

Evangelical United Church of Christ
 33 South Ellis Street, Cape Girardeau, Missouri
 Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 October 19, 2008
 (*Those who are able are invited to stand)

CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

PRELUDE

CHORAL INTROIT
 “Behold the Lamb” —Choir

*CALL TO WORSHIP

LEADER: The Holy One bends low at home with the humble, taking up residence **in the contrite heart and forming all people in God’s image. Come, let us worship.** Let us offer thanksgiving and praise to God.

*INVOCATION

*ALL: We come before you, O God, and wait for the kindling flame of your Holy Spirit, calling us into fuller and richer lives. You have **blessed us by the night’s rest and by morning’s light. Open us to your claim on us. Show us your way. Let us live in the spirit of Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.***

*HYMN OF ADORATION #118
 “His Name Is Wonderful”

SENTENCES OF PRAISE

LEADER: Blessed is God, who reveals to us the presence of the Christ and who incorporates us into divine love.

PSALM 99

The LORD is King; let the people tremble;
*he is enthroned upon the cherubim;
 let the earth shake.*

Prayer List
 October 19, 2008

In case of hospitalization or surgery please notify our church office. When being admitted to a hospital be sure to tell them that you are affiliated with this congregation. * indicates a new request. *Please note: after six months names will be removed from the prayer list, unless an update is made to the church office.*

Joyce Abernathy; 10-08	Kenny Mehrle	Ratliff Nursing Home
Leo Amelunke; 05-08	Bill McMillan; 06-08	Polly Wilmsmeyer
Marilyn Amelunke; 05-08	M.D. McMillan; 08-08	Fountainbleau Lodge
Linda Anderson; 05-08	Ester Nussbaum	Alta Proffer
Loyd Bollinger	Hannah Parks; 06-08	Lutheran Home
Ian Bolton; 10-08	Travis Rister—Iraq; 09-08	Dorothy Cole
Heather Cato; 07-08	Bob & Nora Lee	Viola Geiser
Eldon Chasteen; 08-08	Seabaugh; 09-08	Frank Maevers, Sr.
Phyllis Chasteen; 08-08	Kailey Spinks; 10-08	Leonard Moore
“Red” Clifton; 08-08	Aieral Steffens; 05-08	Andora Peetz
Bettye Crockett; 06-08	Brett/Cherie Stempel; 06-08	Auburn Creek
Lexi Edwards; 05-08	Karen Stephens; 06-08	Irene Orlando
Aleene Ellinger; 09-08	*Becky Stewart; 10-08	House Bound
Joan Hope	Marshall Whitworth; 08-08	S.G. Coy
Jane Juergens; 09-08		Mary Huckstep
Jed & Jon Jones; 05-08	Please Remember	Helen Owens
Anita MacDonald; 09-08	Our Friends at Home	
Frank, Jr & Ame		
Maevers; 09-08		

Financial Report	General Fund	Memorial General Fund	Memorial Fund	Misc.
10-05-08	\$2,610.00	\$10.00	\$165.00	\$565.00
10-12-08	\$1,283.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$32.00
10-19-08				
10-26-08				
Worship	Attendance	Cornerstone	Total	Offering
10-05-08	66	\$830.14	10-05-08	\$4,180.14
10-12-08	56		10-12-08	\$1,335.00
10-19-08			10-19-08	
10-26-08			10-26-08	

Welcome first time guests! **We're glad that you are here!** We invite everyone to complete a Communication card (located on the Information Table) and place it in the offering plate. You are important to us and we want to know that you are here.

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Pastor	Pastor Daniel Johnson
Pastor Emeritus	Rev. Ernest Jordan
Organist	Beverly Reece
Sound System	Terry & Mindy Best
Hospitality & Diaconate Visitor	Bonnie Wilkening
Greeters	Bill, Rhonda & Cayleigh Bolton
Reader	Carolyn Best
Ushers: Paul Propst, Bill Bolton, Jeff Sneathen & Alvin Spencer	

Chicken & Dumpling Dinner

Today is the day! Remember to bring your desserts to the lower auditorium by 3:00 PM. We will have a wonderful time working for Jesus — letting our inner light for Jesus shine brightly as we work together tonight.



