



# Order of Worship

Ascension Sunday

10:45 AM – May 16, 2021



*Welcome to worship, fellowship and Christian education.  
May the Holy Spirit touch your life during your time here today.*

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

## GATHERING CHORUS

Sanctuary - "He Has Made Me Glad"

## TIME OF GREETING

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

## INVOCATION

## THE PRELUDE - "Come Thou Almighty King"

-by Felice De Giardini

## \*CALL TO WORSHIP - Psalm 47:1-2

<sup>1</sup>Clap your hands, all you peoples;  
shout to God with loud songs of joy.

<sup>2</sup>For the Lord, the Most High, is awesome,  
a great king over all the earth.

## \*OPENING HYMN - 312 "Hail the Day that Sees Him Rise"

## MISSION MOMENT - Fred Bennett

## THE QUIET TIME - PRAYER - OUR LORD'S PRAYER

## ADULT CHOIR

## THE OFFERTORY - "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

-arr. by Paul Manz

## \*THE DOXOLOGY - 95

## \*THE SCRIPTURE READINGS:

GOSPEL - Luke 24:44-53

NEW TESTAMENT – Acts 1:1-11

This is the Word from the Lord

THANKS BE TO GOD.

## \*THE GLORIA PATRI – 70

## HYMN OF PREPARATION - 163

"Ask Ye What Great Things I Know"

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

## MESSAGE – "Staring into the Sky" - Pastor Sullivan

## \*CLOSING HYMN – 154

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

## \*BENEDICTION

## \*POSTLUDE – "How Firm A Fountain"

-Traditional American Melody

arr. by Edward Broughton.

*Thank you for joining us in worship!*

*Have a blessed week!*



WITH GOD

ALL THINGS ARE

POSSIBLE.

MATTHEW 19:26



George McKee, Kyle Franzen,  
Keith Martig, David & Marg Bloor  
& Faye Wilde

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

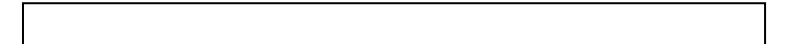
## Personal Hygiene Items Drive

The Missions Committee is collecting personal hygiene items for  
the people in the three recovery houses.

This grouping of items will be soap, shampoo, body wash and  
deodorant for women/men.

Please deposit all donations in the basket in corner of Sanctuary!

**THANK YOU!**



Would your group or  
committee **LOVE** to sponsor  
one of our fabulous  
Fellowship Meals?

See Fred Bennett for more  
details!!

**May 9, 2021**

**Giving:**

Unified Budget: \$ 5,595

Specified: \$13,989

Total Offering: \$19,584

*\*Specified includes Trustee & Missions endowment disbursements.*

**Rev. Steven Sullivan,  
Senior Pastor**

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**John Fitch** – “Hearts on Fire” Pastor  
**Yvonne Bennett** – Church Treasurer  
**Jenny Toporcer** – Office Manager  
**Linda Peterson** – Organist  
**Chris Brown** – Director of Music

# news & events



We are excited to announce that food and drink may again be part of your meetings, gatherings and Sunday School activities!

**No more than 10 people to a table and masks need to be worn when not actively eating or drinking.**



Please let Jenny in the office know if you are scheduling a meeting or gathering!

Also please inform us if your meeting (time or location) has changed or has been cancelled!

*thank you* 😊

## WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

**Sunday, May 16**

9 a.m. - Drive-in Worship  
9:30 a.m. - Sunday School  
10:45 a.m. - Worship – Sanctuary  
11 a.m. - “Hearts on Fire” Fellowship Hall

**Tuesday, May 18**

8 a.m. - Prayer in Chapel

**Wednesday, May 19**

6 a.m. - Men’s Bible Study  
9 a.m. - Women’s Bible Study  
5:30 p.m. - Griefshare  
6-8 p.m. - HOF Praise Practice

**Thursday, May 20**

7 p.m. - Sanctuary Praise  
7:30 p.m. - Adult Choir

**Saturday, May 22**

10 a.m. - Clothes Pantry  
11 a.m. - Jack DeFazio Funeral  
6 p.m. - Drive-in Worship

**Sunday, May 23**

9 a.m. - Drive-in Worship  
9:30 a.m. – Sunday School  
10:45 a.m. – Worship – Sanctuary  
11:00 a.m. – “Hearts on Fire” Fellowship Hall



Welcome to the Fortress of Faith

**MAY 16, 2021**



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**Worship Services:**

Drive-in : Sat. 6pm & Sun. 9am

Sanctuary: Sun. 10:45 a.m.

**Hearts On Fire** 11 a.m.



**Our Mission:**

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