



# Order of Worship

12th Sunday after Pentecost

8:30 a.m. & 10:45 a.m. – August 12, 2018



*God, as students prepare to go back to school, remind us all that your Word  
“is useful for teaching” (2 Timothy 3:16) – year round!  
May we never stop learning the truth of your powerful love!*

As we enter our Service, please be in an *attitude* of Worship.

Chapel Service - “Come, Holy Spirit”

Sanctuary Service - “Holy is the Lord” (screen)

\* TIME OF GREETING  
ANNOUNCEMENTS  
INVOCATION

THE PRELUDE – “Come into His Presence”

- arranged by Carol Tornquist

\* CALL TO WORSHIP – Psalm 139:5

“You have hedged me behind and before and laid  
your hand upon me.”

\*OPENING HYMN – 400

“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”

MISSIONS MOMENT – Banquet of Salem

Chapel – Connie Sanor, Sanctuary – Lynn Popa

CONGREGATIONAL PRAISE AND CONCERNS

THE QUIET TIME – PRAYER – OUR LORD’S PRAYER

THE OFFERTORY – by William Doane

“Blessed Be the Name and Take the Name of Jesus with You”

\*THE DOXOLOGY - 95

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

\* THE SCRIPTURE READINGS: (screen)

OLD TESTAMENT– Isaiah 58:8

NEW TESTAMENT- Luke 23:50-56

This is the Word from the Lord

THANKS BE TO GOD.

\* THE GLORIA PATRI - 70

*Children may be dismissed for 2<sup>nd</sup> hour.*

HYMN OF PREPARATION – 585

“This Little Light of Mine”

SPECIAL MUSIC: The Ezer Women

MESSAGE - “Hindsight”

Pastor P. Douglas George

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

\* CLOSING HYMN – 504 – “The Old Rugged Cross”

\* BENEDICTION

\* POSTLUDE- “Recessional in C” by Douglas E. Wagner

## FELLOWSHIP MEAL

Today, August 12<sup>th</sup>

Please join us following worship services and the  
dedication of the North Portico for our monthly  
fellowship meal sponsored by the  
Board of Trustees.

Please join us for Barbequed Ham  
Sandwiches. The congregation has  
supplied the salads and desserts.

*Welcome Home Pastor John and Krista Fitch!*

They have spent the summer in Africa visiting family and  
doing missionary work. They are now back and are again  
leading the “Hearts on Fire” service.

Please greet them and welcome them home.

## SERVING TODAY

COFFEE HOUR - 9:15am (Men’s Group)

GREETERS: Randy & Janet Keene

ACOLYTES: Morgan Brown & Lexi Tsibusky

2nd HOUR HELPERS: Janet Borders & Missy Iler

NURSERY: Cecelia Hrovatic, Kay Davidson,

Linda Oesch, Kiersten Schell

READERS FOR AUGUST: Chapel – Moira Lutsch

Sanctuary – Sandy Coe

USHERS - Chapel: Bill Sedlacek & Louis Huffman

Sanctuary: Ron Shively, Jim Forney, Larry Oesch,

Jerry Tausch, Brian Schell, Mike Popa, Bob Floor

USHERS FOR AUGUST 19TH – Team #4, Guiler

DRIVERS FOR AUGUST – Heather Sedlacek & Bob Floor

ALTAR CHAIR FOR AUGUST – Penny Adams

*Welcome!*

*If you are a guest with us today, we would be honored  
to have you sign our guest book at the Welcome Center.*

Prayer Concerns: Written concerns can be submitted to  
the office by calling 330-337-9531 or [office@firstumcsalem.org](mailto:office@firstumcsalem.org)

**Ila Votaw Meier, Linda Huffman**

### YOUTH GROUP UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

08/19: Parents Meeting at the Parsonage from 6 p.m.  
to 7 p.m. to discuss the necessary permission slips and  
medical forms. Youth are encouraged to attend.

08/24: Back to school Kick-off!  
Bonfire/Volleyball/Food in the South Parking Lot  
from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m.

