

The Worship of God
August 26, 2018 · 10:45 am
Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

GATHERING as God's Children

Introit ***O God, Beyond All Praising*** Gustav Holst

Welcome Jennifer Rygg
*As we gather for worship, please sign the friendship register and pass it down the pew.
If you are the last to sign, please date and tear out the sheet and place it in the offering plate.*

Responsive Call to Worship **Psalm 15** Jennifer Rygg

O Lord, who may abide in your tent? Who may dwell on your holy hill?
Those who walk blamelessly, and do what is right, and speak the truth from their heart;
who do not slander with their tongue; and do no evil to their friends, nor take up a reproach against their neighbors; in whose eyes the wicked are despised,
but who honor those who fear the Lord; who stand by their oath even to their hurt;
who do not lend money at interest, and do not take a bribe against the innocent.
Those who do these things shall never be moved.

The Word of God for the People of God.
Thanks be to God.

++ Song of Praise ***Hosanna*** Ligertwood
Shout to the Lord Zschech
Praise Team and Congregation

*The candles symbolize the presence of the Holy Spirit.
As the candles are lit, may we attune our hearts and minds to worship.*

RECEIVING the Word of God and RESPONDING to God in Worship and Service

New Testament Reading **James 1:17, 22-27** Jim Wood
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Thanks be to God.

Celebration of S.O.U.P. (Supper On Us Pendleton) Ministry Jennifer Rygg

++ Offertory Hymn **No. 349** ***To God Be the Glory*** TO GOD BE THE GLORY

++ Offertory Prayer Jim Wood

Offertory ***Ave Verum*** W. A. Mozart

++ Offertory Response ***Doxology*** OLD 100th

Anthem ***They Shall Soar Like Eagles*** Laura Manzo
Sanctuary Choir

After the anthem, children ages 4 - 2nd grade may be dismissed to Children's Chapel.

Sermon **"The Religion God Wants"** Jennifer Rygg

++ Hymn of Response **No. 440** ***Though I May Speak with Bravest Fire*** GIFT OF LOVE

During the Hymn of Response our pastor is available for those who desire to follow Christ as Savior, to renew their relationship with God, to unite with this church, or to seek prayer.

GOING Into the World

Announcements and Benediction Jennifer Rygg

Meditation ***Prelude in E*** Terry Kath
As the candle is extinguished, the flame is carried from the sanctuary to represent the presence of the Holy Spirit in our lives that goes with us as we go into the world.

++ Benediction Hymn ***This Is the Day*** THIS IS THE DAY

++ Congregation is invited to stand. CCLI License # 1542736

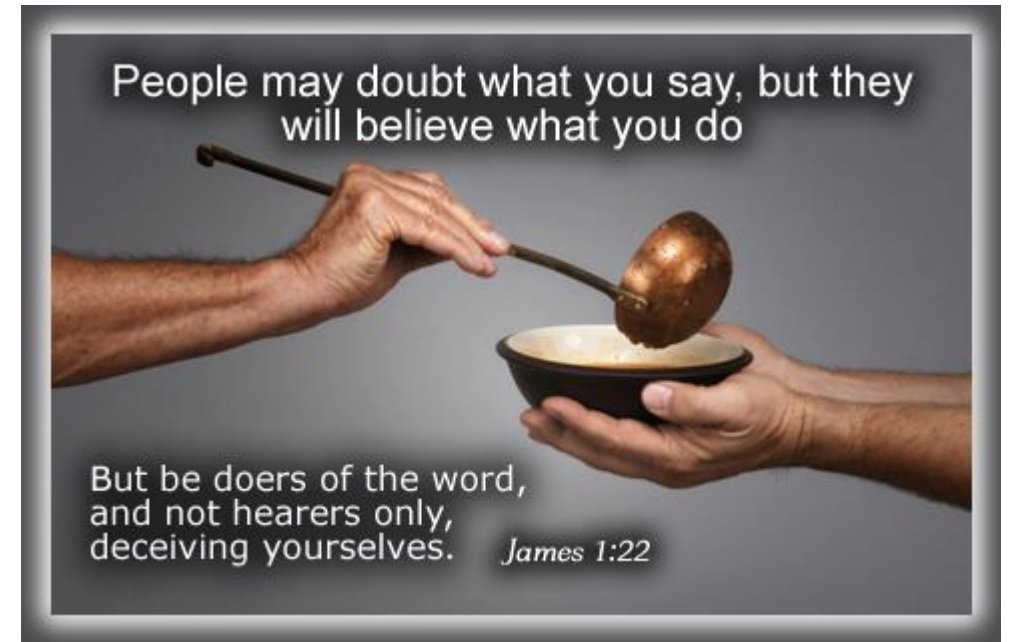
The flowers this week are a gift of the church family in honor of all S.O.U.P. volunteers.

Welcome, Guests! Thank you for worshiping with us today! Please take a moment to complete the welcome card located in the pew and place it in the offering plate. You can share your experience at our church by visiting our website, clicking on "Visitors" and then "Visitor Response Survey."

Worship Notes

Children and Worship: Children of all ages are welcome to join us for worship!
Nursery care is available in room 102 for children ages 4 and younger if desired.
Children's Bulletins are available at the sanctuary entrances.
Children's Chapel is provided in room 211 during the sermon for ages 4 - 2nd grade.
Worship Bags are available in front of the first pew on each side of the sanctuary. Children are encouraged to take a bag at the beginning of the service and return it to the hook at the end.

Next Sunday, September 2, our sermon text will be **Joshua 24:1-2, 14-18**.



Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost Celebration and Thanksgiving for S.O.U.P. August 26, 2018

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