

Service of Worship and Praise to God

Ninth Sunday After Pentecost
August 2, 2009

Liturgical Color: White
9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

The Greeting

Rev. Jenny Jackson-Adams
Rev. Billy Kimbrel

Please register your attendance on the pads found in each pew

The Prelude

Prelude on *LAUDES DOMINI*
organ

arr. Gordon Young

The Introit

We Are God's People
The Sanctuary Choir

Johannes Brahms

*The Hymn of Praise

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Make Me a Captive, Lord

*The Affirmation of Faith

881

The Apostles' Creed
Krissy Pope

*The Gloria Patri

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The Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Rev. Roland Fall

*The Hymn of Preparation 599

Break Thou the Bread of Life

(At 11:00 a.m. children 4 years old - 1st grade will depart for Children's Church)

The Dedication of Our Tithes and Offerings

Brant Pickard

The Offertory Anthem

Gracious Spirit Dwell with Me
The Sanctuary Choir

arr. K. Lee Scott

* The Doxology

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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!

The Scripture Reading Rev. Jackson-Adams

The Congregational Response to the Word Rev. Jackson-Adams

Leader: The grass withers and the flower falls,
But the word of the Lord abides forever!

People: Thanks be to God.

The Sermon Rev. Jackson-Adams

The Sacrament of Holy Communion United Methodist Hymnal page 12
(United Methodists serve only grape juice at communion services)

**Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart.
We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will,
We have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love,
We have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy.
Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience,
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Communion Musical Selections

Remember Me Aaron Adams
Miriam Marchetti, soprano and Jane Kimbrel, organ

Come, Share the Lord arr. Nylea Butler-Moore

Life-Giving Bread arr. Daniel Damon

Gather Us In Marty Hagan

Give Me a Clean Heart Margaret Douroux
Miriam Marchetti, piano and Jane Kimbrel, organ

*The Hymn of Commitment 547 (st.1,3) *O Church of God, United*

*The Benediction Rev. Jackson-Adams

*The Postlude *In Thee Alone, O Christ, My Lord* Johann Pachelbel
organ

* Stand as able

Evening Worship - 6:00 p.m.

Rev. Roland Fall

Special Music by Gayle Graening, piano



Famatta McGill (center) with members of the Caldwell Village farming group. The member group pools their money back into the farm, investing in a prosperous future. *Judith Santiago/UMCOR*
Famatta McGill, 44 of Caldwell Village, Liberia, is among several graduates of UMCOR's 2006 Integrated Crop and Pest

Management training that has seen successful results. The graduate farmers banded together after training to grow food for themselves and their families. The farmers purchased the farming tools, supplies and seedlings they needed for their first cabbage harvest. When the harvest came in, the proceeds were used to open a micro loan for the entire member group. The group, which doubled in members within two years, pooled a portion of their monthly proceeds into the group's loan to further farm activities and expansion. Some farmers have added beekeeping and livestock to their work. The additional income is helping the farmers send their children to school, buy additional land and build new homes.

UMCOR Invests in People

UMCOR's Sustainable Agriculture & Development Program is addressing the root cause of hunger and poverty by investing in farmers. The program trains farmers how to grow food while learning practical, sustainable and environmentally sound methods of food production. New farming techniques are introduced in an 18-week Farmer Field School. During this time, farmers learn different ways to produce quality food that will give them the best yields. The farmers collect and analyze data on how crops grow, as well as learn how to use locally-available products to boost agricultural production in their communities.

The Missions Committee is sponsoring a fundraiser during the month of August. We will have a chance to contribute to the United Methodist Committee on Relief's world hunger programs. Please take a tube of M&M's, eat the candy, and fill the tube with quarters. Our goal is \$1,000. If your family will give up one meal eaten out a week, we can feed 25 families for one month. If you would prefer, you can contribute dollar bills or write a check to PUMC marked "UMCOR/fundraiser" and place it in the offering plate. Candy is passed out during Sunday School or can be picked up outside the sanctuary after service.

Please be in prayer for those around the world less fortunate than us who are not surrounded by the resources we provide for our citizens in need.

Rev. Jenny Jackson-Adams, Senior Pastor

Rev. Roland Fall, Associate Pastor for Congregational Care

Rev. Billy Kimbrel, Associate Pastor for Evangelism

Brant Pickard, Youth Pastor

Krissy Pope, Children's Pastor & Dir. of Christian Ed.

Grace Daniel, Organist

Jane Kimbrel, Director of Music Ministries

Deborah Walker, Pianist

Miriam Marchetti, Associate/Pianist

Dicky Gilbert, Audiovisual Tech