



Spirit Filled Star Spangled Weekend

Please join us for Fairgreen's Spirit-Filled, Star Spangled Weekend Friday November 9th through Sunday November 11th, as we honor Veterans.

On Friday, November 9th at 7pm at Calvary Bible Chapel on Alexis Road, several Christian artists will be performing from a variety of music styles. This event is open to the public and a free will offering will be taken.

On Saturday, November 10th at Fairgreen the Deacons' will be having a Silent Auction and Pasta Dinner followed by a concert by the Christian Artists performing from a variety of music styles. The Silent Auction begins at 5pm and dinner seating is at 5:30pm. The Veterans' Tribute and the concert begin at 7pm. Please pick up your dinner tickets at the Welcome Center or call the church office to make your reservations. Seating is limited. We will have a limited number of pre-arranged carry-outs. Please call the office if you need to order a carry-out. Tickets are \$7 adults and \$3.50 for children 10 and under. These events are open to the public. A free will offering will be taken for the guest artists after the concert.

On Sunday, November 11th the Christian Artists will be joining us for the worship service. There will be a potluck lunch following the service. Please bring your favorite salad, entrée, vegetable, or dessert to share. Also bring your own table service so we do not have to do dishes. This will be our community meal we have traditionally held the Sunday before Thanksgiving.



WELCOME VISITORS!

We are delighted to have you in our service this morning! Every Sunday, we are privileged to have people attending our church for the first time and we want you to feel welcome among us. **Please stop by the Welcome Center right after service. We have a special gift for you.**

PLEASE SIGN THE FELLOWSHIP BOOK found in the pews. We would like to know of your presence this morning. **PLEASE SHARE PRAYER JOYS/CONCERNS** on the Prayer card and place it in the offering plate.

A PERSONAL SOUND SYSTEM FOR THE HEARING IMPAIRED IS AVAILABLE. WORSHIP BULLETINS FOR CHILDREN are available. Contact an usher for assistance.

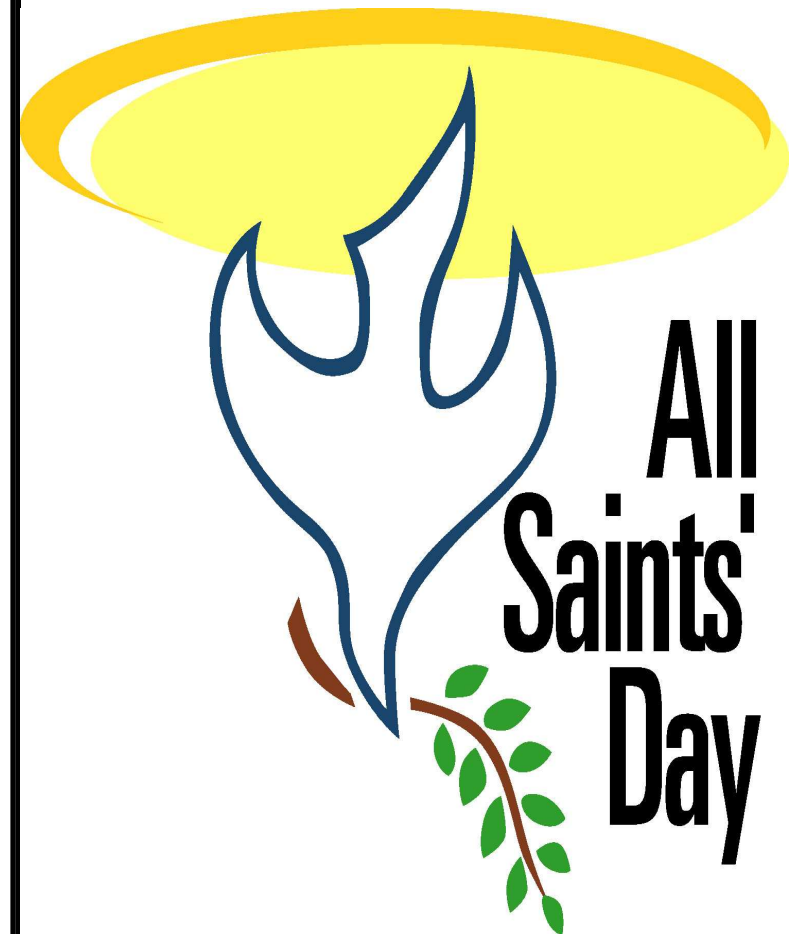
TAPES OF THIS SUNDAY'S SERMON are available. Contact the church office or Art Sattler.

