



Order of Worship

19th Sunday after Pentecost
10:45 AM – October 3, 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

Chapel - "Spirit of the Living God" Hymnal 393
Sanctuary - "Just A Closer Walk with Thee"

TIME OF GREETING
ANNOUNCEMENTS
INVOCATION

THE PRELUDE - "Creator of the Stars of Night"
-9th century Sarum plainsong, arr. McCabe

*CALL TO WORSHIP -

In the great congregation, let us bless the Holy One.
With songs of thanksgiving, we retell God's wondrous deeds.
We love the house in which God dwells.
And the place where God's glory shines forth.
Proclaim God's name to all the world!
In the midst of the congregation, we praise God's Holy name.

*OPENING HYMN - 363

"And Can It Be that I Should Gain"

MISSION MOMENT - Yvonne Bennett

ADULT CHOIR

THE QUIET TIME - PRAYER

THE OFFERTORY - "Melodie" -Tschaikowsky

*THE DOXOLOGY - 95

*THE SCRIPTURE READING:
GOSPEL - Mark 10:2-16
NEW TESTAMENT - Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12

This is the Word from the Lord
THANKS BE TO GOD.

*THE GLORIA PATRI – 70

Children may be dismissed for 2nd hour.

MESSAGE – "Why Do We Gather Around the Table?"
-Pastor Steve Sullivan

HYMN OF PREPARATION - 618 (vv. 1-3)
"Let Us Break Bread Together"

A SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE III - Pg. 15

*CLOSING HYMN – 189 "Fairest Lord Jesus"

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE – "Triumphal Marche" -Grieg

Thank you for joining us in worship!
Have a blessed week!



Altar Flowers

The beautiful flowers
on the altar today are
in loving memory of
Bernard O'Gara.



George McKee, Kyle Franzen,
David & Marg Bloor, Sue Elze,
Johnny Townsend, Brenda Halverstadt
& The Sacco Family

Written concerns can be submitted to the
office by calling 330-337-9531
or office@firstumcsalem.org

SERVING TODAY

COFFEE HOUR: 9:15 am

GREETERS: Richard & Joann Hiner

2nd HOUR HELPERS: Barb Irwin

READERS for August: 8:30: Steven Lutsch
10:45: Ned Jones

ACCOLYTE: Blakely Brooks

USHERS: 8:30: Joyce Bush & Connie Sanor
10:45: Team #2 - Hiner

USHERS for October 10: Team #3 - Shivley

DRIVERS for October: Joe Popa & Rich Beeson



September 26, 2021

Giving:

Unified Budget: \$ 4,629

Specified: \$ 513

Total Offering: \$ 5,142

**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

La Chelle Bridges - Custodian

Hery Salamanca - Youth Pastor

news & events

- **New GriefShare Class starts:**

Wednesday, October 13th from 5:30 -7 pm

- **Oktoberfest**

Sunday, October 17th, Starts at 4pm, eat at 5:30pm. At Yvonne & Fred Bennetts

- **“The Chosen” Bible Study starts:**

Monday, October 18th 6-7:15 pm

(This will be held at Brown Funeral Home, Salem)

- **Trunk or Treat** (If Salem has parade)

Thursday, October 28th from 5-6 pm

- **Operation Christmas Child**

-List of items will be available, September 28th

-Self Fill boxes available, October 10th

-All Items Due, November 7th

-Packing Sunday, November 14

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, October 3

8:30 a.m. - Worship - Chapel

9:30 a.m. - Sunday School

10:45 a.m. - Worship – Sanctuary

11 a.m. - “Hearts on Fire” Fellowship Hall

12 p.m. - Fellowship Meal

Tuesday, October 5

8 a.m. - Prayer in Chapel

4 p.m. - Youth Bible Study

7 p.m. - Dulci More

Wednesday, October 6

6 a.m. - Men’s Bible Study

9 a.m. - Women’s Bible Study

6-8 p.m. - HOF Praise Practice

7 p.m. - Bible Study

Thursday, October 7

6:30 p.m. - Sanctuary Praise

7 p.m. - Adult Choir

Saturday, October 9

8 a.m. - Men’s Breakfast

10 a.m. - Clothes Pantry

Sunday, October 10

Operation Christmas Child Self-Fill Boxes are available

8:30 a.m. - Worship - Chapel

9:30 a.m. - Sunday School

10:45 a.m. - Worship - Sanctuary

11 a.m. - “Hearts on Fire” Fellowship Hall



Welcome to the Fortress of Faith

October 3, 2021



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Worship Services:

Chapel: Sun. 8:30 a.m.

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.*