jeffrey Sarnelli	Emma Jobbs	Paul Martin
Margaret Shultz	Larry Murray	Pat Tinkey
Bobby Kozel	Rev. Rob & Lynn Kifer	Kenny Urbach
Shannon Mack	Randy Jacobs	Carol Daniels
Tina Hiltabidel	Scott Wagner	Emryn Swaney
Judy Strickler	Paula Shaffer	Patty Lint
Gary Bungard	Taran Miller	Karen Halfhill
Shannon Halfhill	Justin Teets	Rick Miller
Randy Fisher	John Shaw	George Mariotti
Eddie John	Buddy Richter	Lee Mimless
Shirley Kozel	Buzz & Barb Stuart	Kathy Meyers
Sue Billeaudeau	Rebecca Snyder	Sandy Fox
Ted Zigler	Anita Norris	Roger Richter
Lincoln Dunseth	Pastor Steve & Bev	Rev. Ross Pryor
		Bishop Sandra Steiner Ball

DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO FAMILY & FRIENDS OF:

Charlotte Holt who passed away October 5.

Homebound persons: Edna Baker, Polly Basinger, Evelyn Curry, Sherrill Goodwin, Chuck Hall, Dolly King, Jimmy Lynn, Shirley Mathias, Stephanie Mattis, Marilynd McClintock, Ed Miller, Judy Morris, Dorene Provance, Ozella Roy

Unspoken Requests	All Military	All churches
Government leaders	Those with cancer	Homeless people
Those battling addiction	Hurricane victims	
Praise for answered prayers	Families of those who take their own life	

If you want a name on prayer list, please use the prayer cards in the pew - give to acolytes.

THIS WEEK AT ALBRIGHT

WEDNESDAY: Bible study 6:30

THURSDAY: Otterbein pasta meal 4-6

Choir practice 7:00

SATURDAY: Saturday Morning Special 11:00 Halloween party

OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 10:00-3:00

OUR STEWARDSHIP - October 6

Weekly need for budget \$ 2,214.00
Sunday offering \$ 2, 621.00
(Coin offering \$62.00)
Sunday morning worship attendance 50

General Fund balance as of Oct. 1..... Minus - \$18,831.39

Monthly need is \$10, 506.38

AUGUST income for the month \$ 10,156.00

SEPTEMBER income for the month \$9,840.65

WE NEED YOUR HELP & SUPPORT!

GREETING YOU TODAY: Pamela Lynn

October 20: Michelle Reich

LITURGIST: October 20: Karen Stimmell

October 27: Donna Fosbrink

ACOLYTES TODAY: October 13: Andrew Lynn & Beau Wagner

October 20: Thelma Swope & Estella Gallagher

JUNIOR CHURCH TODAY: Kelli Armstrong & Nancy Mimless

October 20: Bonnie & Larry Bloom

USHERS: Larry Bloom, Scott Murray, Sally Fosbrink, Michelle Reich

Oct. 20: Jay & Judy Whipkey, Linda Burnworth, Pinky Smiley

COUNTERS: October: Sherry Grote & Sue Harvey

November: Ed Jacobs & Nancy Mimless

BLUE PLATE SPECIAL

This lunch will be Tuesday, October 22 at 11:00-1:00. Open to the public. Free with donations accepted. @3 ask \$5 for take out.

TRUNK OR TREAT

Friday, October 31 @ 6-8 p.m. in the north parking lot near the gazebo.

ROAST BEEF DINNER

November 16: Otterbain is having a Roast Beef Dinner from 4-7. Cost is \$15 for adults, \$8 for children 4-12 and children 3 and under eat for free. Menu includes roast beef, mashed potatoes and gravy, vegetable, dessert and drink.

WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY

Every Wednesday 6:30-7:30 at Albright. We are currently watching season 4 of The Chosen. Everyone welcome.

PASTA DINNER

Otterbein Pasta dinner Thursday, Oct. 17 at 4-6. Free with donations accepted. \$5 for take out.

SATURDAY MORNING SPECIAL

Saturday, October 19 at 11:00. It is their halloween party. Lunch is sloppy joes.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

We will be doing shoeboxes again this year. You may use the regular shoe boxes or get plastic shoebox size.

We need them in by November 17.

OCTOBER CALENDAR

16th: Bible study 6:30

17th: Pasta meal at Otterbein 4-6

Choir practice 7:00

19th: Saturday Morning Special halloween party 11:00

22nd: Blue Plate Special: this is a free lunch for the community served from 11 to 1. Donations accepted.

There is a \$5 charge for take out.

24th: Bishop Sandra Steiner Ball: Bishop's Day on the District. 12:00 pm Clergy- Worship and Light Lunch: Albright UMC

3:00 pm Connellsville Area Community Ministries Visit

6:30 pm Laity- Dialogue and Light Snacks: Barren Run UMC 569 Barren Run Rd, Smithton 15479

27th: Sheila Remembrance Day. Wear purple in honor of Sheila Jacobs' favorite color.

31st: Trunk or Treat in the Albright North parking lot near gazebo from 6 to 8

November Happenings:

1st: Sub sale from 10-1

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9th: Basket class 10:00

16th: Saturday Morning special 11:00. T'giving meal by Jacobs family.

21st: Otterbein pasta dinner 4-6

26th Blue Plate Special

27th: Thanksgiving Eve Service 7PM

30th: Hanging of the Greens Christmas Cantata with a play;

Everyone is welcome to celebrate the start of the Advent Season with our annual Hanging of the Greens. This year we will have a cantata along with a play reminding us of the meaning of the season. We will end the evening with our goofy gift exchange and light refreshments.

December Happenings:

14th: Annual Cookie Walk from 9-1 where you can purchase a variety of homemade cookies.

19th: Otterbein pasta dinner 4-6

21st: Saturday Morning Special Christmas Party from 11-1.

21st: Blue Christmas Service at 7PM remembering & celebrating the lives of those we lost and acknowledging the grief we feel in this season.

24th: Christmas Eve Candlelight service 7:00 at Otterbein

Albright will also be doing Christmas for veterans families.