If you are in need of **Pastoral Care** or know someone who is, please call Rev. Pat at the church (419-475-4436) or at her home (419-534-3739).

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All Saints' Day

November 4, 2007



10:00 AM



Welcome to worship with the Fairgreen family! The * symbol means, "All who are able, please stand." † indicates when latecomers may be seated.

All Saints Day Sunday

SILENT REFLECTION

To your name, Lord Jesus, help me to bow the knee and all its worshipping;
Bow the head and all its thinking; bow the will and all its choosing;
Bow the heart and all its loving. Mane

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Please sign fellowship book found in pews.

This is the day that the Lord has made!

Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

CHORAL INTROIT

"Praise Ye the Lord of Hosts"

Geneva Choir

CALL TO WORSHIP

Kendy Edinger, Liturgist

God whispers your name. Come and worship.

All of us. Young, old, sister, brother, cousin, friend.

Again and again: Come and worship.

**All of us. The proud and the strong, the lost and the searching,
the joyous and the sad.**

From a whisper to a shout: Come and worship.

**All of us. Word-arrangers and finger painters, rope-jumpers and
slow-walkers, belly-laughers and soul-singers.**

Here in this place, the light is shining, joy is brimming and God is beckoning.

Come and worship.

All of us. Here and now!

*HYMN OF PRAISE #276

"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

*CALL TO CONFESSION

Rev. Pat

*UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being,
whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we
forget in the blindness of our hearts: Cleanse us from all our
offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires,**

Visit **THE CARD TABLE** in the narthex to sign or request cards to remember members of the Fairgreen family. Are you in need of prayer? The **FAIRGREEN PRAYER CHAIN** is here for you. Call Leone Sattler at 419-474-1723 or Darlene in the church office at 419-475-4436 or indicate that you have a request for the Prayer Chain on your Prayer card.

Number who worshiped with us on October 28, 2007: 82

TODAY'S GREETERS & WELL WISHERS 10:00: Ed & Betty Wolff

TODAY'S USHERS: Ken Campbell, Capt./ Mary Ellen Campbell, Betty Geniac, Kay Amendola

NEXT SUNDAY'S USHERS: Dick Schroeder, Capt./ Betty Geniac, Dan Yeager, John MacPherson

NEXT SUNDAY'S GREETERS: Ed & Betty Wolff

NEXT SUNDAY'S LITURGIST: Rev. Pat Lawrence Shafer

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Election Day Craft and Bake Sale ~ Craft items and baked goods are needed for Tuesday November 6th. You can begin bringing your craft items into the church office and the baked goods can be brought in starting Sunday, November 4th. If you have any questions please see Linda Hoover.

Scrip Cards ~ Don't forget to stop by the Welcome Center as we have several scrip cards available to purchase. These make wonderful gifts for Weddings, Birthdays, and for many other special times. Also scrip is now available during the week for you to purchase through Darlene Hughes at the church office. The office hours are Monday through Friday, 8:30-2:00 pm.

IHN Meal ~ Remember, Fairgreen will be providing dinner to 4 adults and 12 children at Pilgrim Church on Tuesday, November 30th. Additional volunteers to help serve and share time with the families are needed.

Men's Prayer Breakfast ~ Join us on Saturday, November 10 from 8-9am in the lounge.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 5-11, 2007

Monday, Nov. 5 ~ Deacon's Mtg. 7pm lounge
Election Day set up
No Adult Volleyball

Tuesday, Nov. 6~ Election Day Bake & Craft Sale
Mega meetings 7pm in lounge
Preschool Poinsettia Sale Nov. 6-21

Wednesday, Nov. 7 ~ Staff meeting 11:00am
Personnel Committee meeting 4:00pm in lounge

Thursday, Nov. 8~ Potluck noon; Lectionary Bible Study 12:45pm
Choir 6:30pm

Friday, Nov. 9 ~ Food Pantry 10-12pm
Gospel Concert 7pm at Calvary Bible Chapel on Alexis Rd. (Free)

Saturday, Nov. 10 ~ Men's Prayer Breakfast 8-9am in lounge
Spirit Filled Star Spangled Spaghetti Dinner 5pm
Gospel Concert 7-9:30 pm in Commons

Sunday, Nov. 11 ~ Worship Service at 10am; Guest Preacher Billy Hale; Special Music by the Praise Band and the Gospel Singers; Rev. Pat will be leading worship.

