

Geared up For Life- “Rooted and Grounded in Love”

Ephesians 4:1-16

I, therefore, the prisoner of the Lord, exhort you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling with which you were called. 2 With all humility, meekness, and patience, bearing with one another in love, 3 be eager to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. 4 There is one body and one Spirit, even as you were called in one hope of your calling, 5 one Lord, one faith, one baptism, 6 one God and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in you all.

7 But grace was given to each one of us according to the measure of the gift of Christ. 8 Therefore He says:

“When He ascended on high,

He led captivity captive,
and gave gifts to men.”[a]

9 (In saying, “He ascended,” what does it mean but that He also descended first into the lower parts of the earth? 10 He who descended is also He who ascended far above all the heavens that He might fill all things.)

11 He gave some to be apostles, prophets, evangelists, pastors, and teachers, 12 for the equipping of the saints, for the work of service, and for the building up of the body of Christ, 13 until we all come into the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, into a complete man, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ, 14 so we may no longer be children, tossed here and there by waves and carried about with every wind of doctrine by the trickery of men, by craftiness with deceitful scheming. 15 But, speaking the truth in love, we may grow up in all things into Him, who is the head, Christ Himself, 16 from whom the whole body is joined together and connected by every joint and ligament, as every part effectively does its work and grows, building itself up in love.

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Order of Worship August 1st, 2021 9:00 A.M. Service



Leading people to become devoted followers of Christ



Sunday Worship Service

August 1st, 2021

Blended Service

Order of Worship

Gathering Song
Welcome & Announcements
Invocation

“Your Love Awakens Me”

Worship Team
Bruce Keener

Call to Worship

Apostles Creed, Affirmation of Faith

Opening Hymn

“Nothing But the Blood”

Worship Team

Prayers and Praise

Pastoral Prayer
Prayer Response
Presentation of Scripture
Response to Scripture
Dismissal for Children’s Church

“Abide in Me”
Ephesians 4:1-16(MEV)
“Here Again”

Pastor Paul D. Broussard

Sarah-Lyn Saxon
Worship Team

Proclamation

Message

“A Life Worthy”

Pastor Paul D. Broussard

Decision Time
*Holy Communion
Benediction

“Christ be Magnified”

Worship Team

Pastor Paul D. Broussard

Piano Music By Benjamin Warsaw



Prayer Requests

Our Pastor
Leaders of our church
The family of Billy Boyles
Chuck Brown
Earline Burke
Tommy Clark
Debbie Daughtery
Irma Davis
Celina Eaddy
Harry & Reba Edwards
Ethan Ferguson
Loy Graham
Peggy Haupt
Tony Hickman
Cindy Howard
Paul Lafferty
Genie Martin
Judy Mays
Kevin McDaniel
Andrew Miles
Carl Mingledorf
Clayton Morgan
Thressa Morgan
Caroline Morton
Dwayne Nease
Jackey Nease
Francis Palmer
Robbie Pierce
Ellen Rahn
Laura Sherman
Connie Shuman
Janet Smith
Patty Wise Smith
Kip Spence
Irene Stanford
Laurie Stregles
Greg Stephens
Joyce Wadsworth
Alma Zettler
Dwight Zipperer

*** Please let the church office know of any changes that need to be made to our prayer requests.**

Looking Back at our Faithfulness
Sunday, July 25th, 2021

Tithes & Offering \$4439.00

Altar Flowers are Given in Memory of my Brother Ricky Price. By Cathy Hickman



Altar Flowers

Prayer: Our Help in Prayer

Romans 8: 26-27” And the Holy Spirit helps us in our weakness. For example, we don’t know what God wants us to pray for. But the Holy Spirit prays for us with groanings that cannot be expressed in words. And the Father who knows all hearts knows what the Spirit is saying, for the Spirit pleads for us believers in harmony with God’s own will.” (NLT)

Heavenly Father, Creator of all and Giver of all good things, we praise Your name. There are many times when we do not know what to pray, or how to pray, we groan in our inability to express our deepest needs. But, in Your great mercy and wisdom, You send the Holy Spirit to pray with us, to interpret needs into words that You understand. He, our Helper, Guide and Friend, is also our Intercessor. Thank You for this gift of the Holy Sprit who indwells the heart of every believer, and who brings both comfort and joy to our hearts. We pray in the name of Jesus Christ, amen.

Diane Wilhelm, Prayer Ministry Coordinator