

power and the glory, forever. Amen.

THE GIVING AND RECEIVING OF GIFTS

AND THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE OF GOD

(As you come forward to receive the gifts of God place your offering in the Offering Plate)

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION

Denice Skinner

CHARGE, BENEDICTION &

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE - Sanctuary (sing it through twice)

(Those who are able, join hands, forming lines across the aisle to symbolize a growing commitment to unity.)

Lord prepare me, to be a sanctuary

Pure and holy, tried and true.

With thanksgiving, I'll be a living

Sanctuary for you. CCLI#1025014

**Next week's texts:** Ruth 1: 1-18; Psalm 125, 146; Hebrews 9: 11-14; Mark 12: 28-34

Communion to be served at both services; there will be a reading of the necrology and the dedication of all Memorial Gifts given in the last 12 months at the first service.

Sermon theme maybe: "Loving the Lord: does that really need to be a command?"

**Psalms of Ascents:** We will be reading through January 14, 2007 from the section of the Psalter called the "Psalms of Ascent." This group of "hymns" were sung by "pilgrims" who were on their way to Jerusalem to celebrate one of the three feasts. As a church "on their way" it will be good for us to read them together in worship.

### Thought for the Day

People who pray for miracles usually don't get miracles...

But people who pray for courage,

for strength to bear the unbearable,

for the grace to remember what they have left

instead of what they have lost,

very often find their prayers answered...

Their prayers helped them tap hidden reserves of faith and courage

which were not available to them before.

- Harold S. Kushner



### 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; they will be included in the Prayers of the People during the 9:15 service, and added to the Prayer Chain if submitted at the 11:30 service.

**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 (419-841-7954).

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**October 29, 2006**

“What <sup>do you want me</sup>  
to do for you?”

Jesus asked him.



Mark 10:51

The blind man said,

“Rabbi,  
I want to see.”



9:15 AM

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



30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

PRELUDE Shannon Smith

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!

SILENT REFLECTION Grant upon us, O God, the fullness of your promises. Where we have been weak, grant us your strength; where we have been confused, grant us your guidance; where we have been distraught, grant us your comfort; where we have been dead, grant us your life. Apart from you, O Lord, we are nothing; in and with you we can do all things. Amen.

GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

CHORAL INTROIT "Open Our Eyes" Geneva Choir

CALL TO WORSHIP Marilyn McAfee, Liturgist Walk with us today, Lord. Walk with us on the streets of our city and show us how to love. Walk with us through our neighborhoods and show us how to help. Walk with us through the rooms of our homes and show us how to care. Show us our neighbors in need. Show us our sisters and brothers in Christ. Open our eyes so that we may truly see one another. Walk with us today, Lord. Walk with us as we gather to worship you and sing your praise.

\*HYMN # 472 "O Sing to the Lord"

\*CALL TO CONFESSION Rev. Pat. God can do anything and everything - God can even clean up the messes we make; God can even heal the hurts we have caused. And God is willing to do anything and everything - for us - simply because God loves us. Join me as we pray to our God, confessing our sins, saying

11:30 AM

"Celebrate Jesus!" Worship Of Word And Sacrament

GATHERING MUSIC ~ "You Are My King" Praise Band

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (Please sign fellowship book in pews and place 11:30 after your name.)

SONGS ~ Be Bold, Be Strong; Almighty; With Eyes of Faith; Let it be Said of Us; Take My Life

PRAYER OF PRAISE AND CONFESSION

RESPONSE ~ You Are My All in All

MINUTE FOR MISSION ~ Consecration Sunday Tim Eichenauer (Children dismissed for F.R.O.G.S)

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION Denice Skinner, Liturgist

Living God, through the power of your Holy Spirit, help us to hear your holy Word that we may truly understand; that, understanding, we may believe, and believing, we may follow in all faithfulness and obedience, seeking your honor and glory in all that we do; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

FIRST READING Psalm 122 (A Song of Ascent) Denice Skinner p.966(OT) in the pew Bible

ANTHEM "Nothing Without You" Praise Band

SECOND READING Mark 10: 46-52 pg.1569(NT)in the pew Bible

REFLECTION AND DIALOGUE "What Do You Want Me To Do For You?" Rev. Pat Lawrence Shafer

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER (sins) During the prayer, speak out loud the name of one who needs prayer and then say, "Lord, in your mercy. All then respond, "...Hear Our Prayers."

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 sins as we forgive those who sin against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the

NEXT SUNDAY'S GREETERS 9:15: Sharon Durrant  
11:30: Chuck & Donna Hixson  
Liturgist for 9:15: Linda Hoover  
11:30: Patti Nordhoff

### **SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Installation of Mark Tippin** ~ Mark Tippin will be officially installed as senior pastor at Calvin East Presbyterian Church at 6125 Cadieux in Detroit, Michigan today at 4:00pm.

**40th Anniversary DVD's** ~ You may order your own personal DVD of our 40th Anniversary worship service held on Sunday, September 24th. Simply sign up on the sheet located on our Welcome Center. Donations of \$14 will be accepted.

**Peacemaking Coin Boxes** ~ Don't forget to continue filling up your Peacemaking Offering coin boxes. We will collect them on Sunday, November 5th.

**Lectionary Bible Study & Potluck** ~ Come join us every Thursday, at 11:00am in the lounge for a Lectionary Bible Study and afterwards we will gather in the Commons for a potluck lunch and fellowship.

