

PUTTING
faith
to WORK
A study in the book of James

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9:00 a.m. Worship Service
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Celebration of Worship

Welcome!

We are honored that you have chosen to worship with us today. We pray that God blesses you with His presence as you have blessed us with yours. Please sign the registration notebook when it is passed along your row. If you are interested in church membership, a tan "How You Can Belong" sheet on the inside of each registration notebook should be of assistance. Please contact the pastor with any questions as we want to be helpful to you.

Prelude

***Greeting**

Rev. John R. Rech

**Indicates congregation standing as able*

***Hymns of Praise**

Standing on the Promises
Wonderful Words of Life

Hymnal No. 374
Hymnal No. 600

Old Testament Reading

Psalm 119:1-11

***Gloria Patri**

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

Registration and Announcements

Dick Porter

New Testament Reading

Luke 6:46-49

Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Rech

Leader: The Lord be with you

People: And also with you

Leader: Let us pray (Leader offers a prayer followed by The Lord's Prayer)

All: 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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Offertory

Doxology

Hymnal No. 94

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below;
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ whose
power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.*

Anthem

For A Moment

Mountainside Choir

Message

Putting Faith to Work: James Series Pt. 2
How to Be Blessed by the Bible – James 1:19-27

Rev. Rech

***Closing Hymn**

How Firm a Foundation (vs. 1, 3, 5)

No. 529

***New Member Response**

We rejoice to recognize you as (a member/members) of Christ's Holy Church and welcome you to Mountainside United Methodist Church. With you we renew our vows to uphold the church with our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service and our witness.

James 1:19-27 (Today's New International Version)

¹⁹*My dear brothers and sisters, take note of this: Everyone should be quick to listen, slow to speak and slow to become angry, ²⁰because our anger does not produce the righteousness that God desires.*

²¹*Therefore, get rid of all moral filth and the evil that is so prevalent and humbly accept the word planted in you, which can save you.*

²²*Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says.*

²³*Those who listen to the word but do not do what it says are like people who look at their faces in a mirror ²⁴and, after looking at themselves, go away and immediately forget what they look like.*

²⁵*But those who look intently into the perfect law that gives freedom and continue in it—not forgetting what they have heard but doing it—they will be blessed in what they do.*

²⁶*Those who consider themselves religious and yet do not keep a tight rein on their tongues deceive themselves, and their religion is worthless. ²⁷Religion that God our Father accepts as pure and faultless is this: to look after orphans and widows in their distress and to keep oneself from being polluted by the world.*

Announcements

Project Share is coming! – next Sunday, October 3rd. This is our last one of the year. Sign-up sheets and pans with recipes are located in the Narthex. Please help support this service organization with your presence. Contact Patty Jones at 281-2516 for more information or to volunteer.

New Wednesday Night Series beginning this Wednesday - The Life and Ministry of the Messiah

What would it be like to haul in a miraculous draft of fish at the command of the Master . . . or hear the ram's horn sound from Herod's temple at the very moment when Jesus is breathing his last breath? In the month of October our Wednesday Night Class is doing another study with Ray Vander Laan and going on location through video to see the sights and sounds of the places of Jesus' ministry. Feel free to join us any Wednesday night from 7-8 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

Plants – For the month of September, if anyone would like to give Altar Flowers in the form of plants that would be planted at the church, a list of plants has been placed by the signup sheet.

Substitute Help – We occasionally need substitute and assistant Sunday school and Children's Church teachers. Contact Mary Brink at 506-4501 or marybidva@yahoo.com if you can help.

Christmas Boxes -

Suggested item for the week of:

September 26 jars of peanut butter
October 3 jelly & preserves

THIS WEEK at Mountainside**Today, Sunday, September 26**

9:00 a.m. Classic Worship
10:15 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Contemporary
Worship

Monday, September 27

12:00 p.m. AA
6:00 p.m. Women's AA

Tuesday, September 28

6:30 a.m. Morning Men's Group
10:00 a.m. EM Food Pantry
6:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study
6:30 p.m. Administrative Council
7:00 p.m. AA

Wednesday, September 29

12:00 p.m. AA
6:00 p.m. AA
7:00 p.m. Choir Practice
7:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Class
7:00 p.m. Youth

Thursday, September 30

9:30 a.m. Bible Study & Pot Luck
6:30 p.m. CWS Band Practice
7:00 p.m. AA

Friday, October 1

10:00 a.m. Al-Anon
12:00 p.m. AA
6:00 p.m. Family Friday
Basketball

Saturday, October 2**NEXT SUNDAY****Sunday, October 3**

9:00 a.m. Classic Worship
10:15 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Contemporary
Worship