

## Order of Service 11.15.2020

### Prelude

*Walking With The Savior*—Blake

### Call to Worship

*People Need the Lord*

*(Praise and Worship No. 2244)*

People need the Lord,

people need the Lord

At the end of broken dreams,

He's the open door

People need the Lord,

people need the Lord

When will we realize

people need the Lord

### Opening Hymn

*Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us* (No. 381)

#### Verse 1

Saviour like a shepherd lead us

Much we need thy tender care

In thy pleasant pastures feed us

For our use thy folds prepare

Blessed Jesus blessed Jesus

Thou hast bought us thine we are

Blessed Jesus blessed Jesus

Thou hast bought us thine we are

#### Verse 2

We are thine do thou befriend us

Be the guardian of our way

Keep thy flock from sin defend us

Seek us when we go astray

Blessed Jesus blessed Jesus

Hear O hear us when we pray

Blessed Jesus blessed Jesus

Hear O hear us when we pray

#### Verse 3

Thou hast promised to receive us

Poor and sinful though we be

Thou hast mercy to relieve us

Grace to cleanse and pow'r to free

Blessed Jesus blessed Jesus

Early let us turn to thee

Blessed Jesus blessed Jesus

Early let us turn to thee

#### Verse 4

Early let us seek thy favour

Early let us do thy will

Blessed Lord and only Saviour

With thy love our beings fill

Blessed Jesus blessed Jesus

Thou hast loved us love us still

Blessed Jesus blessed Jesus

Thou hast loved us love us still

*\*See attached sheet music*

### Announcements

### Morning Prayer

### KID Central Dismissal

#### Anthem

*'Til The Storm Passes By*

Quartet: Tim Miller, Doug Parker,

Greg Dixon & Brian Brooks

### Scripture Lesson

#### Psalm 23

*1 The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.*

*2 He makes me lie down in green pastures;  
he leads me beside still waters;*

*3 he restores my soul.*

*He leads me in right paths for his name's sake.*

*4 Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I fear no evil;*

*for you are with me;*

*your rod and your staff—  
they comfort me.*

*5 You prepare a table before me  
in the presence of my enemies;*

*you anoint my head with oil;  
my cup overflows.*

*6 Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me  
all the days of my life,*

*and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord  
my whole life long.*

### Sermon

#### Apostle's Creed No. 881

I believe in God the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth;  
and in Jesus Christ his only Son our  
Lord:

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered  
under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, dead, and buried;  
the third day he arose from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven, and sitteth  
at the right hand of

God the Father Almighty;  
from thence he shall come to judge  
the quick and the dead. I believe in the  
Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection  
of the body, and the life everlasting.  
Amen.

### What a Friend We Have in Jesus

(No. 526)

#### Verse 1

What a friend we have in Jesus,  
all our sins and griefs to bear!

What a privilege to carry  
everything to God in prayer!

O what peace we often forfeit,

O what needless pain we bear,

all because we do not carry

everything to God in prayer.

#### Verse 2

Have we trials and temptations?

Is there trouble anywhere?

We should never be discouraged;

take it to the Lord in prayer.

Can we find a friend so faithful

who will all our sorrows share?

Jesus knows our every weakness;

take it to the Lord in prayer.

#### Verse 3

Are we weak and heavy laden,

cumbered with a load of care?

Precious Savior, still our refuge;

take it to the Lord in prayer.

Do thy friends despise, forsake thee?

Take it to the Lord in prayer!

In his arms he'll take and shield thee;

thou wilt find a solace there.

### Postlude

*Heaven* — arr. Schram

#### Sunday School

Join us for our congregational-wide  
**Sunday School** in the CAC after  
service. From 10:15-10:45 AM, we  
will explore and study our Bible  
together in this group setting while  
maintaining social distancing.

*Thank You  
for joining us today  
and your continued  
support!*

WELCOME,  
VISITORS!

## Announcements

This year for **Operation Christmas Child** help Central build shoeboxes! Each box costs \$25. If you would like to donate, please send a check made out to Central by 11/20/2020. Any questions, please see Audrey Brooks.

The **Russell Fellowship Class Christmas Project** will be collecting cash and blankets this year (no toys). They will be serving around 20 families in the community. For more information, please contact the church office at 704-739-2471.

**Abba's Love**, the recently transformed women's shelter run by Cleveland County Rescue Mission in Shelby is currently seeking donations of **new women's and children's pajamas** (all sizes are needed). A lot of times when women and children flee to seek shelter, they often do not bring any belongings. These PJ's will be the first thing that they will change into after getting a shower to enter the shelter. Please bring your donations and put in the collection bin in the CAC hallway. Any questions, please see Debbie Greene.

**KID Central** Families will sit together in service and, after the morning prayer, KID Central volunteers will escort your children to their rooms and return them at the end of service. Volunteers will take every safety precaution that they can to keep your children as safe as possible.

