

*Hymn of Communion **One Bread, One Body (ref., vs. 1, ref.)** No. 393
(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.)

Elder's Meditation

Brett Swallow

Words of Institution

Prayer of Consecration

Dick Cain

(All believing Christians are invited to share in the Lord's Supper, regardless of church affiliation. You may eat the Bread as it is passed, but hold the Cup to drink together.)

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.**

Benediction

*Recessional **Praise to the Lord, The Almighty (vs. 2, 3)** No. 677

Postlude

The Rejoicing

G. F. Handel

(Please remain in your pews until the Acolytes have left the aisle.)

**All who are able, please stand*



**Michael E.
Karunas**
Senior Minister

Don Martin
Minister of Music

Tina Miller
Associate Minister of
CE and Family Life

David Martin
Youth Director



ORDER OF WORSHIP
Sunday, October 6, 2019
Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost
Sharing Christ. Changing Lives. Delivering Hope

GATHERING

Prelude ***The Rejoicing*** Charles Callahan
Dee Dee Gain, organist

Introit

Processional Hymn **God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending** No. 606

*Responsive Reading Gretchen Kirby

Leader: Rejoice, people of God! Celebrate Christ's presence within you.

People: Our eyes shall be opened! The present will have new meaning, and the future will be bright with hope.

Leader: Rejoice, people of God! Bow before the One who is our wisdom and strength.

People: We place ourselves before God, that we may be made whole by the power of the Spirit.

Leader: Rejoice and celebrate the presence of Jesus our Christ.

People: We recognize this reconciling Jesus as we meet at the table to share the bread and the cup with all faithful people around the world.

All: Sing praise to God the creator, Jesus the Redeemer and the Spirit that sustains us.

*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 (10:30) Tina Miller

PRAYER

Prayer Hymn **Blessed Assurance (vs. 1, 2)** No. 543

Pastoral Prayer Don Martin

Prayer Response **Blessed Assurance (vs. 3)** No. 543

(If you want someone to pray with you after this service, please meet an Elder in the church gallery just to your right as you leave the sanctuary)

Offertory Invitation

Offertory **Invitation to Communion** Deborah Govenor
Karen Driver, Lea West, David Williams, Bob Craggs

*Doxology No. 46

*Prayer of Dedication

PROCLAMATION

Anthem **The Whisper** Craig Courtney
Chancel Choir

Scripture Reading John 4:3-4, 7-15, 23-29, 39 Michael E. Karunas
(pg. 94-96 N.T.)

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon ***Stories of Generosity: God's Work, Our Hands***

RESPONSE

Invitation to Discipleship

IN SERVICE TODAY Sunday, October 6, 2019

Elders:

8:00 & 10:30 - Brett Swallow & Dick Cain
9:00— TBA

Imboden Creek:

Mark Beal & Andy Fulk

Deacons:

8:00 - Team 3 - Sid & Krista Rohrscheib, Jane Davis, Mike Munos, Bob Muschal, Pat Penhallegon, Bobby Munos, Becky Johnston, Carolyn McCall
9:00— Ben Tucker
10:30 - Team 4 - Jeannie Backes, Matthew Swarthout, Jon French, David Martin, Mike & Gretchen Kirby, Mark Beal, Doug Soebbing, Roger Rutherford, Ron & Gwen Miller, Seth Martin, Pam Ferguson, Brittney Moran, Pam Larrick, Shelby Baum

Ushers:

8:00 - Team 3 - Dennis Downey, Capt., Jim & Pamela Bednar
10:30 - Team 8 - Pamela Ferguson, Capt., Doug Soebbing

Greeters:

8:00 - Larry & Darla Otis
9:00— Laura Chapman
10:30 - Dale & Judy Ford

Acolytes:

10:30 - Luke Karunas & Zedekiah Auten

P.A. Operator:

8:00 - Greg Carter
10:30—Mike Kirby

Preparation of Communion:

Julia Martin, Hazel Perry, Linda Shambaugh

Liturgist:

8:00 & 10:30—Gretchen Kirby
9:00—Cheryl Zollinger

Hospitality:

9:00—Cindy Grabowski

Tech:

9:00—Jodie Walwer & Mike Tanzyus

Sunday School Classes	Floor	Room
Koinonia	2	212
Ecclesia	2R	240
Chalice	2	207
6th grade - 12th grade	2R	280
Kindergarten - 5th grade	2R	230
Nursery (Birth - 5 years old)	1R	150

CHURCH CALENDAR



Sunday (6)

8:00-Traditional Worship Service
9:00-Contemporary Worship, Great Hall
9:00-Fellowship Coffee
9:00-Youth Sunday School Classes
9:15-Adult Sunday School Classes
10:30-Traditional Worship Service
12:00-Praise Team Rehearsal, Great Hall
12:00-Contemporary Worship Mtg/Lunch
4:00-Youth Group

Monday (7)

5:30-Bowling, Spare Time Lanes
5:30-Spanish Conversations Class, 240
6:00-Financial Peace University, Great Hall/Disciples Room

Tuesday (8)

7:00-Journeymen, Connection Café
9:00-Christcare Stitchers, 207
1:00-MU Class, 240
5:30-Women’s Book Club, Panera
6:30-Heart & Soul Choir, Choir Room/Connection Café
7:00-Millikin Heights

Wednesday (9)

10:15-Chapel, Friendship Center
10:30-Ministers’ Meeting
11:30-3D Program & Lunch
5:00-Elders’ Meeting
6:30-Book Study, 240

Thursday (10)

10:00-Al-Anon, 240
4:00-Journeymen 2, Connection Café
6:00-Brass Choir, Disciples Room
7:00-Chancel Choir

Friday (11)

Saturday (12)

1:00-Contemporary Worship Practice

Sunday (13)

8:00-Traditional Worship Service
9:00-Contemporary Worship, Great Hall
9:00-Fellowship Coffee
9:00-Youth Sunday School Classes
9:15-Adult Sunday School Classes
10:30-Traditional Worship Service
12:00-Praise Team Rehearsal, Great Hall
4:00-Youth Group
6:00-Just Flicks, First Presbyterian Church, “Departures”



Hannah Brimmer, our social media coordinator, would love to be Facebook friends with you! Please friend request Hannah.

