WE WORSHIP TOGETHER

We Glorify God- Love People- Serve the World

May 8, 2016

Prelude Jeanean Kimball

Welcome & Announcements Pastor Marc

* Hymn #273 Good Christian Men, Rejoice

*Call To Worship Responsively

L: The God of creation makes us one in body!

P: Let us join hearts and voices in praise of the Lord!

L: The God of Christ makes us one in the Spirit!

P: Let us join hearts and voices in praise of the Lord!

*Hymn #425 Bind Us Together

Call to Confession Responsively

God of grace, we grieve that the church, which shares one Spirit, one faith, one hope, and one calling, has become a broken communion in a broken world. The one body spans all time, place, race, and language, but in our fear we have fled from and fought one another, and in our pride we have mistaken our part for the whole. Yet we marvel that you gather the broken pieces to do your work, that you bless us with joy, with growth, and with signs of unity. Forgive our sins and help us to commit ourselves to seeking and showing the unity of the body of Christ. In his name, Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

All: Thanks be to God!

Children's Time Pastor Marc

Offering Prayer/ Offertory (Colby Mueller)/*Doxology #815

Prayers of the People Joys/Concerns/Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Scripture Reading: Acts 2:42-47

(Red - Pg. 967, Black - Pg. 1255)

Message Pastor Marc

*Hymn #401 The Church's One Foundation

* Blessing and Benediction Pastor Marc

Postlude Jeanean Kimball

Upcoming Dates and Times:

May 12th at 6:30 PM – Session Meeting June 3-4 – Rhubarb Fest

Women's Association

There is NO Women's Association meeting this month.

Rhubarb Fest

The sign up sheet for Rhubarb Fest pie ingredients is on the back table. Your help is needed and appreciated.

Announcements:

Countyline Youth Group

The Youth group will meet next Sunday at Edgington EPC at 5:30 PM. Also, the deadline for our summer work trip is fast approaching! Talk with Alex, Drue, or Terry for more details!

Enjoy the new Internet!

Our church recently switched to a new internet provider that offers a better price and a higher quality internet! There are two networks associated with the new internet, one is listed as BPEPC and the other is, BPEPC2. The password for both is the church phone number (309 537 3113).

Prayer Concerns:

Birthdays: Derek Bogart 5-8 Doug Mills **Chris Holmes** 5-8 Natalie Boruff

5-13 Dutch Eckhardt Ron Derrer Chris & Ethan Huston 5-13 Eric Kiddoo

Ron Engstrom

Diane Anderson

Randy Palmer

Lois Irwin Patsy Bell Jan Mueller Jim Brislawn

Dave Reason

Ann Boruff

Joann Kimball Kenneston

Harold & Ann Blaser

David Olson Cassie Williams Lynde Johnston Lynne Clark

Anniversaries:

None

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