Quarterly Giving Statements & Quarterly Meeting

The quarterly giving statements are located on the table in the back of the sanctuary. Please pick yours up today.

The next Quarterly Congregational Meeting is scheduled for Sunday, October 26th directly after services are over.

On the Calendar

- Oct 19 Sunday Worship, 10:35 AM
Chicken & Dumpling Dinner, 4-7 PM
- Oct 20 Council Meeting, 7:30 PM
- Oct 21 Diaconate, 7:00 PM
- Oct 22 Acts Bible Study, 6:30 PM
Open Gym, 7:30 PM
- Oct 25 St. James UCC @ Tilsit,
Chili Supper, 4—7 PM
- Oct 26 Fellowship Time, 9:00 AM
Adult Bible Study, 9:30 AM
Sunday School, 9:30 AM
Sunday Worship, 10:35 AM
Quarterly Congregational Meeting
- Oct 31-Nov 2 Shannondale work weekend
- Nov 15 Jamaican Christian Medical Mission
Dinner-Dance-Auction, 5:00 PM

Chili Supper

St. James UCC at Tilsit will have their Chili Supper on Saturday, October 25th from 4:00—7:00 PM.

The LORD is great in Zion;
he is high above all peoples.
Let them confess his Name, which is great and awesome;
he is the Holy One.

"O mighty King, lover of justice, you have established equity;
you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob."

Proclaim the greatness of the LORD our God
and fall down before his footstool;
he is the Holy One.

Moses and Aaron among his priests,
and Samuel among those who call upon his Name,
they called upon the LORD, and he answered them.

He spoke to them out of the pillar of cloud;
they kept his testimonies and the decree that he gave them.

O LORD our God, you answered them indeed;
you were a God who forgave them,
yet punished them for their evil deeds.

Proclaim the greatness of the LORD our God
and worship him upon his holy hill;
for the LORD our God is the Holy One.
Hallelujah

*GLORIA [*Lasst Uns Erfreuen*]

ALL SING: From all that dwell below the skies

Let the Creator's praise arise;
Alleluia! Alleluia!

Let the Redeemer's name be sung.
Let God the spirit free each tongue!
Alleluia! Alleluia!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Eternal is your glory, God.
Eternal Word we give you laud;
Alleluia! Alleluia!

Eternal Spirit we adore,
Your praise shall sound from shore to shore!
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

READING OF SCRIPTURE

Exodus 33:12-23 Page 140
I Thessalonians 1:1-10 Page 1837
*Matthew 22:15-22 Page 1535

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERTORY

LEADER: Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God. [Ephesians 5:2]

*OFFERTORY RESPONSE #816
“We Give Thee But Thine Own”

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

ALL: God of Wisdom, we rejoice that you have provided us with numerous examples of generous giving. We obediently share this offering in full knowledge that all of our resources and assets are ultimately a gift from you. Help us to use them wisely and to share them generously. We pray in the name of your son, Jesus Christ, who gave his life, so we may live abundantly. Amen.
[Based on Matthew 22:15-22]

SONG OF PRAISE #147
“How Great Thou Art”

SERMON — Pastor Dan Johnson
“Made in God’s Image”

ANTHEM
“Wonderful Grace of Jesus” —Choir

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

LEADER: Thanks be to you, O God, for from the beginning you have entrusted us with your word and have called us to give heart, mind, voice, and love to serving its truth, even as Jesus Christ brought it to life among us. Amen.

LORD’S PRAYER

LEADER: Let us pray as Christ our Savior has taught us,
ALL: 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.

*HYMN OF PARTING #669
“Make Me a Servant”

*BENEDICTION

LEADER: May God’s Holy Spirit lead you. May God’s strength protect you. May God’s peace be with you. Go now in the name of God, by the grace of Christ, and with the presence of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

CHORAL EXTRAIT
“Yes, Lord, Yes”

POSTLUDE