

Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost – November 16, 2014

Prelude Glenda Teachey

***Passing of the Peace** Susie Twigg

Welcome and Announcements Susie Twigg

*** Call to Worship** “Stand Up and Bless the Lord” v 1 & 3 UMH 662

****Opening Hymn** “Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah” UMH 127

Unison Prayer

O God, in your Son Jesus Christ you richly bless us with all that we need, bread from the earth and the bread of heaven, which gives life to the world. Grant us one thing more: grateful hearts to sing your praise, in this world and the world to come. Amen.

Hymn of Preparation “Give Thanks” TFWS 2036

Liturgy of the Word:

New Testament 1 Thessalonians 5:15-18 Shirley Massey

Message “Giving Thanks Before Thanksgiving” Tyler Trahan

Offertory “They Shall Soar Like Eagles” Choir

***Doxology** “Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow” UMH 94

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise God, 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!

***Prayer of Thanksgiving** Susie Twigg

Praises and Prayer Requests Susie Twigg

After each praise or prayer request, “Lord hear our praise or prayer”

*Please stand as you are able

** Lighting of the candles

***The Apostle's Creed**

UMH 881

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

***Closing Hymn**

“Rise Up, O Men of God”

UMH 576

***Benediction**

Susie Twigg

***Choral Response**

“God Will Take Care of You” v 1 & 3

UMH 130

Postlude

Glenda Teachey

We welcome you to worship with us again!

To our guests, thank you for visiting us today. Please fill out a visitor's card located in the pews and place it in the offering plate, or see an usher or the Pastor. Join us in the Overflow Room for a “Meet & Greet” after the service.

	Readers	Communion	
		Servers	Cantor
Nov 16	Shirley Massey		
Nov 23	Mary Beth Dobrovolsky		
Nov 30	Susan Safford		
Dec 7	Mike Scobell	Shirley Massey	Dawn Smith



***Please stand as you are able**