

**+** Sunday**+**  
May 27, 2018 10:00 A.M.

**GATHERING IN WORSHIP**

*Please use the time during the prelude for quiet meditation to prepare yourself for worship.*

◆Prelude

◆**Call to Worship (In Unison)**

Pastor: The voice of our God and King is heard in blessing,  
as it echoes in its majestic powers over all creation.

**People: We come to worship our God, and to celebrate the  
Mystery and Reality that is God's everlasting glory.**

Pastor: The voice of God is heard in all creation—and it responds  
with joy to the voice of its Creator, Sustainer and Renewer.

**People: We come to worship our God, and to celebrate God's  
power and generosity towards all creation and all  
peoples.**

Pastor: We come to worship our God, and to celebrate the  
way we are welcomed into God's glorious presence.

**People: The voice of our Holy God is heard in the sacred  
spaces, and God's grace is received as we worship.  
Amen.**

◆Hymn of Praise (BH #455) *Be Still, My Soul: The Lord Is on Your  
Side!*

◆Invocation

**The Lord's Prayer (forgive us our sins...)**

**WORD**

**Scripture Readings**

Matthew 6:31-34  
John 16:31-33

◆*Gloria Patri* (BH #109)

**Pastoral Prayer**

◆Hymn of Preparation *Seek Ye First*

Message

**"The Ultimate Sacrifice "**  
**"God's Triumph, God's Provision"**  
Rev. Mark Westlind

**RESPONSE**

◆Hymn of Response (GH #677) *They'll Know We Are Christians by  
Our Love*

**Prayer of Confession (In Unison)**

**God, we want to have our cake and eat it, too:  
we want to be a friend of the world and still be your friend.  
Yet, Jesus taught us: "No one can serve two masters."  
Give us strength and courage to get our priorities straight:  
help us to seek your kingdom first.  
Help us to live faithfully and joyfully in the world,  
and to be friends with the people you call us to serve.  
Help us also to remember that our best relationship  
is the one we have with you,  
We pray in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

**Assurance of Pardon (Pastor):**

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven,  
and we are given a new way to live.  
Let us accept God's grace,  
And live new lives of faith, obedience, and joy. Amen.

**Passing of the Peace**

**Life Together**

**Offering**

Offertory  
◆ *Doxology*  
◆ Prayer of Dedication

**SENDING**

◆Hymn of Dismissal (BH #60) *All Things Bright and Beautiful*  
(vs. 1,3,4)

◆Benediction

**Postlude**

◆Indicates those who are able should stand.

**NOTES OF INTEREST**

Childcare is offered for infants and younger children in the church nursery. If you need directions feel free to ask an usher for assistance.

**PRAYER CONCERNS:** Marjorie Cassady, Char Dunk-Sladek, Elsie Koler, Barbara Mateer, Lorraine Sorensen, Linnea Wimpenny.

**Save the Dates**

UNITE - CHIC 2018 is July 15 – 20 at the University of Tennessee in Knoxville.

Vacation Bible School is July 30 – August 3.



*The Ultimate Sacrifice*



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Rev. Mark Westlind.....Interim Pastor  
Stuart Seale.....Director of Music and Worship  
Betty Aardema and Nate Van Der Male.....Organists  
Amanda Fulton.....Director, Noah's Ark Preschool  
Karen Christakos.....Church Secretary  
Joe Michalowicz.....Custodian

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### WELCOME TO TRINITY

So that we can get to know you better and you can better know us, please complete the tear-off below and place in the offering plate. Thank you!

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

#### Calendar for the Week:

##### Today:

- 10 A.M. Worship
- 10 A.M. Summer Sunday School ages 3 years – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade

##### This Week:

- Mon. Memorial Day – church office closed
- Tues. 9:30 A.M. Women's Bible Study
- Wed. 10 A.M. Noah's Ark Preschool Graduation

##### Next Sunday:

- 10 A.M. Worship Communion Sunday
- 10 A.M. Summer Sunday School ages 3 years – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade
- 11:30 A.M. 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary Celebration  
Sandy and Bill Hutchinson

**June 3 – Nursery Helpers:** Melissa Panush

**Greeters:** Judy and Ariel Kurzweil

### Today's Scripture:

#### Matthew 6:31-34

<sup>31</sup> So do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' <sup>32</sup> For the pagans run after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them. <sup>33</sup> But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. <sup>34</sup> Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own.

