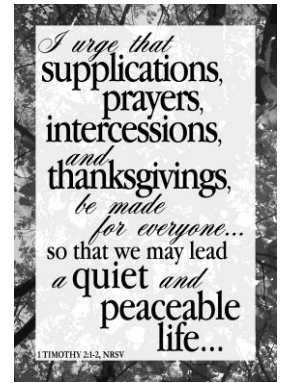


September 18, 2022

9:15 AM Common Thread Worship

The psalmist tells us: "From the rising of the sun to its setting,
the name of the Lord is to be praised" (Psalm 113:3, NRSV). So we gather to worship him now.
Welcome!



Welcome

Song – Agnus Dei

Alleluia, alleluia for the Lord God Almighty reigns!

Alleluia, alleluia for the Lord God Almighty reigns. Alleluia.

Holy, holy are you, Lord God Almighty. Worthy is the Lamb, worthy is the Lamb. Amen.

Alleluia, alleluia for the Lord God Almighty reigns!

Alleluia, alleluia for the Lord God Almighty reigns. Alleluia.

Holy, holy are you, Lord God Almighty. Worthy is the Lamb, worthy is the Lamb.

You are holy, holy are you, Lord God Almighty. Worthy is the Lamb, worthy is the Lamb.

Amen, Amen, Amen.

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Sharing Peace

Song – Only a God Like You

For the praises of man I will never, ever stand;

For the kingdoms of this world I'll never give my heart away or shout my praise;
my allegiance and devotion, my heart's desire and all emotion

go to serve the man who died upon that tree.

Only a God like You could be worthy of my praise, and all my hope and faith.

To only a King of all kings do I bow my knee and sing, give my ev'rything.

Only a God like You could be worthy of my praise, and all my hope and faith.

To only a King of all kings do I bow my knee and sing, give my ev'rything.

To only my Maker, my Father, my Savior, Redeemer, Restorer, Rebuilder, Rewarder;

To only a God like You do I give my praise.

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To only a God like You do I give my praise.

Only a God like You, only a God like You, only a God like You.

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To my Maker, my Father, my Savior, Redeemer, Restorer, Rebuilder, Rewarder;
To only a God like You do I give my praise.

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Prayer Time & Lord's Prayer

(To share your joys and concerns, you may email them to prayerrequests@stjamesraleigh.org, or you may use the provided prayer cards. Completed cards can be placed in the prayer box on the pedestal near the door.)

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Song – You Are

You are holy, You are faithful, You are Savior, You are friend;
You are all I'll ever need, Lord, You are.

You are ev'ry question's answer; You are ev'ry reason why;
You are moving, You are still, Lord, You are.

You are the Lord on high, You are the Way, the Truth, the Life;
You are the Word made flesh, You are the Bright Morning Star, You are.

You are "Glory, Hallelujah!" You are hope of peace on earth;
You are Alpha and Omega, You are.

You are comfort, You are refuge, You are love personified;
You are kindness and compassion, You are.

You are the Lord on high, You are the Way, the Truth, the Life;
You are the Word made flesh, You are the Bright Morning Star,
Leader: You are.

All: You are my God and King, You are the words that I sing,
You are the reason I make this offering.
You are my God and my King, You are the words that I sing,
You are the reason I make this offering.

You are the Lord on high, You are the Way, the Truth, the Life;
You are the Word made flesh, You are the Bright Morning Star,
And You are the word made flesh, You are the Bright Morning Star;

Leader: You are.

All: You are my God and King, You are the words that I sing,
You are the reason I make this offering.
You are my God and my King, You are the words that I sing,
You are the reason I make this offering.

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Scripture Lesson – 1 Timothy 2: 1-7

First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for every-one, for kings and all who are in high positions, so that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godli-ness and dignity. This is right and acceptable before God our Savior, who desires everyone to be saved and

to come to the knowledge of the truth. For there is one God; there is also one mediator between God and humankind, Christ Jesus, himself human, who gave himself a ransom for all —this was attested at the right time. For this I was appointed a herald and an apostle (I am telling the truth; I am not lying), a teacher of the gentiles in faith and truth.