Sunday School 11:15am – 12:00pm

FOR ADULTS:

Bible Study.....In Lounge
Faith Sharing Bible Study.....In Library

FOR CHILDREN:

Nursery Room (birth – 4 yrs. old).....Rm.105
Kindergarten – 5th grade.....Room behind Sanctuary
6th – 8th grade.....Downstairs Junior High Room
9th – 12th grade.....Downstairs Senior High Room

Join us for Coffee Hour in the Commons at 11:00am.
Information for the Newsletter should be received by the 3rd Sunday of each month.

that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in you our refuge and our strength; through Jesus Christ your Son.

*SILENT CONFESSION
*ASSURANCE OF PARDON
*RESPONSE OF PRAISE

Rev. Pat
"The Gloria Patri" (#579)

THE WORD OF GOD

TIME WITH THE YOUNGER CHURCH Rev. Pat

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION Kendy Edinger
FIRST READING **Psalm 149** pg. 982(OT) in the pew bible

ANTHEM **"Like a Dove"** Geneva Choir

SECOND READING **Luke 6: 20-31 or Mark 12: 28-31** pg.1600 or1575(NT) in the bible
HOMILY **"What!?!? Me a Saint?"** Rev. Pat Lawrence Shafer

OUR RESPONSE

*HYMN OF RESPONSE #364 "Because He Lives"

God sent his Son, they called him Jesus;
he came to love, heal, and forgive;
he lived and died to buy my pardon,
an empty grave is there to prove my Savior lives.

Refrain

Because he live, I can face tomorrow;
because he lives, all fear is gone;
because I know he holds the future,
and life is worth the living just because he lives.

How sweet to hold a newborn baby,
and feel the pride and joy he gives;
but greater still the calm assurance,
this child can face uncertain days because he lives.

Refrain

(song continued on next page)

And then one day I'll cross the river;
I'll fight life's final war with pain;
and then as death gives way to victory,
I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know he reigns.

Refrain

Because he live, I can face tomorrow;
because he lives, all fear is gone;
because I know he holds the future,
and life is worth the living just because he lives.

PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS TO GOD
OFFERING

Kendy Edinger

*DOXOLOGY

Old Hundredth

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Kendy Edinger

DEDICATION OF MEMORIAL GIFTS GIVEN SINCE NOVEMBER 1, 2007 Rev. Pat
Gifts were given in memory of Lois Merrill, Mary McFarland, Albert Steely,
Robert Pearson, Ernest Knauf, Paul Meeker, Donald Wolff, Jean Malcom, and
Jeanne Hoover.

A READING OF THE NECROLOGY ~ We remember:

Mary McFarland ~ 11/4/2006	Ernest Knauf ~ 12/10/2006
Lois Merrill ~ 12/22/2006	Bob Willets ~ 2/18/2007
Donald Wolff ~ 5/21/2007	Jean Malcom ~ 5/29/2007
W. Sam Tippin ~ 10/26/2007	

*HYMN #526

"For All the Saints"

THE CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION
THE INVITATION

THE GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Holy are you, O God, for your mercy is endless. You have filled all creation with light and life, and your glory stretches through the heavens.

**It was you who lead Abraham and Sarah to the land of promise,
who saved your people from the desert of bitter tears, who
called them to the land of the living.**

It was you who blessed Miriam and David when they danced and sang in holy places. And through Jesus the Christ, you taught us to celebrate. Those who were blind saw the sun of your goodness, the crippled leaped for joy, and those who were locked in the prison of their fears were given the freedom to love.

**Your spirit calls us now, in this place, to gather with all the
saints, past, present and future, to celebrate with outstretched
hands as we gather once more around the Communion table.**

The bread of our being loved, the cup of our joy, stand as reminders that miracles in faith and risk continue to happen. In thanksgiving and remembrance, we ask you to bless this bread and this cup so that in sharing them together, we shall be your church.

THE BLESSING OF THE BREAD AND THE CUP

THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE OF GOD

UNISON PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AFTER COMMUNION

**We give thanks, O God, because in your own free gift of love
you have reached out to us. You have refreshed us at your
table, touched our deepest needs, and called us to a life shared
in memory and hope. Send us forth with courage and joy in the
name of Jesus Christ, that we, too, may become bread and
peace for another and the world. Amen.**

*CHARGE & BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE— BIND US TOGETHER

**Bind us together Lord, Bind us together
with cords that can not be broken
Bind us together Lord, Bind us together,
Bind us together in love.**

Next Week ~ 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time: Rev. Pat will be leading worship; Guest Preacher - Billy Hale; Special music - Praise Band and Gospel Singers.

Lectionary Texts for the day are: Haggai 1: 15b-2:9; Psalm 145: 1-5, 17-21 or Psalm 98; 2 Thessalonians 2: 1-5, 13-17; Luke 20: 27-38