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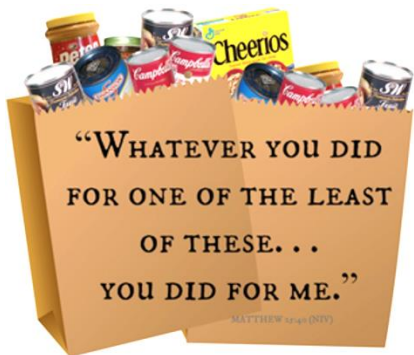
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Greeters/Deacons: 15th St: Merian Jones, K St: Pat Bell,
Canopy: Wanda Jones

TODAY: 08/25	09:30 am	Coffee Hour
	10:30 am	Worship
	02:00 pm	Johnson Christian Village Worship
WEDNESDAY: 08/28	06:00 pm	The Chosen - Library
SUNDAY: 09/01	09:30 am	Coffee Hour
	10:30 am	Worship
	11:45 am	Elder's Meeting
	01:30 pm	Stonebridge Worship



We are collecting **DIAPERS & BABY FOOD** during the month of **AUGUST** for **L.I.F.E. Pantry**.

You may place your donations in the baskets located in the foyer or drop them at the **LIFE Food Pantry** on Monday, Wednesday, or Friday



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Reaching Outward to Connect People with God's Abundance



Turn off cell phones as they may interfere with the live stream. Thank you.

SERVICE OF WORSHIP *Please Stand (as you are able) Aug 25, 2024

Prelude In Thee Lord, Have I Put My Trust - JC Bach

Welcome and Announcements Rev. William Brown

***Opening Hymn** O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing #5

***Call to Worship**

From the bustle of the world and the silence of our wilderness, we pause together for worship.

At times, we can be a grumbling people, quick to focus on the lack and the gaps.

Yet in love, God, you listen to our cries and provide for us.

Impatiently, we are a searching people, craving peace and purpose.

And with patience, God, you offer us hope and sustain us.

Help us to be a thankful people, recognizing your love for us in all its abundance.

Through your presence, God, you turn us towards you and nourish us.

In this time of worship, let us open our hearts and be filled.

Lord's Prayer		All
Scripture	Exodus 18:5-9, 13-24 (NRSV)	
Special Music	Duet: Marching to Zion - Hustad/Smith Cathy Allman-Piano	
Message		Rev. William Brown
*Hymn of Discipleship	I Shall Not Be Moved	#615
*Invitation to Giving		Rev. William Brown
*Doxology		All
*Prayer of Dedication		Elder
Communion Hymn	I Come with Joy	#420 (v 1, 3 & 5)
Invitation to Christ's Table		Rev. William Brown
Prayer for the Bread and Cup		Elder
Communion Music	O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee - Hustad/Smith	
Words of Institution		Rev. William Brown
Taking of the Bread and Cup Together		
*Closing Hymn	I Have Decided to Follow Jesus	#344
*Blessings and Benediction		Rev. William Brown
*Postlude	Rondeau - Mouret	

Please complete the cream-colored card located in the back of each pew and place it in the offering plate. Help us by filling out the card as completely as you can. You may also use the card to inform the office of any prayer requests, joys, concerns, etc.



Prayer List: Our Family and Friends:

Baby Swayze Bostock, Winn Black, Levi Chrisholm, Tina Corum, John & Jackie Dodd, Nina Doane, Suzanne Koch Doering, Chantell Everton, Family of Dave Facion, Nick Fielder, Trish Flynn, Don George, Linda George, Ariene Gilbert, James Hackney, Karen Hackney, Liam Harting, Michele Herzner, Ainsley Jefferies, Beth Joyner, Judy Juranek, Van Kavanaugh, Brandt Kimmel, Defne Leonard, Danny Lyons, Catie Anne Martinez, Erika McKinney, Wanda McPike, William Metz, Cannon Mills, Sheila Miskuf, Patricia Morris, Shelly Perrson, Barbara Roach, Betty Robbins, Sydney Sowders, Shirley Stroud, Sally Summerville, Candy Sykes, Tim Tinchler, Mark Wingo, Roger Wykoff

Those away from home serving the church in: military, civil service, education, work.

Those unable to be with us in Worship:

Homebound - Karen Anderson, Janet Cooper, Vivian Fischel, JoAnn George, Bill & Bev McFadden, Guy & Susie Rumsey

Autumn Trace - Laverne Speer (109), Betty Wagoner (110)

Majestic Care (Garden Villa) - Jacob Householder (611)

Stonebridge - Bonnie Duncan (211), Paul Miller (516), Carolyn Tumey (109),
Jimmy Waggoner (208)