

# Sunday September 6, 2020



Greetings: Please take a minute to find our page on Facebook so that you can join in on the live stream of this morning's service. We will have a time for offering today. If you would like to give online, just go to our "<u>Tithe.ly</u>" online giving page or to our church website (www.fccstjo.org) or the top of our church Facebook page. We'll also be sharing in communion today so we invite you to prepare by finding something from home you can use to represent the bread and the juice. The lyrics to the songs in today's worship service are provided below.



Welcome: Hutch Hutchison & Betty Blakely

**Singing Together:** Beth McLenaghan, Maddie Dryer, Jackson Connors, Colton Connors

"Shout to the Lord"

#### Verse

My Jesus my Saviour Lord there is none like You All of my days I want to praise The wonders of Your mighty love My comfort my shelter Tower of refuge and strength Let every breath all that I am

# Welcome...We're Glad You Are Tuning In!

Our congregation is diverse in age, race, sexual orientation, biblical interpretation, culture, ethnic background, gender identity & expression, economic circumstance, family configuration, political inclination and physical ability. We celebrate and honor this diversity and welcome the struggle necessary to sustain it.

Never cease to worship You

#### Chorus

Shout to the Lord all the earth let us sing Power and majesty praise to the King Mountains bow down and the seas will roar At the sound of Your name I sing for joy at the work of Your hands Forever I'll love You forever I'll stand Nothing compares to the promise I have in You

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## Scripture Reading: Hebrews 12:18-24

You have not come to something that can be touched, a blazing fire, and darkness, and gloom, and a tempest, and the sound of a trumpet, and a voice whose words made the hearers beg that not another word be spoken to them. (For they could not endure the order that was given, 'If even an animal touches the mountain, it shall be stoned to death.' Indeed, so terrifying was the sight that Moses said, 'I tremble with fear.') But you have come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to innumerable angels in festal gathering, and to the assembly of the firstborn who are enrolled in heaven, and to God the judge of all, and to the spirits of the righteous made perfect, and to Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel.

Message: "Hope for the Weary" Rev. Ron Routledge, Regional Minister

Special Music: Beth McLenaghan, Maddie Dryer, Jackson Connors, Colton Connors,

Sean Connors
Da Pacem Domine

Praying Together: Sandy Hamlin, Elder

**Breaking Bread:** Pastor Brian Kirk

**Lord's Prayer –** (*Please use whatever words are most familiar to you.*)

Our Creator, who is in heaven, hallowed be Your name. Your Kingdom come, Your will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Yours is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen

## **Sharing Our Gifts:**

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Closing Song: Beth McLenaghan, Cooper McLaren

"All The People Said Amen"

#### Verse 1

You are not alone if you are lonely. When you feel afraid you're not the only We are all the same in need of mercy, to be forgiven and be free

It's all you got to lean on, but thank God it's all you need

#### Chorus

And all the people said amen whoa

And all the people said amen

Give thanks to the Lord for this love never ends

And all the people said amen

## Verse 2

If you're rich or poor well it don't matter. Weak or strong you know love is what we're after. We're all broken but we're all in this together. God knows we stumble and fall And God so loved the world, we're sent a son to save us all

# **Bridge**

Blessed are the poor in spirit who are torn apart Blessed are the persecuted and the pure in heart Blessed are the people hungry for another start For theirs is the kingdom the kingdom of God

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## Thank you to Katey Girard for helping to edit this week's service

Join us next Sunday on line at 10:45 or in Krug Park (St. Joseph, MO) at 10:30 AM for "Lawn Chair Worship!" Please bring a chair or blanket for seating and join us at the Long Shelter, at the top of the park. We ask all in attendance to wear masks and socially distance. The service will be approximately 30 minutes.

## **PRAYER REQUESTS**

All the medical and health care professionals serving during this pandemic.

**Congratulations** to **John & Megan Pros**, on the birth of their baby Ellie. Parents and baby are at home doing well.

Sandy Hamlin's father, Wiley Wilson, recovering at home from health issues

Keisha Davis' Aunt Gail dealing with health issues

Keisha Davis with health concerns

Bev Grienke and family with health concerns

Chris Bartlett's cousin, Ashley, dealing with health issues

Datoka Allen, RFKC volunteer facing health concerns

Kate Davison's friend, Jodie, living with cancer

**Cathy Hammer** 

Kim Potter continuing treatment for cancer

Barb Ranner, Beth McLenaghan's mother with current health issues

Judy Spencer, Beth Kar receiving treatment for cancer.

Carolyn Koftan, sister-in-law of **Sandy Hamlin**, in hospice care.

**Emily Weese**'s father, David.

Kayla Harris' mother, Robin Knotts, living with cancer

Ruth Long's brother Dale, diagnosed with a brain tumor.

Miles Hibler's mother, Pat on hospice

Elaine McCool, back at Country Squire Retirement Home

Friends and Family: Liz Canon, John Kieser, John Nichols, son of Nancy Nichols; Kathy

Long, friend of Janet Pullen

Homebound: Francis Hesnault, Louis Parmalee, Bette Lampton, Jane Urquhart, Pat

Jacobs

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How can we be of help to you? Just contact us and let us know. We are in this together!

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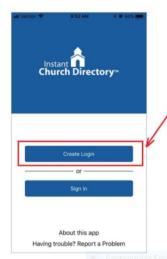
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