#### John 16:31-33

<sup>31</sup> "Do you now believe?" Jesus replied. <sup>32</sup> "A time is coming and in fact has come when you will be scattered, each to your own home. You will leave me all alone. Yet I am not alone, for my Father is with me. <sup>33</sup> "I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world."

## **Announcements:**

Adult Sunday School is on break for the summer and will resume study on September 10.

**Kingdom Kids Summer Sunday School** is asking for volunteers to teach a lesson to our K- 2nd graders this summer. School starts May 27 through September 2. We have some exciting lessons like, WATER PARK, DIARY OF A GODLY KID, SUMMER VACATION, and AMUSEMENT PARK! The lesson is provided, along with the materials to make a craft. All we ask is you pick up your lesson in the Sunday School room the week before you teach and arrive by 9:45 A.M. to greet the kids. A sign up sheet is in the narthex on the round table. WE APPRECIATE YOUR HELP! Let's make our kids THIRSTY this summer for the Word of God!

## **Noah's Ark Preschool**

Noah's Ark Preschool Graduation ceremony and celebration is on Wednesday, May 30 at 10 A.M.



## **Summer Camp at Covenant Harbor**

Please keep *Megan McShane* in your prayers this summer. For the third year in a row, Megan will be working at Covenant Harbor as a camp counselor. She'll start on June 3 through mid-August and return home for one week before heading off to college at Michigan State University. Let's all give Megan our support.

## **Senior Day at Covenant Harbor**

Join the fun on Wednesday, August 15 for a wonderful late summer day at Covenant Harbor! Enjoy a delicious lunch and a one-hour boat tour provided by Lake Geneva Cruise Line. Hear an exciting update from ministry leadership about the Summer Camp season and other developments at Covenant Harbor. Camp tours will be available. Registration opens on Friday, June 1. To register or have questions contact Sarah Snow, Development Director, 262-248-3600. If you are a resident at the Covenant Village of Northbrook, The Holmstad or Windsor Park, please register with your Residence Life Director. Space is limited for this event. Registrations will be processed in the order that they are received.

## **Worth Township Senior Bus Trip – Drury Lane**

Wednesday, June 13, Theatre & Luncheon Package, Rodgers & Hammerstein's *South Pacific*. \$83 includes Ticket, Lunch & Coach Bus.

11:00 Bus leaves Worth Township

11:30 Lunch: Seasonal fruit plate, your choice of entrée (Quarter Roasted Chicken, Short Ribs, or Vegetable Linguine Pomodoro), dessert, coffee, hot or iced tea

1:30 Show: Rodgers & Hammerstein's *South Pacific*

4:00 Bus leaves Drury Lane

5:00 Arrive at Worth Township

Registration required. Call 708-371-2900 x28 for more info or to reserve your seat.

## **Save the Dates**

2018 Fall Fellowship Women's Retreat at Covenant Harbor, Lake Geneva is for one weekend only September 14 - 16. Be refreshed and encouraged in your faith together with your sisters in Christ at beautiful Covenant Harbor. Accommodations are at Geneva Bay Center. For additional information or a registration form see Lorraine Weszely or go to: [www.wmcc2gether.com](http://www.wmcc2gether.com), or [www.covenantharbor.org](http://www.covenantharbor.org).



## Noah's Ark Preschool Summer Program

Come join the summer fun at  
Noah's Ark Preschool  
4-week summer program:

Week 1: June 18 - June 22  
Week 3: July 9 - 13

Week 2: June 25 - June 29  
Week 4: July 16 - July 20

The summer program will be offered Monday-Friday, from 9 A.M. - 12 P.M. for ages 3-6 years old. The children will participate in fun summer activities, along with creative crafts, hands-on learning and academic activities.

To register please fill out the tear-off below and return to the preschool or drop at the church office as soon as possible. Spots are limited.

### Summer Camp Fees

5-day Program Monday - Friday \$330

3-day Program Monday, Wednesday and Friday \$198

Snack, Supplies and Registration Fee \$30

**\*\*Summer camp will be subject to cancellation if low enrollment\*\***

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### Noah's Ark Summer Program

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Program: 5-day \_\_\_\_\_ 3-day \_\_\_\_\_

**Snack, Supplies and Registration fee due at time of registration. Please submit \$30**