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November 15, 2020
Twenty-Fourth Sunday
After Pentecost

WELCOME

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (in unison)

**I believe in a God
who created all things
and seeks for all to be in communion as God's people.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ
who showed us how to share love,
and who commissioned us to go out into the highways and byways
inviting all to be a part of God's work in the world.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit
who leads and guides us into the world,
then touches the lives of those around us
in ways that make them receptive to love.**

**I believe in the harvest
and the call for laborers to receive and respond,
sharing light and life with the world. Amen.**

PRAISE HYMN *Cornerstone* (insert)

ANNOUNCEMENTS/JOYS & CONCERNS

PRAYER CANTICLE/PASTORAL PRAYER/LORD'S PRAYER

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Psalm 123

HYMN OF PREPARATION *Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus*

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON 1 Thes 5:1-11

MESSAGE "But You, Beloved, Are Not In Darkness"

HYMN OF RESPONSE *In the Garden*

PRAYER OF COMMISSION (in unison)

**Holy One,
We long to be faithful stewards of your abundant grace.
To serve each other in love and humility.**

To serve your world with wisdom and energy.

Forgive us when we stumble over pride,
when our words and actions are not guided by love.
Turn our hearts when we act in folly.
Restore our energy when it is gone.

Sometimes, many times, O God, our efforts fail.
But your abundant grace is strong and eternal,
And forgiveness is ours through Jesus Christ.
Thanks be to God.
Amen.

~ written by Joanna Harader, and posted on the Spacious Faith blog. <http://spaciousfaith.com/>

CLOSING CANTICLE *God Be with You Till We Meet Again*

BENEDICTION

<p><u>ANNOUNCEMENTS</u></p> <p>YOUTH GROUP WED 6 PM</p> <p>DAILY DEVOTION SERIES! 40 Days of Decrease</p> <p>Step Challenge Oct - Nov</p> <p>Shoebox Christmas Items due by Nov 16</p> <p>Clean out your closet and bring gently used warm weather items in for the Bakken Oil Rush Ministry!</p>	<p><u>NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS</u></p> <p>4 Jeremy Nelson 11 Linda Schroeder 17 Addison Kylo Braeden Regner 24 Will Steffes 25 Michelle Kyser 28 Alison Engelke</p> 
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****CHURCH INFORMATION****

CALL 701-484-2727 to listen to the service!

GIVING INFO: Monthly General Funds Needed: \$12,636

Received to Date in November: 6065

Going to be away? We have online giving options!

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IN OUR PRAYERS... Ann Gremmels, Shayne Maly family, Mary Jane Paul, Raymond Wolff, Mary Beth Engelke, Elaine & Don Holm, Kathy Nelson, Allison Kootsika, Shirley Nedrebo, Pete Lindstrom, Ashley & Jase Leister

Our homebound family: Peggy Williams, Terry Radcliffe, Randy Moen

Our servicemen and women & their families: Chris Coalter, Josh King, Ethan Wold

"Cornerstone" Hillsong

My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus blood and righteousness
I dare not trust the sweetest frame
But wholly trust in Jesus name
My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus blood and righteousness
I dare not trust the sweetest frame
But wholly trust in Jesus name

Christ alone, Cornerstone
Weak made strong in the Saviour's love
Through the storm, He is Lord
Lord of all

When darkness seems to hide His face
I rest on His unchanging grace
In every high and stormy gale
My anchor holds within the veil
My anchor holds within the veil

Christ alone, Cornerstone
Weak made strong in the Saviour's love
Through the storm, He is Lord
Lord of all
He is Lord, Lord of all

Text: Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus

Author: Helen H. Lemmel

Turn your eyes upon Jesus,
Look full in His wonderful face,
And the things of earth will grow strangely dim,
In the light of His glory and grace.

In the Garden (I Come to the Garden Alone)

The United Methodist Hymnal Number 314

Text: C. Austin Miles, 1913 (Jn. 20:11-18)

Music: C. Austin Miles, 1913; *adapt. by Charles H. Webb, 1987*

Tune: GARDEN, **Meter:** 89.557 with Refrain

1. I come to the garden alone
while the dew is still on the roses,
and the voice I hear falling on my ear,
the Son of God discloses.

Refrain:

And he walks with me, and he talks with me,
and he tells me I am his own;
and the joy we share as we tarry there,
none other has ever known.

2. He speaks, and the sound of his voice
is so sweet the birds hush their singing,
and the melody that he gave to me
within my heart is ringing.

(Refrain)

3. I'd stay in the garden with him
though the night around me be falling,
but he bids me go; thru the voice of woe
his voice to me is calling.

(Refrain)