# WORSHIP CELEBRATION September 8, 2013, 10:45 a.m. Sixteenth Sunday After Pentecost

Welcome & Announcements

Registration of Attendance

(Please use the red pads provided near the center aisle and pass them along your pew. Thank you!)

Prelude

"Trumpet Tune on 'Nun Danket Alle Gott'" Arr. John Kirkland ("Now Thank We All Our God")

Lighting of the Candles

Chimes

+Choral Call to Worship:

"Come, Christians, Join to Sing" #225

+Prayer of Invocation

+Hymn Of Praise

"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" #90

+Greeting

"O, How I Love Jesus" #92

+Affirmation of Faith- -The Apostles Creed

"I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth: And in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen."

The Silent Prayers of Confession and Intercession

The Morning Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (in unison)

Morning Prayer/Response:

"Hear Our Prayer, O Lord"

Choir

+Please stand

Anthem

"A Living Sacrifice"

Mary McDonald, Composer

Offertory Sentence—"Every man according as he purposes in his, so let him give; not grudgingly, or of necessity; for God loves a cheerful giver." (2 Corinthians 9:7)

Receiving of Tithes & Offerings

Offertory

"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

Arr. Jack Schrader

+Doxology

Children's Message Crosses and Prayers

+Hymn

"He Leadeth Me"

#690

#815

Duet: "A Living Prayer"

Arr. Rice/ Laura and James Paschke

The Message of the Scriptures

Nehemiah 4:13-20 (pg 425)

Message

Dr. J. David Hester

"Beginning Again"

Solo: "My Tribute" Andre Crouch/ Karen Ware, soloist (Congregation will join last chorus as directed for hymn #54)

(Anyone who may be ready to receive Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord, re-dedicate their lives to Christ, join the church, or request special prayer is invited to come forward and meet with the pastor during the hymn)

+Prayer of Benediction

+Postlude

"The King Is Coming"

William Gaither, Composer

### +Please stand

The music in Worship this morning is presented to the Glory of God, and in love, gratitude, and deep appreciation of Dr. J. David Hester and his ministry this past year among us as Interim Pastor.

# Prayer Concerns In the Hospital

On-going Health and Prayer Concerns

CP Missionaries; Mary Jane & Gordon Blaylock; Mildred Stone; Edna Fleenor; Mary Cregger; Gladys Stone; Mildred Acuff; Maxine McGuire; Ada Ladd; Nancy Anthony; Bud & Betty Hickman; Carl Overstreet (friend of Cliff Parrott); Jonathan Migas; Peggy Bradshaw (Dianne Fielder's mother); Nora Derreberry (Maxine Curtis's mother); Marlene Ritchey; Brian Migas; Taylor Ford; Mary McJunkins, (Mary Wegman's mother); Eric Nelson, (friend of the Witmer clan); Donna Wingard, (Mildred Acuff's daughter); Ann Fleming, (Beth Rader Fleming's mother-in-law); Pat Shetterly, (Sherry's mother); Debbie & David Triese, (Margaret Migas's sister and husband); Steve Goodrich; Saxon Cochran (Bridges' neighbor with cancer); Carl Ware; Allison, Hailey, Connor and Hannah Davis; Janie Beeler, (Greg Beeler's wife); Martha Petree, (friend of Kevin Wood and Greg Beeler); Judy Gammon; Brenda Burk (sister of Lois Witmer), Ruth McNabb (mother of Tammy Eblen); Suzan Smith, (Jewell Kerr's daughter); Richard Himes (Jin Gaston's brother-in-law); Debbie Holloway; Mildred Gragg (friend of Mary Cregger); Kim and her family, (friends of Amanda and Scott Roberts); Rebecca Rech, mother of Justin Rech; Jack Gaston; J. David Hester; Marie Jobson, (friend of the Witmer's); Sheila Emory.

## Activities for September 8-14, 2013

Sun., 9:30 a.m. Sunday School

10:45 a.m. Worship Service

Wed., 2:00 p.m. Dementia Caregiving Seminar (Sanctuary)

6:30 p.m. Choir Practice

Thurs., 7:00 p.m. Stewardship & Finance

### Who are Cumberland Presbyterians?

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**PLEASE NOTE:** In order to maintain a worshipful atmosphere, we ask that you please refrain from bringing beverages and food into the sanctuary, please check your shoes during inclement weather, and please turn off all non-emergency communication devices. Thank you!

The Pastor and Session



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