We are collecting cereal TODAY to be donated to Northeast Community Fund’s food pantry. Cereal boxes may be placed in the shopping cart located in the Connection Café.



Just Flicks, Sunday, October 13th- "Departures"

Departures tells the story of an unemployed cellist who returns to his hometown and finds work as a traditional ritual mortician. This job exposes him to cultural taboos against people who work in the mortuary field.

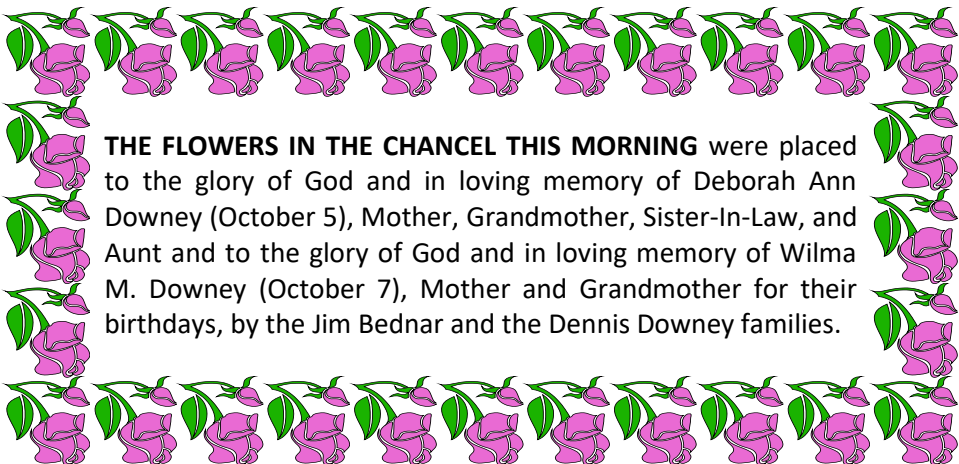
- *In Departures, life and death are two expressive movements of one musical piece. Neither is taken as a polar opposite of the other; they dance rhythmically, like the ebb and flow of the ocean tide.* Antonio Sison, National Catholic Reporter.
- *Departure's cynicism, ironically, is what makes the optimism of its last act so moving.* Charlotte O'Sullivan, London Evening Standard.
- *All three actors are skilled in communicating difficult emotions just with their faces and in bringing to life the gentle humor that leavens this very affecting movie about death and letting go.* Kelly Jane Torrance, Washington Times.

College Care Ministry

Several of our young adults might be "out of sight" on a regular basis around the church while they are in college, but we don't want them to think they are "out of our minds". We want to let them know we have them in our hearts as well as our prayers while they are gone, so we are going to be sending them regular notes, cards, etc. ... and 2x a year, a care package. That is where we need help from you the congregation. We will have a donation box by the front desk in early October for things you feel might give a college kid a smile. Ideas might be candy, pens, Post-it notes, gift cards, fun things from the dollar store, devotional book, anything really that doesn't have to do with studying! The 1st care packages will be sent out by the end of October. Any questions- please contact Gretchen Kirby. Also, please let us know if you know of a college student who would be blessed by receiving one of these care packages.

The Good Samaritan Volunteer Opportunity

The Good Sam needs volunteers for Saturday , the 19th. We need 6 to 8 for prep (8:00am), and 12 to 14 for serving (11:00am to 1:00pm). The sign-up sheet will be available on the Welcome Center desk.



THE FLOWERS IN THE CHANCEL THIS MORNING were placed to the glory of God and in loving memory of Deborah Ann Downey (October 5), Mother, Grandmother, Sister-In-Law, and Aunt and to the glory of God and in loving memory of Wilma M. Downey (October 7), Mother and Grandmother for their birthdays, by the Jim Bednar and the Dennis Downey families.

ABOUT TODAY'S MUSIC

Offertory *Invitation to Communion*

Words and Music: Deborah Govenor

Come to the table, come to the feast.
Come, there is welcome for the greatest and the least.
Come for forgiveness,
come to confess God's saving power and our unworthiness.
Come to the table, come eat the bread;
Christ's body broken, our hungry souls are fed.
Come to the table, come, drink the wine,
His cup of blessing, gift of love divine.
Come to the table, come one and all,
Come to remember, come, now, to recall
Our dying Savior, our living Lord, our hope in heaven:
Christ our great reward.
Come to the table, go then in peace;
Your spirit quicken, and your faith increase.
Come to the table, go forth to be
Christ's faithful people through eternity.

Anthem *The Whisper*

Words: Susan Bentall Boersma

Music: Craig Courtney

In the desert, in the wilderness of life, I am searching for the One who searches me. As I wander, hungry, thirsty, lost, alone, I hear God's call: I hear the whisper of my name. "Come to the table. Your name is written on My hand. Come to the table. Your name is hidden in My heart. Come to the table and live."
At the table, He prepares for me a place. He redeems me, I am pardoned by His grace. He restores me with His rich and lavish love. In His call, I hear the whisper of my name. "Come to the table...."
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 - Take pictures and video
 - Share to our Facebook page (and yours!)