Message – All Are Worthy

Song – Revelation Song

Worthy is the Lamb Who was slain. Holy, holy is He.
Sing a new song to Him who sits on heaven's mercy seat.
Worthy is the Lamb Who was slain. Holy, holy is He.
Sing a new song to Him who sits on heaven's mercy seat.

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty, Who was, and is and is to come.
With all creation I sing praise to the King of kings.
You are my everything and I will adore You.

Clothed in rainbows of living color, flashes of lightning, rolls of thunder,
blessing and honor, strength and glory and power be to You, the only wise King.
Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty, Who was, and is and is to come.
With all creation I sing praise to the King of kings.
You are my everything and I will adore You.

Filled with wonder, awestruck wonder, at the mention of Your name.
Jesus, Your name is power, breath and living water, such a marv'lous mystery.
Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty, Who was and is and is to come.
With all creation I sing praise to the King of kings.
You are my ev'rything, and I will adore you.
Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty, Who was and is and is to come.
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Blessing & Sending Out

Sharing Offerings

Out to Discipleship, and Into the World to Serve

What to know this week ...

Calendar this week:

- Sun, 9/18 UMYF, 4PM in Montague Hall
Worship Team, 4PM in Room 12
Nominations Committee, 6PM in Room 12
NA Meeting, 7PM in Saints Hall
- Mon, 9/19 Staff Meeting, 10AM in Library
SeniorTechEd Open Help Workshop, 1:30PM in Room 12
- Tues, 9/20 Library Committee, 9AM in the Library
SeniorTechEd "Cut the Cable:", 1PM in Room 12
- Wed, 9/21 Coffee & Conversation, 11:30AM at Captain Stanley's*
Choir rehearsal, 6PM in Sanctuary
- Thurs, 9/22 BBQ Set-up, 4PM in Carson Hall, Saints Hall & Kitchen
Beginning Uke (grades 2-6), 5:45PM in Music Room
Beginning Uke (grade 7-adult), 6:15PM in Music Room
Common Thread Band rehearsal, 7PM in Carson Hall
- Fri, 9/23 **Annual BBQ Fundraiser, 11AM-7PM ***
- Sat, 9/24 Produce Packing, 9AM in Carson Hall*

Welcome to our visitors! Thank you for worshipping with us at St. James; we're glad to have you here! If you would like to get updates on what's going on at St. James, just send your contact information, including email, to Martha Brown (office@stjamesraleigh.org) and she'll add you to our weekly email and monthly newsletter lists.

***Coffee & Conversation**, our St. James widows group, will meet Wednesday, September 21 at Captain Stanley's (3333 S. Wilmington St.) at 11:30AM. Contact Peggy Biggers (919-872-1800 or biggers11@aol.com) if you plan to attend or need transportation.

***BBQ is Friday & we still need help!!** We particularly need volunteers to help with both the inside serving and outside distribution for the 1:30-4:30PM shift and cleanup at 7:30PM. Many hands make light work! Sign up online at <https://tinyurl.com/2022-BBQ-Volunteers> to help set up, serve, distribute, clean up, or provide brownies for the BBQ. And don't forget to contact Sharon Johnson (wjohnson99@mindspring.com) to place your pre-orders!

***Join us for fellowship and mission** as we pack produce and Backpack Buddies bags on Saturday, September 24 at 9AM. We'll meet in Carson Hall and have fun while we work together! Sign up online at <https://tinyurl.com/Produce-Packing> for September 24 &/or October 8.

Fall ASP Opportunity Date Change: Our planned dates for our fall adult Appalachia Service Project trip are **October 13-16**. Please contact Sherry Bennett (252-955-2387) or Barb Murphy (919-792-8211) by September 30 if you have questions or would like to join our team!