

**OUR WORSHIP OF GOD**  
**THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**8:30 A.M. AND 11:00 A.M.**

**AUGUST 22, 2010**

**CHIMING OF THE HOUR**

**GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

We are glad you have joined us in worship and fellowship today. Please include your address, telephone number and e-mail address on the registration pad.

**PRELUDE AND PROCESSIONAL**      *There is Power in the Blood*      Wolver  
Kena King, Worship Accompanist

**CALL TO WORSHIP**      *My Savior's Love*      Larson

**OPENING PRAYER**      Leader:      The Lord is with you.  
People:      **And also with you.**

**\*HYMN # 371**      *I Stand Amazed in the Presence*      MY SAVIOR'S LOVE

**\*RESPONSIVE READING**

Leader:      A kind word opens a closed heart.

People:      **A soul-deep prayer lifts the clouds.**

Leader:      A generous gift loosens hardened hearts.

People:      **A quiet deed catches another's attention.**

Leader:      A heartfelt forgiveness releases new possibilities.

People:      **Each act of love, each measure of care,**

Leader:      Weaves another strand in God's kingdom

People:      **And causes the heart to sing.**

**\*CHORAL RESPONSE**      *Count Your Blessings*

Count your blessings, name them one by one:

Count your blessings, see what God hath done;

Count your blessings, name them one by one;

Count your many blessings, see what God hath done.

**GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

**OFFERTORY**      *My Tribute*      Kartsonakis  
Kena King, Worship Accompanist

**\*DOXOLOGY # 94**

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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!

**CHILDREN'S TIME # 191**      *Jesus Loves Me*      JESUS LOVES ME

Children through 2<sup>nd</sup> grade are invited forward.

Following Children's Time, children age 3 - Kindergarten exit to Children's Church, Room F-203.

**\*HYMN # 395**      *Take Time to Be Holy*      HOLINESS

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

**ANTHEM**      *Amazing Love! How Can It Be*      Larson

**SCRIPTURE LESSON**      Luke 6:37-38      N.T. 65

**SERMON**      "Eraser"      **Bill Burch**

**INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP**

Those wishing to join the church are invited forward on the last stanza of the hymn.

**\*HYMN # 390**      *Forgive Our Sins*      alt. tune AMAZING GRACE

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*GOING FORTH**      *God Be with You till We Meet Again*      GOD BE WITH YOU

God be with you till we meet again; by his counsels guide, uphold you,  
With his sheep securely fold you; God be with you till we meet again.

**\*EXTINGUISHING OF THE CANDLES**

**\*POSTLUDE**      *Fight the Good Fight*      Barnett

\*Please stand as you are able.

*The flowers are placed at the altar today to the Glory of God and in loving memory of  
Idus and Olene Hutchins by Loretta and Harold Robinson.*

Children are an important part of our church family. Nurseries for infants and toddlers are located on the second floor of the Family Life Center. Children's Bulletins are available from the ushers.

### **Welcome Visitors**

Our new Welcome Center is now open in the main lobby of the Family Life Center. The Welcome Center volunteers can provide information on the programs and activities of Sam Jones church. Gift bags are available for our first-time guests on tables at each exit of the Sanctuary. Each visiting family is invited to take a gift bag that includes an information packet about our church and its ministries.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **Youth Schedule**

**Youth Fellowship (grades 7 – 12) and PUMP (grade 6):** Sundays, 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. Bring \$3 for snack supper.

**Breakfast Club:** Senior High (grades 9 – 12) - Mondays, 7:00 a.m. at Chick-fil-A  
Junior High (grades 7 and 8) and PUMP (grade 6), Tuesdays, 7:00 a.m. at Riverwalk Bakery

### **New Adult Sunday School Classes**

Two new classes have begun for people in their late 30s through 40s—and beyond! Each class is a place to connect with others to enjoy fellowship together, take part in Sunday school lessons together, and walk through life together.

9:45 class – Family Life Center, room F-307      11:00 class – Family Life Center, room F-306  
Come and check it out!

### **Honduras Mission Team Presentation**

Our Honduras Mission Team will present a program on their July trip on Saturday, August 28, at 6:00 p.m. at Trinity UMC on West Avenue. Refreshments will be served following the presentation and team members will be available to answer questions.

### **August Basket Ministry**

We are collecting school supplies for needy children. All school supplies are welcome, but the following supplies are especially needed: backpacks, pencils, erasers, crayons, colored pencils, pencil boxes/zipper bags, scissors and glue. Please place your contributions in the baskets in the Sanctuary and Family Life Center lobbies. Thank you for supporting families in need!

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