

MOUNT GRETNA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday, October 20, 2024
22nd Sunday After Pentecost

* * * ORDER OF WORSHIP * * *

WELCOME & PARISH NOTES
PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

ONE: Welcome! There are many places you could be this morning,
but you have chosen to be here:

ALL: where we learn how to live in God's Kingdom.

ONE: Welcome to this place - full of music, of words, of prayer –
yet also filled with danger:

**ALL: where we encounter a Wisdom we cannot always
understand.**

ONE: Welcome to God's House, the most dangerous place in town:

**ALL: where we talk about and with God, and are reduced to
silence so we may hear the call to discipleship.**

INVOCATION

OPENING HYMN* #147 UMH
"All Things Bright and Beautiful"

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE+
(Children are dismissed to Sunday School)

GOSPEL READING

Mark 10:35-45
Pg. 1542

SERMON Walking With Jesus: Not to Be Served

HYMN* *"Make Me a Channel of Your Peace"* Insert

PASTORAL PRAYER, concluding with unison Lord's Prayer (*trespasses*)

OFFERING

DOXOLOGY*
*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*

CLOSING HYMN* *"O Master Let Me Walk With Thee"* #430 UMH

DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING*

SONG RESPONSE* See Below
"Sanctuary"

POSTLUDE*

(*)= Please stand if able
(+)= 10:00 AM Service Only
UMH= United Methodist Hymnal

SANCTUARY

Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary,
Pure and holy, tried, and true.
With thanksgiving, I'll be a living,
Sanctuary, for you.

Greeters:

Louise Rynd & Tom Maurer

+++++ANNOUNCEMENTS+++++

Sunday	Oct. 20 th	Luncheon Joanne Gingrich Retirement	11:30 Fellowship Hall
Tuesday	Oct. 22 th	Bible Study - Paul	Ebenezer Rm 9 AM
Tuesday	Oct. 22 nd	Autum Leaves (\$25)	Gretna Glenn 9:30-3:00
Thursday	Oct. 31 st	Trick Or Treat	6-8 PM

Pastor’s Bible Study – The Apostle Paul. You are invited to join Pastor Andrea on Tuesdays at 9:00 a.m. as we learn about the Apostle Paul. We will begin with an overview of his life as we watch Paul, Apostle of Christ. Risking his life, Luke ventures to Rome to visit Paul -- the apostle who's bound in chains and held captive in Nero's darkest and bleakest prison cell. Haunted by the shadows of his past misdeeds, Paul wonders if he's been forgotten as he awaits his fate. Before Paul's death, Luke resolves to write another book that details the birth of what will come to be known as the church.

Halloween:

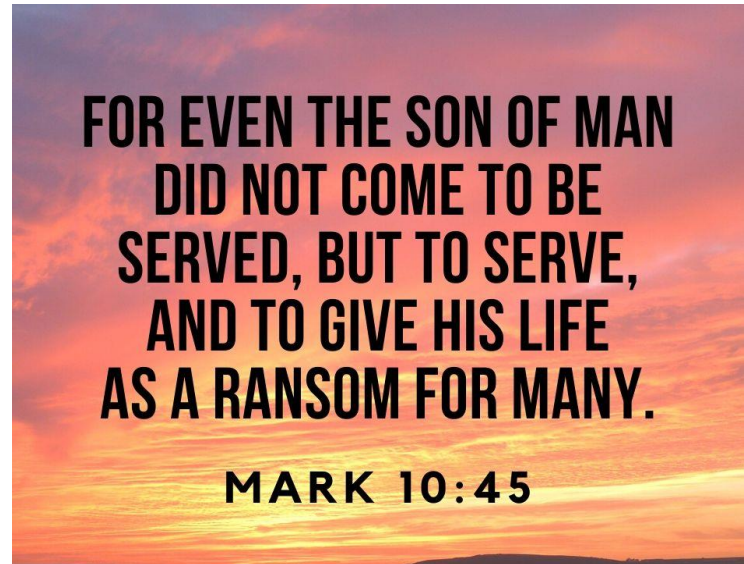
We are currently accepting individually wrapped candy and Halloween Treat bags.

Pastor Andrea will be away Oct. 22-30th. I will be in the office at my normal times. Pastor David Madara will be preaching the 27th. Dave Garver’s contact info is 717-274-5810.

All Saints Sunday: All Saints Sunday Nov. 3rd. If you’d like anyone to mention that passed away this past year, please email the name and date to the church.

Mount Gretna United Methodist Church

"A church for all seasons and all people"



Our Mission is ...

- to know Christ and make him known.
- to help people become—and grow as—followers of Christ.
- to relieve suffering, in our community and beyond, through our members’ ministries.

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