**It's time to order your poinsettia!** To order a poinsettia in memory or in honor of someone, please fill out the order form and return with payment to the church office (or place it in the offering plate) by no later than **Sunday, November 29**. Poinsettias cost \$11 each.



## STEWARDSHIP REPORT

### ATTENDANCE

(11/08) 9:00a Service.....64

### Operating Fund

|                     |    |            |
|---------------------|----|------------|
| Contributions 11/08 | \$ | 4,199.72   |
| Contributions YTD   | \$ | 368,925.40 |

### Capital Improvements Fund

|                     |    |          |
|---------------------|----|----------|
| Contributions 11/08 | \$ | 0.00     |
| Contributions YTD   | \$ | 1,050.00 |



**Candlelight Outdoor Christmas Celebration** 12/20/20 at 6:30pm. We will be doing Lessons & Carols and enjoy refreshments after the service.

## PRAYER LIST: PRAISES AND CONCERNS

*Praises and concerns will stay on this list for one month unless otherwise requested.*

**Members in Nursing Homes, Assisted Living and Homebound:** Peggy Ramey; Sara Griffin; Jane Edwards; Barbara Bridges; Doris Sweeting; Ruth Wilson, Betty Masters.

**Military Personnel:** SGT Tyler Dixon-Marines; SSGT Jonathan Brucker-Army; CAPT Alex Plonk -Air Force; S 1 Tyler Hellstrand-Navy; Abbey Wallace-Air Force (Afghanistan); SSG Colby Bailey—Army (Deployed); LT Boone McDaniel, Navy; CAPT Wendell Bunch, Jr.—Army; CAPT Alex Young,—Air Force; SP4 Joshua Brucker (Fort Campbell); Skyler Rhea—Army (Saudi Arabia).

**Concerns (members/constituents/church-related concerns):** Guidance in developing new ministries; our college students; Community Kitchen Ministry; Pat Plonk (death) 11.2.20; Tom Bennett 11.4.20; Wanda Propst (death) 11.5.20.

**Concerns (friends/relatives/other concerns):** All children in need; Samuel Smith (cancer) 9.30.19; Cristi Boyd 9.30.19; Diane Larose 10.7.19; Crystal Braswell 10.16.19; The Family of Preston Lieser 11.11.20; The Family of Jerry Whetstine 11.9.20.

# 381 Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us

1. Sav - ior, like a shep-herd lead us, much we  
 2. We are thine, thou dost be - friend us, be the  
 3. Thou hast prom-ised to re - ceive us, poor and  
 4. Ear - ly let us seek thy fa - vor, ear - ly

need thy ten - der care; in thy pleas - ant pas - tures  
 guard - ian of our way; keep thy flock, from sin de -  
 sin - ful though we be; thou hast mer - cy to re -  
 let us do thy will; bless - ed Lord and on - ly

feed us, for our use thy folds pre - pare.  
 fend us, seek us when we go a - stray.  
 lieve us, grace to cleanse and power to free.  
 Sav - ior, with thy love our bos - oms fill.

Bless - ed Je - sus, bless - ed Je - sus! Thou hast  
 Bless - ed Je - sus, bless - ed Je - sus! Hear, O  
 Bless - ed Je - sus, bless - ed Je - sus! We will  
 Bless - ed Je - sus, bless - ed Je - sus! Thou hast

WORDS: Attr. to Dorothy A. Thrupp, 1836 (Jn. 10:1-29)  
 MUSIC: William B. Bradbury, 1859

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bought us, thine we are. Bless - ed Je - sus,  
 hear us when we pray. Bless - ed Je - sus,  
 ear - ly turn to thee. Bless - ed Je - sus,  
 loved us, love us still. Bless - ed Je - sus,

bless - ed Je - sus! Thou hast bought us, thine we are.  
 bless - ed Je - sus! Hear, O hear us when we pray.  
 bless - ed Je - sus! We will ear - ly turn to thee.  
 bless - ed Je - sus! Thou hast loved us, love us still.

## 526 What a Friend We Have in Jesus

1. What a friend we have in Je - sus, all our  
 2. Have we tri - als and temp - ta - tions? Is there  
 3. Are we weak and heav - y la - den, cum - bered

sins and griefs to bear! What a priv - i - lege to car - ry  
 trou - ble an - y - where? We should nev - er be dis - cour - aged;  
 with a load of care? Pre - cious Sav - ior, still our ref - uge;

ev - ery - thing to God in prayer! O what peace we of - ten  
 take it to the Lord in prayer. Can we find a friend so  
 take it to the Lord in prayer. Do thy friends de - spise, for -

for - feit, O what need - less pain we bear, all be -  
 faith - ful who will all our sor - rows share? Je - sus  
 sake thee? Take it to the Lord in prayer! In his

cause we do not car - ry ev - ery - thing to God in prayer.  
 knows our ev - ery weak - ness; take it to the Lord in prayer.  
 arms he'll take and shield thee; thou wilt find a sol - ace there.

WORDS: Joseph M. Scriven, ca. 1855  
 MUSIC: Charles C. Converse, 1868

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