



KIRKWOOD SUNDAY
Wallace Presbyterian Church
October 9, 2022

Psalm 150 (Re-write) Praise for God's Surpassing Greatness

Praise the Lord!

Praise God in the vesper area at Camp Kirkwood! Praise him by the lake!

Praise him for this beautiful place!

Praise him for loving us in his Son Jesus Christ!

Praise him with rhythm sticks!

Praise him with maracas!

Praise him with tambourines and dance!

Praise him with woodblocks!

Praise him with ringing handbells!

Praise him with loud ringing handbells!

Let everything that breathes praise the Lord!

Let all of the instruments praise the Lord! Alleluia!

Singing God's Praises

Preparing to Come to the Lord's Table

God of Mercy, we confess that we have failed to live as your beloved sons and daughters. We have set our minds on the things of this world. We have neglected the inheritance of love you bestow upon your saints. We have pursued selfish aims in our daily business. We have harbored uncharitable thoughts toward our enemies and friends. We have avoided difficult responsibilities to our neighbors. Forgive us, we pray. Free us from our selfish ways and strengthen us to be faithful disciples of Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

Hear the Good News: Christ is merciful to all who turn to him in repentance.

In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! Thanks be to God!

Song: "Spirit of the Living God"

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.
Melt me. Mold me. Fill me. Use me.
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

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Children's Sermon

"The Fruit of the Spirit"

The fruit of the Spirit shows God's love in you,
A seed of love is planted and the Spirit shines through.

Chorus

You gotta have love, joy, peace, patience, kindness
For this is the fruit of the Spirit.
You gotta have goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control
For this is the fruit of the Spirit.

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Chorus

Presentation of Donation to the Friends of Kirkwood Capital Campaign

Mr. Pate Southerland, President, Friends of Kirkwood

Prayer for Illumination

O God, as we receive your Word through your Holy Spirit, open our eyes to your justice, open our ears to your judgment, open our hearts to your love. Amen.

Gospel Lesson Luke 18:9-14

Epistle Lesson Galatians 5:16-26

Sermon: **THE CROSS-SHAPED LIFE**
 "Living a Fruitful Life"

Offering Our Gifts to God
Doxology & Prayer of Dedication

The Affirmation of Faith: Philippians 2:5-11

Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form, he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death — even death on a cross. Therefore God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Singing God's Praises

*As We Break This Bread
(to the tune of "Kum ba Yah")*

As we break this bread, make us whole (3x)
O Lord, make us whole.

As we share this cup (3x)
O Lord, bless us now.

By your grace, O Lord, set us free (3x)
O Lord, set us free.

In this meal, O Lord, make us one (3x)
O Lord, make us one

The Invitation to the Table

The Words of Institution

The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving with the Lord's Prayer

Eating the Bread and Drinking the Cup

The Prayer after Communion

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Benediction

As we leave this place, go with us (3x)
O Lord, go with us.



Sunday, October 9

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10:00 a.m. Gathering and Fellowship

11:00 a.m. Worship in the Lake Vesper Area

12 noon. Lunch in Dining Hall

Afternoon Activities

Monday, October 10

No Monday Night Bible Study

Wednesday, October 11

10:00 - 11:00 a.m. Bible Study, Room 304 and via Zoom

6:00 p.m. Handbells Practice

7:00 p.m. Choir Practice

* **This morning** we celebrate the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. All are welcome at the table!

***Next Sunday** we will celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism with Daniel Wells Newton, son of Michael and Ellie Newton. We will also welcome new members Ken, Kelley, Hannah, Ken, and Sadie Floyd.

***We express** our Christian love and sympathy to Louis and Sandee DiDomenico on the death of Sandee's niece, Robin Perry, in New Jersey.

***Please join** the minister for our weekly Bible Study on Wednesday, October 12 from 10:00 – 11:00 a.m. in Room 304 and via Zoom. This week we will finish our reading of Paul's letter to the Galatians and talk about Galatians 6:1-18. Check your email for the Zoom invitation. There will be no Bible Study on Monday night, October 10.



We will have a Congregational Meeting on Sunday, October 16, immediately following worship. The purpose of the meeting is to elect the 2022 Nominating Committee for Ruling Elders in the Class of 2025.

THE FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT

