

IN OUR PRAYERS

Robbie McClure (Marie Dunnam's brother) Elizabeth Christensen (Kathy Skillen's niece), Arthur Skillen (Kathy Skillen's brother) Bob and Debbie Hartness (Rev. Audrey's parents), Clifton Mabry, Sam and Edna Dillard, Kathy Skillen, Al Belauskus, Sue Costa, (Paula Meades and Shari Waldo's friend), Ed Black (cousin of De French), George Harper (former pastor at WPC), Bentley Carver (son of a friend of James Lawson), Jack Harper (cousin of Nita McMillan), Sharen Gaff (De French's sister), Marie Dunnam.

WELCOME!

We are so glad you are here! Please fill out the visitor information cards located in the pew in front of you so that we can stay in touch!

SESSION

Session will meet today at 12:15 in Gossett Hall. Bring a lunch if you wish.

APPLE FESTIVAL PREP

Remember to sign up to help out with our apple pie baking and booth sitting for the Apple Festival! See Paula or Nita. They will hook you up!

JELLY PARTY

Many thanks to all who came out to make some jelly! We ended up with 105 half pints of Apple Scrap Jelly! Yay! We have also canned some of the apple pie filling. We will be selling these items, along with our famous apple pies, at the Apple Festival and all proceeds will go to Dot's Kitchen!

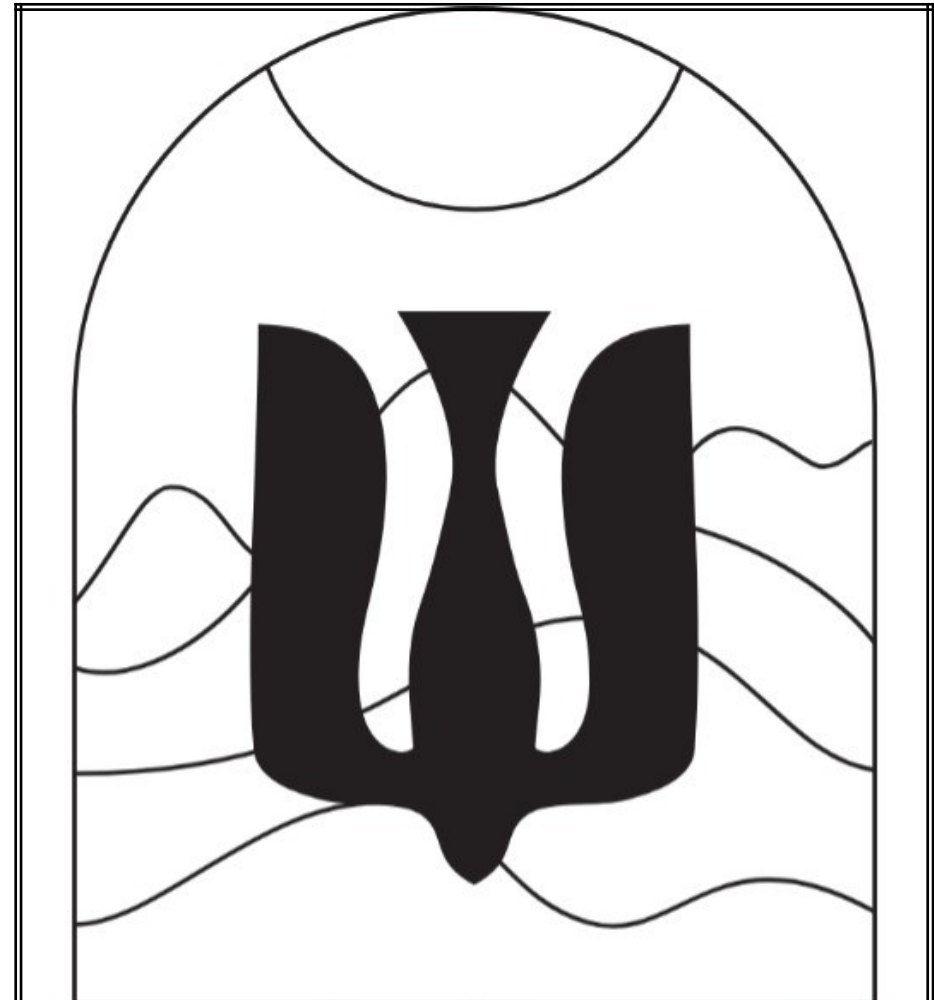
WPC CIRCLE

Ladies, remember that due to the Labor Day holiday, Circle will meet **Next Monday, September 9th**, 4:30 pm in Gossett Hall. If you haven't joined Circle, come on out and give it a try! You will be blessed!

MEMORIALS

The following have given in memory of Joel Thrift: Marie Dunnam and Trish and Les McCoy.

The following have given in memory of Arlene Touart: Michael and Paula Meades, Annabelle Bohannon, John and Nancy Johnston, John and Ann Merritt.



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11:00 A.M

GATHERING

Prelude: “It Is Well”Bliss

Welcome and Announcements

Choral Call to Worship: “God of Great and God of Small” (p.19) *God of Great and God of Small, God of one and God of all. God of weak and God of strong, God to whom all things belong. Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise be to Your name.*

Prayer of Invocation

***Hymn 396:** “Brethren, We Have Met to Worship”Atkins

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Holy, just, and gracious God, we count ourselves among those who have sinned and fall short of Your glory. We have neglected to worship You and made idols for ourselves that are unworthy of worship. We have not sought first Your kingdom and Your righteousness. We have not been content with our daily bread, or loved our neighbors well. We have run toward temptation and not away. The very sins we judge in others we have committed ourselves.

We confess our sins to You and plead the blood of Christ as our one defense. We ask You to forgive us, for we need Your mercy and we long to be cleansed and restored. In Jesus’ Name we pray.

(a moment of silent reflection)

Assurance of Pardon and Passing of the Peace

THE WORD

Anthem: “As the Deer”Nystrom

Prayer for Illumination

New Testament Scripture: Matthew 6:25-34

Sermon: “Don’t Worry, Trust God”Rev. Audrey Reese

***Apostles Creed** (*The Glory to God Hymnal* p. 35)

Gloria Patri (*The Glory to God Hymnal*, p. 581)

Musical Offertory: “Near the Cross”Crosby

(During the offertory, you are invited to take a moment of prayerful reflection. We appreciate your gifts to our ministry. Monetary gifts may be placed in the box in the back of the sanctuary, or in the offering plates at the front, as you leave today.)

***Doxology** (*The Glory to God Hymnal*, No. 606)

***Hymn 525:** “Let Us Break Bread Together”*Spiritual*

HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation to the Table

Prayer of the People and Lord’s Prayer

Breaking of the Bread

Communion

Prayer after Communion

SENDING

***Hymn 826:** “Lift High the Cross”Nicholson

Benediction

UPCOMING SERMON: Join us for worship next week! Our sermon title will be “Relying on the Grace of Jesus” with scripture readings from Matthew 7:1-5. Bring a friend or friends to join us!