

*Benediction

Postlude

Now Thank We All Our God
arr. E. Power Biggs
Dee Dee Gain, organ

**All who are able, please stand*

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(Disciples of Christ)
Decatur, Illinois

November 21, 2021

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Int. Dir. of Music

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sharing Christ. Changing Lives. Delivering Hope.

Prelude *Thanks Be to Thee* G. F. Handel
Dee Dee Gain, organ

Words of Welcome Michael E. Karunas

*Opening Hymn *Now Thank We All Our God* No. 715

*Responsive Reading Tina Miller

Leader: Praise the Lord! I will give thanks to the Lord with my
whole heart in the company of this congregation.

People: Great are the works of the Lord. We delight in them.

Leader: Full honor and majesty is His work.

People: With glad and thankful hearts, we praise God.

*Invocation

*Lord's Prayer

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.**

*Gloria Patri No. 35

Children's Message

Prayer Hymn *We Gather Together* No. 276

Pastoral Prayer

(8:00) Prayer Response

(10:30) Special Music, Larry Wade

Offertory Invitation

Special Music (8:00) Larry Wade

Anthem (10:30) *Come, Ye Thankful People, Come*

Scripture Reading Luke 17:11-19

One: The Word of God for the People of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon *The Meaning of "Thank You"*

Invitation to Discipleship

Communion Hymn

O Day of God, Draw Nigh (vs. 1, 2, 3) No. 700

*(In Christ's name we welcome all persons into membership into the church by confession of faith
and baptism or by transfer of membership. Please step to the front pew during the singing of this
Hymn of Communion.)*

Meditation Paul Gorden

Words of Institution

Prayer of Consecration Andy Fulk
(All believing Christians are invited to share in the Lord's Supper, regardless of church affiliation.)

Communion Music

One: The bread which we break is our communion in the Body of
Christ.

**All: The cup of blessing for which we give thanks is our
Communion in the blood of Christ. Amen.**

*Hymn *Let All Things Now Living* No. 717

Prayer List

Members

Jean Booher
Barbara Tyler
Karma Lynn Carpenter
Unique Hess
Evelyn Sanders
Gretchen Barron
Linda Kuhns
David Ash
Carol Wade
Morris Birkhead
David Poisel
Herb & Duff Knudsen
Bob & Pat O'Connell
Larry Pepper
Susie Bean
Tessa McCoy
Sarah, Chad, & Amelia Jennings

We Pray for Those in the Military:

Bobby Backes (nephew of Keith & Jeannie Backes)
Trysten Hall (son of Sheila & Charles Hall,
great-grandson of Lawrence & Sally Thicksten)
Katy & Matt Holden (granddaughter &
grandson-in-law of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Phillip Johnston (son of Becky Johnston)
Mitchell Lucas (grandson of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Jeremiah & Rachel Singletary
(great-nephew of Marilyn Ward)
Preston Wade (son of Larry & Karen Wade)
Lucas Ward (grandson of Marilyn Ward)



Members in Nursing Home & Assisted Living

Arlene Penn (Imboden Creek)
Zettie Stern (Imboden Creek)
Warren Berner (Imboden Creek Gardens)
Elaine Hynds (Imboden Creek Gardens)
Wanda Poisel (Imboden Creek Gardens)
Marilyn Riley (Randall Residence)
Max Sperry (Randall Residence)
Glen & Arlone Dalluge (Randall Residence)
Doris Matey (Hickory Pt Christian Village)
Ellen Sheffer (Hickory Pt Christian Village)
Joan Smith (Heritage Health)
Bess King (The Glenwood)

Friends & Family

Misty Mochel (friend of Marci Baumann)
Diane Lockwood (Friends of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Barb Disney (Friend of Penny Rutherford)
Shannon Francisco (Friend of Bob Smith)
Brook Stewart (Parents friend of
Jim & Pamela Bednar)
Janet May Carpenter (mother of
Karma Lynn Carpenter)
Anne Hostetler (friend of many CCC members)
Michael Moran (son in law of Larry &
Marla Winkleblack)
Carter Goodman (nephew of Greg & Gale Barnes)
Jill Bolin (Larry & Marla Winkleblack's daughter)

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Carrol Virt (father of Diana Ritter)
Juanita Churchill (mother of Theresa Fulk)
Dr. Albert "Albie" Gillman (friend of
Marci Baumann)
Sally Brown (friend of Roberta Gorden)
Ruth Albin (family of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Michelle Yeager (daughter of Gail Prince)
Mac Funk (son of Steve & Carrie Funk)
Dan Boynton (friend of Jim & Pamela Bednar)
Edna Straghan (mother of Kathy Kauzlarich)
Stacy Dill (friend of Donna Dash)
Jim Nuernberger (friend of Jim & Debbie Hoffert)
Vicky McGorray (friend of Connie Bordner)
Mary Lynn Watson (friend of Larry & Kathy Pepper)
Curt Jackson (cousin of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Ronald & Harriette York (David York's parents)
Ron Price (brother of Debbie Hoffert)
Vickie Jacobs (daughter of Maria Jacobs)
William Dayton Keyes (great-nephew of
Gale Barnes)
Tracy Cearlock (friend of Brett Swallow)
Jeff Powers (son-in-law of Dave & Nita Phillips)
Jane Spires (friend of many CCC members)
Debbie Seitz (friend of Julie & Ken Jacoby)
Jackson (friend of Janelle Beedle)

Worship Extras November 21, 2021

Starter Question

What is longest you've been away from home?
When and where was it?

The Meaning of "Thank You"

In Sickness and in Health

The sick were removed outside the "city limits"
Segregated away from the healthy
Had to shout "Unclean! Unclean!"

Jesus heals 10 Lepers

9 do as they're told

1 returns and "thanks" Jesus (praised by Jesus)

Thank you (Greek) = Eucharisto ("Eucharist")

Eu - good

Charis - gift (grace)

Thank you is something we say when we recognize a good
gift from God

Thank you is more than a positive attitude

Thank you is recognizing God's grace has touched our life

v. 19 - "Your faith has made you well"

Jesus says this to the one who said "thank you"

For Jesus:

Thankfulness = Faithfulness

Faithfulness = Thankfulness

Challenge for the rest of the month:

As you look back over 2021, if you had to "turn back" to Jesus
and say thank you for some grace you received, what would it
be?



Luke 17:11-19 NRSV

¹¹On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. ¹²As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, ¹³they called out, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" ¹⁴When he saw them, he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were made clean. ¹⁵Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. ¹⁶He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. ¹⁷Then Jesus asked, "Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they?" ¹⁸Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" ¹⁹Then he said to him, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well."