

CASCO UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

19TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Come Grow with Us!

“A CARING COMMUNITY OF BELIEVERS FOR ALL AGES”

September 25th, 2016

A Christ Centered Fellowship

“WE GATHER TO WORSHIP!”

**If you are able, please stand.*

PRELUDE

Jerry Post, Organist

LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES

GREETING AND NEWS OF THE LORD’S WORK *Your presence and record of attendance is very important to us. Please Print your name and pass the Attendance Registration Pad to your neighbor. Visitors, may you always feel welcome as our “Special Guests!” If you will give us your full address, we would like to send you a small token of our appreciation for your worshiping with us this morning. May you always feel welcome to return! **PRAYER REQUESTS**-Your joys and concerns are very important to us. Please feel free to share with the Pastor/Lay Leader before or during worship.*

CALL TO WORSHIP

“Psalm 91:1-4”

Liturgist: Eve Woodward

Liturgist: “Those who dwell in the shelter of the Most High, who abide in the shadow of the Almighty, will say to the Lord,

People: “My refuge and my fortress; my God, in whom I trust.”

Liturgist: For the Lord will deliver you from the snare of the fowler and from the deadly pestilence and will cover you with his pinions;

People: under the Lord’s wings you will find refuge.

God’s faithfulness is a shield and buckler.”

INTROIT

“This Is the Day”

Chancel Choir

INVOCATION

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”

No. 103

CHILDREN’S TIME

SKIT: “Adam and Eve & Ted and Alice

Jerry Post, Director

“Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these.” - Matthew 19:14 *(All 3-10 year olds who are present are invited following our “Children’s Time” to attend Church School in our “New Addition”.*

ANTHEM

“Life’s Railway to Heaven”

Chancel Choir

PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND LOVE OFFERINGS

Offertory

Doxology: 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!

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

“OUR MINISTRY OF CARING AND SHARING!”

FELLOWSHIP OF PRAYER

(Please feel free to share your Joys and Concerns.)

Pastoral Prayer, Personal Meditation

“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 glory forever. Amen!

***HYMN OF PREPARATION**

“Be Thou My Vision”

No. 451

SCRIPTURE LESSON

“Luke 16:19-31” (NIV)

Liturgist: Eve Woodward

SERMON READING

“I Timothy 6:6-19”(NRSV)

Pastor Don Graham

***HYMN OF DEDICATION**

“More Precious than Silver”

No. 2065

(Please Use Black Hymnal)

(During the singing of this hymn, please feel free to come forward with your monthly “World Hunger Offering”.)

***BENEDICTION**

CLOSING CHORAL RESPONSE

“God Be with You till We Meet Again”

No. 672

Verse 3: God be with you till we meet again; when life’s perils thick confound you, put his arms unfailing round you; God be with you till we meet again.

Refrain: Till we meet, till we meet, till we meet at Jesus’ feet; till we meet, till we meet, God be with you till we meet again.

POSTLUDE

We Respond to God’s Word and Depart from this Service to Do God’s will...

Children’s Church School: All 3-10 year olds are invited to our educational wing for Sunday School immediately after our “Children’s Time” in Worship.

Adult Bible Study: ... following Sunday Worship at 11:15 a.m. in our Choir Room, which is located in the 2nd room on the right and on Wednesday at 10 a.m. in our Adult Classroom, 1st room on the left.

Fellowship Time... Please feel free to be our “GUEST” in Fellowship Hall following worship for a beverage and cookie. Let’s get better acquainted! May you always feel welcome.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

<u>Sunday, September 25th</u>	9:15 am-9:45 am 10:00 am	Choir Practice Worship (Sanctuary) <i>Skit Sunday</i> <i>4th Sunday World Hunger Offering</i>
	11:15 am	Adult Bible Study
<u>Monday, September 26th</u> <i>(Pastor Don's Day off)</i>	10:00 am	Senior Exercise (<i>Casco Twp Hall</i>)
<u>Tuesday, September 27th</u>	10:00 am 10:00 am 1:00-3:00 pm 7:00 pm	"Kumjoinus" Prayer Group Quilting Group (Kibbie CRC) Senior Cards/Games (<i>Casco Twp Hall</i>) Choir Practice
<u>Wednesday, September 28th</u>	9-10:00 am 10:00 am	H2H Backpack Packing Adult Bible Study
<u>Thursday, September 29th</u>	10:00 am 10:00 am 1:00 pm	H2H Delivers Food Senior Exercise (<i>Casco Twp Hall</i>) The JOY Group (Just Older Youth) (<i>Village Market</i>)
<u>Sunday, October 2nd</u>	9:15 am-9:45 am 10:00 am	Choir Practice Worship (Sanctuary) <i>Holy Communion</i>

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Church's
Vision and
Mission
Statement-
"Building up
the Kingdom of
God... N.O.W.
through Nurture,
Outreach, and
Witness!"**

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THIS WEEK – 9/25

Altar Flowers: Open
Children's Time: Volunteer Needed
North Greeters: Alice Weber
South Greeters: Volunteer Needed
Ushers: Whitey Marr, Guy Rayn, Bob Oden, Steve Ellmer
Acolytes: Kaleb Flora
Liturgist: Eve Woodward
Coffee Fellowship: Pastor Don & Judy Graham
Counters: Doug, Rachel, Nancy
Audio Tech: Guy Rayon
Computer Tech: Jason Pettet
Sunday School: Carolyn Thon

IN HIS SERVICE

NEXT WEEK – 10/2

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Liturgist: Volunteer Needed
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Counters: Mike, Joan, Blanche
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PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS:

Keep the following persons in your thoughts and prayers: Joyce Andrews, Angie Giesler, The family of Diana Dutkowski, Jim Carter, Marge Jerue, Joyce Havens, Ken Perkins, Bob Oden, Ellen Appelhans, Dorothy King, Mike Scott, Don Spencer, Jerri Walters, Mary Ann Slack, Clyde Wauchek, Sherry Grigg, Jerry Jerrett, Jim Liepe, Jacob Grigg, Ella Hogle, Lewis Mitchell, David Clark, Jackie Welton, Irene Dukeschere, Barbara Sutton, Diana Kark, Larry Brush, Larry Ridley, Arlene Laraway. **Our Service men and women:** Dana Vermilye, Jayare Erickson, Robert Ulmer. **Members & Friends who are shut-ins, or living in assisted living facilities, nursing homes, and health care facilities:** Roberta Alexander, Vern Long, Judy Oden.