

A CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP
Freedom Sunday
Sunday, July 3, 2011

PRELUDE "Come Let's Worship Him!" Ronaele

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

WELCOME AND ACCOUNCMENTS Rev. George Dudley

***HYMN OF PRAISE** "O Beautiful for Spacious Skies" Chalice Hymnal No. 720

PROCESSION OF FLAGS Ginny White & Bob Smith

***PLEDGE TO THE AMERICAN FLAG**

*I Pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America,
And to the Republic for which it stands:
One Nation under God indivisible,
with Liberty and Justice for all.*

***PLEDGE TO THE CHRISTIAN FLAG**

*I Pledge allegiance to the Christian flag,
and to the Savior for who Kingdom it stands, one brotherhood,
uniting all mankind in service and in love.*

***INVOCATION & THE LORD'S PRAYER (Trespas) and GLORIA PATRI**
(Words to the Lord's Prayer, Gloria Patri and Doxology are in the pews)

Rev. George Dudley

CHILDREN'S BLESSING

Children who are rising four years old through fourth grade will be dismissed to Children's Worship & Wonder. (An experiential worship experience for children which meets in our library).

Rev. Mary Pat Spencer

PRESENTATION OF TITHES, and OFFERINGS

Call to Stewardship

Special Music Offering

***Doxology**

***Prayer of Dedication**

"Statue of Liberty"

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ANTHEM "America The Beautiful"

Quartet: Gary Franklin, Steve Pasky, Aneda Chandler, Kathy Mann

PASTORAL PRAYER Rev. Mary Pat Spencer

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Communion Hymn "Let Us Break Bread Together" Chalice Hymnal No. 425

Invitation to Communion Hugh Henderson

Prayer of Communion George Dudley

(This is the Lord's Table. All believers in Christ are invited. As the emblems are passed, partake of the bread and hold the cup, offering your own prayer/meditation until after the congregational response.)

WORDS OF INSTITUTION AND CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE:

(Taken from the New Testament: First Corinthians 11:23-26)

ELDER: The Lord Jesus, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, broke it and said, "This is My Body which is given for you."

COMMUNION MUSIC "What the Lord Has Done in Me" Morgan

ELDER: In the same way also the cup, after supper saying, "This cup is the new covenant of My Blood. Do this as often as you drink it in remembrance of Me."

CONGREGATION: As often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until He comes.

SCRIPTURE "Pledge Allegiance" Rev. Mary Pat Spencer

SERMON "Luke 9:57-62" Rev. Mary Pat Spencer

*** HYMN OF INVITATION** "Be Thou My Vision" Chalice Hymnal.No.595

***BENEDICTION** Rev. Mary Pat Spencer

***CHORAL RESPONSE** "You Are Here" Praise Hymnal No. 53

*You are here among us,
For we have gathered in Your name.
We can feel Your presence in this place.
You are here among us.
You are enthroned upon our praise.
You are here, here to heal and here to save.
You are here in our midst;
How we've waited for moments like this.
Have Your way in this place.
Holy Spirit, come do as You wish.
We are changed as You move in our midst.*

***POSTLUDE** "American Heritage" Da Wee Duch

LIFE IN OUR COMMUNITY THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, July 3

FREEDOM & DEMOCRACY SUNDAY

9:00 am Sunday School
10:15 am Worship Service – Worship Celebration
of Our Country
10:30 am Children’s Worship and Wonder
1:30 pm – 3:30 pm Rehearsals for Dinner Theatre

MONDAY, July 4

Church Office Closed

TUESDAY, July 5

9:30 am – 1:00 pm TAN’S Summer Fun

WEDNESDAY, July 6

6:30 pm Choir Practice

THURSDAY, July 7

9:30 am -1:00 pm TAN’S Summer Fun
7:00 pm Advocates Bible Study

FRIDAY, July 9

East Point C.C., Ohio/Overnight Stay

FRIDAY, July 9 – WEDNESDAY, July 13

General Assembly
Nashville, Tennessee



IN THE LIFE OF OUR CHURCH

WATCH WORSHIP AT THE 2011 GENERAL ASSEMBLY LIVE!

The worship events at the 2011 General Assembly will be streamed live via the web. Anyone with an Internet connection and computer can watch and virtually participate in worship! During the webcast, Disciples from across the globe can participate in discussion via Facebook, Twitter or a hosted chat discussion on this page: www.livestream.com/christianchurchdoc.

Scheduled Webcast Events:

All events are in Central time.

- **Opening Worship** on Sat., July 9, at 7:30pm (webcast begins at 7:00pm);
- **HIV/AIDS Healing Service** on Sun., July 10, at 8:30am (webcast begins at 8:00am);
- **State of the Church** on Sun., July 10, at 2:30pm (webcast begins at 2:20pm);
- **"Sing It!" Concert** on Sun., July 10, at 7:00pm (webcast begins at 6:30pm);
- **Emergent Worship** on Mon., July 11, at 7:30pm (webcast begins at 7:00pm);
- **"Tell It!" Testimonies** on Tues., July 12, at 7:30pm (webcast begins at 7:00pm);

Commissioning Worship on Wed., July 13, at 7:30pm (webcast begins at 7:00pm).

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - July 25-29

Our VBS will be July 25-29, from 9:30-11:30. Our VBS will be for children age 4 through those who have completed the 6th grade. There is no fee for this VBS; however, we are inviting all children to bring canned goods for Oak Mountain Ministries as part of our Mission Project. Our theme this year is, "Galactic Blast". It is a space theme where we will explore and praise God's magnificent creation. We have a fantastic staff lined up as well as a very special guest named Galileo the Green Gorilla. Please know that we encourage you to pick up registration forms to share with family and friends. The orange forms are in our narthex. Please fill them out and return them soon. Thank you.

WORSHIP LEADERS

WORSHIP LEADERS: Rev. Mary Pat Spencer & George Dudley
MUSIC MINISTER: Rev. Jan Watts

ORGANIST/PIANIST: David Brasher
ELDERS ON CALL: Hugh Henderson, George Dudley
SERVING DIACONATE: Lisa Burdette, Fletcher Hamilton, Sandy Hamilton,
Carlton Horne, Tiffany Horne, Scott Jackson,
Donnette Mee, Katherine Mee, Ed Powell,
Bob Smith, Corey Tabb, Charlie Thigpen, Jacob Thigpen

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP & WONDER:

LESSON: Jesus and the Storm
STORYTELLER: Paulette Farquhar
GREETERS: Pepper Edwards & Joye Taylor
SUNDAY SCHOOL GREETER: Jim Thigpen
WORSHIP GREETERS (Door): Bob & Lyn Frederickson
WORSHIP GREETER (Table): Marquita Sebastian

BLESSINGS?

"I will sing to the Lord, for he has been good to me." (Psalms 13:6). God has richly blessed us with a loving church family, a beautiful sanctuary, a peaceful home, religious freedom, and other blessings too numerous to name. Remember to thank God for each blessing and to show a token of your gratitude by filling your blessing box. All monies will be used to bless children through the Salvation Army's Angel Tree this Christmas.

KEEPING TRACK OF EDD!

During the weeks of June 15 – August 15, Pastor Edd will be hiking through Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, and Massachusetts. He has his faithful friend Spot (GPS unit) with him and will be sending check-in messages daily. If you would like to track his progress send Charles Daniels an Email to: cd@dti-test.com and he will send you the information so you can see how far he has walked each day.

The Beautiful flowers in the sanctuary today are in Memory of Roslyn Hard, given by John Hard.