09/02: Matthew West Concert at Canfield Fair. The  
cost is \$10.00 for reserved tickets. Please meet at the  
church at 1 p.m. for departure to the fair.

*Please see Jeff Barton for details.*



**August 5, 2018**

Attendance:

8:30 – 52  
10:45 – 94  
11:00 – 20

Giving:

Unified Budget: \$6,066.60  
Specified: \$ 508.55  
Total Offering: \$6,575.15

**It takes \$6,526 towards the Unified Budget each week to meet our budgetary needs.**



Rev. P. Douglas George,  
Senior Pastor

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Jeff Barton, Youth Director  
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John Fitch – “Hearts on Fire” Pastor  
David Sigman – Pastor of Visitation  
Cristina Huffman – Office Manager  
Yvonne Bennett – Church Treasurer  
Linda Peterson – Organist  
Chris Brown – Director of Music  
Rick Menough – Maintenance  
Charles Ruble – House Keeper

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

The deadline for the September 2018 Mirror is August 15<sup>th</sup>.

We will be dedicating the new North Portico today following worship services. Please stay for this brief ceremony and then join us for the monthly Fellowship Meal.

Attention Members of the Administrative Board: There is a meeting set for Tuesday, August 14<sup>th</sup> in the Chapel. Please be in attendance.

The next Banquet of Salem is planned for Monday, August 20<sup>th</sup> at the Memorial Building. Volunteers are needed. Please sign-up on the bulletin board across from the church office. Please see Connie Sanor or Lynn Popa for more information.

Mark your calendars! Sunday School Rally Day/Bring a Friend Day is planned for Sunday, August 26<sup>th</sup>. We will gather in the Fellowship Hall for ice cream and festivities. We will gather around and pray over our children and youth before dismissing them to their classrooms. It is our goal to have 100 folks in Sunday School that morning. Please see Nancy Miller or Barb Irwin for more details.

The next Literacy Group planning meeting is Tuesday, August 28<sup>th</sup> at 1 p.m. in the meeting room. We hope to launch this ministry in October. If this is a ministry opportunity that you are interested in, please see Nancy Zines for details.

This Weeks Calendar

Sunday, August 12

8:30 a.m. – Chapel 9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
10:45 a.m. – Worship - Sanctuary  
11:00 a.m. – “Hearts on Fire” Fellowship Hall  
North Portico Dedication/Fellowship Meal

Monday, August 13

6 p.m. – Finance Committee  
7 p.m. – Board of Trustees

Tuesday, August 14

8 a.m. – Prayer in Chapel  
9 a.m. – Church Staff Meeting in Cafe  
2 p.m. – Dulci More Ukulele Hangout  
6 p.m. – S.P.R.C  
6:30 p.m. – Christian Education Committee  
7:30 p.m. – Administrative Board

Wednesday, August 15

6 a.m. – Men’s Bible  
8 a.m. – Nominating Committee  
9 a.m. – Women’s Bible  
1 p.m. – Hearth & Home  
7 p.m. – H.O.F. Praise Team  
7 p.m. – Back Porch Bible at the Parsonage  
Deadline for the September 2018 Mirror

Thursday, August 16

9:30 a.m. – U.M.W. Executive Board

Sunday, August 19

8:30 a.m. – Chapel 9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
8:45 a.m. – Faithful Hearts  
10:45 a.m. – Worship - Sanctuary  
11:00 a.m. – “Hearts on Fire” Fellowship Hall  
6 p.m. - 7 p.m. – Youth Group Parents Meeting at Parsonage

*The flowers on the altar today are given by Randy and Janet Keene in honor of the birthdays of Randy’s mother, granddaughter Kaitlin and Janet’s father (Charlie). They are also honoring Aunt Mary’s 104<sup>th</sup> Birthday.*



Welcome to the Fortress of Faith

**August 12, 2018**



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Worship Services 8:30 & 10:45 a.m.  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.



To make disciples of  
Jesus Christ for the  
transformation of the  
world.