**Deacons' Wish List** ~ Here is a list of items that we are asking you to bring in to help us fill the Food Pantry for the month of October. They are as follows: toilet paper, shampoo, cans of soup, and crackers.

**Coordinator Needed** ~ The Deacons are in need of a person who will coordinate the Van Ministry for Fairgreen. If you are someone who would be willing to call the list of available drivers and schedule the maintenance needed, then we desperately need you! This job could even be shared by two people...one who is willing to call others, and one who is willing to schedule the maintenance. This Ministry is so very important. Please call the church office if you feel you can serve in this way.

**Session Task Force** ~ The Session has formed a task force to explore the possibility of purchasing the property behind the church. If you would like to serve on that Property Task Force you can! We will gather on Monday, October 30th at 7pm for our first look at the possibilities and the probabilities.

### \*UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**We confess, Holy One, how often we ignore your call to us. Blinded by the ways of the world, we cannot see the ones who are crying out to us. Deafened by the siren calls of our culture, we cannot hear your Word of service. Consumed by our doubts and fears, we are unable to be fed by your grace and hope. We are not ready to repent in dust and ashes, but we do ask for mercy as we face up to the sins we have done, and the hurt we have caused. Forgive us, Loving God, and set us free to follow your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior, as we grow in the way you would have us live and serve.**

### \*SILENT CONFESSION

### \*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Rev. Pat

### \*RESPONSE OF PRAISE

"The Gloria Patri" (#579)

### **THE WORD OF GOD**

### TIME WITH THE YOUNGER CHURCH

Rev. Pat

Children second grade and younger may leave afterward for Kids for Christ.

### PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Marilyn McAfee

### FIRST READING

**Psalm 123 (A Psalm of Ascent)** pg.966 (OT) in the pew bible

### ANTHEM

**"Christians All, Come Sing His Praises"**

Geneva Choir

### SECOND READING

**Mark 10: 46-52**

pg.1569(NT) in the pew bible

### SERMON

**"What Do You Want Me To Do For You?"**

Rev. Pat Lawrence Shafer

### **OUR RESPONSE**

### \*HYMN # 339

"Be Thou My Vision"

### MINUTE FOR MISSION ~ Consecration Sunday

Tim Eichenauer

### PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS TO GOD OFFERING

Marilyn McAfee

\*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 Marilyn McAfee  
THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER (debts) pg.16 in the hymnal (traditional)

\*HYMN OF SENDING # 467 "How Great Thou Art"

\*CHARGE & BENEDICTION  
\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE— May The Lord (sung to Edelweiss)

**May the Lord, Mighty God  
Bless and keep you forever  
Grant you peace, perfect peace  
Courage in every endeavor  
Lift your eyes and see his face  
Trust his grace forever  
May the Lord, Mighty God  
Bless and keep you forever.**

POSTLUDE Shannon Smith

**CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 29—November 5, 2006**

**Sunday, October 29 - Services 9:15 & 11:30 with Communion at the second service; Reformation Sunday; Daylight Savings Time**  
**Monday, October 30 - Prayer Shawl Ministry 6-7:30pm in lounge; Task force meeting 7pm in room 106; Adult Volleyball from 7-9pm in Commons**  
**Tuesday, October 31 - Staff meeting 10:00am in lounge**  
**Wednesday, November 1 - Elder/Deacons (Officers) dinner at 6:30pm at HJ's Prime Cut on Alexis Rd.**  
**Thursday, November 2 - Lectionary Bible Study 11:00am in lounge; Potluck lunch at 12:15pm in Commons; Choir 6pm; ASD meeting 7:15pm in lounge; Praise Band practice 7:30pm**  
**Friday, November 3 - Food Pantry 10-12pm; Retirement Celebration for Dee Smale (A Time of Thanksgiving) 7pm in the Sanctuary**

**Saturday, November 4 - Men's Prayer Breakfast 8-9am in the lounge; Presbytery Session Records Review in the Commons from 9:30-12pm**  
**Sunday, November 5 - Services 9:15 & 11:30 with Communion; All Saints Day Celebration; Reading of the Necrology; Dedication of Memorials**

**CHURCH SCHOOL — 10:30 - 11:20 SUNDAY**

Beginners Sunday School Class (3, 4, & 5 yr. olds & 1st grade).....Rm. 104  
Grades 2,3, 4, 5.....Rm. 106  
Junior High (grades, 6, 7, 8).....Junior High Room (downstairs)  
Senior High (grades 9-12).....Senior High Room (downstairs)  
**FOR ADULTS:**  
Bible Study.....Lounge  
Faith Sharing Class.....Library Room 102  
Nursery Room Available.....Rm.105  
Kids for Christ—after Time With The Younger Church during 9:15am worship (3years old through 2nd grade)..... Rm. 110  
F.R.O.G.S.....Rm. 106  
There will be **Coffee Hour and Fellowship** in the **Commons** at **10:30am**.  
**Information for the Newsletter should be received by the 3rd Sunday of each month.**

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 15, 2006: 91  
TODAY'S GREETERS 9:15: Patricia Robinson  
11:30: Linda Hoover  
TODAY'S USHERS 9:15: Ed Wolff, Capt., Don Wolff, Ken & Mary Ellen Campbell  
11:30: Gayle Bell, Stacy Skinner  
Liturgist for 9:15:  
11:30: Liturgist Denice Skinner  
NEXT SUNDAY'S USHERS 9:15: Kay Amendola, Capt., George Kadesch, Ken & Nan Bennett  
11:30: Gayle Bell, Charlene Ravenscraft