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 Help Needed  
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 To the Glory of God and in honor of  
 our parents, from John & Julie Gage.

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21st Sunday in Ordinary Time  
 August 23, 2015  
 10:00 am

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

PRELUDE "Allegro from Sonata in F Major" Handel  
 Sandra Mintner, flute & Pam Duvall, piano

WELCOME Pastor Jim Wallace

CALL TO WORSHIP Jill Hibbs, Liturgist  
 Psalm 136

Leader: Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good.

People: His love endures forever.

Leader: Give thanks to the God of gods.

People: His love endures forever.

Leader: Give thanks to the Lord of lords.

People: His love endures forever.

\*SONG OF PRAISE #345 "Blessed Assurance"

CALL TO CONFESSION

In the assurance of God's amazing love, let us make our confession together....

\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (in unison)

Almighty God, you deal with us kindly in steadfast love, lifting up those bent low with care and sustaining the weak and the oppressed. Release us from anxious fears, that we, holding fast to your commandments, may honor you with all that we are and all that we have. Amen.

\*MOMENT OF SILENT PRAYER AND REFLECTION

\*ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

God freely gives us mercy and pardon. Friends believe the good news: in Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

\*SONG OF THANKSGIVING #623 "Gloria Patri"

PASSING THE PEACE

Pastor: May the peace of Christ be with each and every one of you. Please share the peace with one another. Peace be with you.

People: And also with you!

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

(PreK - 5th grade children are dismissed to their class downstairs in Good Shepherd Hall. Adult caregivers, please pick up your children from the classroom following worship)

WE LISTEN FOR THE WORD

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 136: 1-9, 26, p. 972

ANTHEM "You Raise Me Up" Graham/Lovland

Ensemble: Heidi Pimm, Diana Weston, Carol Perry, Jean & George Schroeder, Tom Anderson, Chuck Gebhardt, Ray Beyer

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING

II Thessalonians 2: 13-3: 5, p. 1843

MESSAGE "A Long Walk in the Same Direction"  
 Jeffrey D. Cook

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

\*SONG OF RESPONSE #349 "Trust and Obey"

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY "Be Thou My Vision" Traditional

\*DOXOLOGY

DEDICATION

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

GOING OUT TO SERVE

\*SONG OF DEDICATION #380  
 "Just a Closer Walk with Thee"

\*BLESSING

POSTLUDE "Joyous Litany" Scott

Those Serving Today:  
 Tom Anderson, Trumpet  
 Ray Beyer, Organist

We welcome to our pulpit Jeffrey D. Cook, PhD (Oregon State), MA, Counseling (George Fox University), MDiv (Denver Theological Seminary). Jeff is currently an Assistant Professor and Clinical Director at the University of Wisconsin, Whitewater. He is a licensed professional counselor in Oregon and Wisconsin and has pastoral/church experience in four states, ranging from ministry with youth and families, small groups and program development. He is an ordained minister in the Christian and Missionary Alliance and is working toward transferring his ordination to ECO (A Covenant Order of Evangelical Presbyterians).

\*Those who are able may stand.

## Welcome Visitors

We are pleased to have you worship with us. If this is your first visit please fill out the yellow card in the pew rack and provide us with your address and phone, so that we can provide you with information about Calvin. If you would like to know more about Calvin or unite with us, please speak to one of our pastors or attend a Newcomer's Gathering held on the first Sunday of each month. The next Newcomer's Gathering will be on September 6 after worship in the Lounge. Just follow the signs.

## Sunday Schedule

10:00 am Worship Service in the Sanctuary

11 am Coffee Mingle Time - following worship, in the Celebration Center

### Sunday School

#### **Children and First Sunday Communion**

**Schedule:** Children may remain in worship with their parent/s to share in the Lord's Supper or they may be excused to Sunday School following the Children's Moment.

**Infants/Toddlers** - May use the Nursery upstairs in Cayton Hall

**Preschoolers through 5th grade** - 10:15 am. Children begin worship in the Sanctuary and are then dismissed to their classes in Good Shepherd Hall downstairs after the Children's Moment.



## Prayer Requests

**Lord Hear Our Prayer: Stacy (Cox) Kalin, Ruth Lehman, Lucille Johnson, Betsey Carrillo, Norma Wetzell, George Schroeder**

*Prayer requests may be made to the church office at 503-639-3273.*

***When You Are Hospitalized...please call the church office to alert the pastors so they can visit and the Prayer Chain can be supporting you in prayer.***

Pick up a complete prayer list on the counter in the church office.

## Bible & Book Studies

- Adult Forum: Sunday at 11:30 am
- Men's Bible Study: Thursdays, 7 - 8 am.
- Friday Bible Study: 10 am in the Adult Ed room

## All are invited to these regular gatherings

- Come play dominoes on the first Tuesday of each month at 1:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall
- Knitters of all skill levels are invited to Calvin's knitting group every Friday, 2 to 4 pm in the church library
- Body recall exercise class Monday and Wednesday 3:30 to 4:30 pm

## Upcoming Events

**This Wednesday , August 26th, will be Calvin's final summer Dinner and Game Night** beginning at 6:00pm. The evening will begin with dinner. Following dinner we will play games designed for all ages and any ability then finish the evening with dessert. If you haven't been able to attend before, look forward to lots of FUN! Dinner will be our usual \$5.00 per person and \$12.00 per family.

Another **"Sunday Soup at Six"** is planned for September 27th. *Let's have dinner together!* Sign up and get all the details at the Good News Center today.

### **Thank you!**

The Mission Committee would like to say "Thank you!" to our very generous congregation for providing supplies to fill 113 backpacks for middle and high school students in the Tigard-Tualatin School District. It only took 1/2 hour for the very enthusiastic group of 20+ members to fill the backpacks and get on with creating some delicious ice cream sundaes. Thanks for all your support!

**Wednesday Dinners** are quickly approaching! Be sure to check-out the **"Dinner Helper" schedule** in your September Hilltop Notes to see when your group will be serving.

**Calvin's Wednesday Golf** will be playing at McKay Creek Golf Course at 1416 NW Jackson St. Hillsboro. Tee-time is 9:00 am. Call Bill Lehman at 503-620-0135 for more information.

## Ways You Can Help Others



**Sunday mornings** - We are in need of a **one time per-month Cal-van driver** to join the team. Drive the van to transport residents of the Summerfield Estates and Pacific Pointe in King City. Your driving is greatly appreciated.

**Purchase items for Tigard Recovery Center.** A (TRC) wish list of items they would like to have is available at the wheelchair in the Fellowship Hall. They greatly appreciate our donations.

**Oregon Food Bank** - We are always collecting food for the food bank! Collection barrels are located across from the library. Thank you.

As we have in past school years, we support the **Tigard-Tualatin School District's Backpack Food Program.** Calvin sponsors **Templeton Elementary School.** Now that the school year is quickly approaching they are beginning to restock their shelves and have requested peanut butter and tuna. If you would like to donate, food collection barrels are located across from the library. Thank you.

