

Worshiping Him Whom God Raised Up!

OCTOBER 22, 2017
10:30 AM

PRELUDE

Carol Conner, piano

WELCOME

Reverend Russell St. John, Lead Pastor

WE PREPARE OUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

Prudence Barker, violin; Laura Quinn, cello; Ben Dodd & Frank McGuigan, trumpet;
Beth Pritchett & Will Barker, trombone; Carrie Smith, piano

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God, my Father;
There is no shadow of turning with thee.
Thou changest not, thy compassions, they fail not.
As Thou hast been thou forever wilt be.
Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see;
All I have needed thy hand hath provided.
Great is Thy faithfulness, LORD, unto me!

***GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP** Psalm 89:1-4

Reverend Bill Myers

Pastor: I will sing of the steadfast love of the LORD, forever;
People: **With my mouth I will make known your faithfulness to all generations.**
Pastor: For I said, “Steadfast love will be built up forever;
People: **In the heavens you will establish your faithfulness.”**
Pastor: You have said, “I have made a covenant with my chosen one; I have sworn to
David my servant:
All: **‘I will establish your offspring forever, and build your throne for
all generations.’”**

***WE PROCLAIM HIS FAITHFULNESS!**

My Song Forever Shall Record

1. My song for - ev - er shall re - cord the ten - der
2. I sing of mer - cies that en - dure, for ev - er
3. Be - hold God's truth and grace dis - played, for he has
4. "For him my mer - cy shall en - dure, my cov-'nant
5. All glo - ry un - to God we yield, Je - ho - ah

mer - cies of the Lord: your faith - ful - ness will I pro -
build - ed firm and sure, of faith - ful - ness that nev - er
faith - ful cov - 'nant made, and He has sworn that Da - vid's
made with him is sure; his throne and race I will main -
is our help and shield; all praise and hon - or we will

claim, and ev - every age shall know your name.
dies, es - tab - lished change - less in the skies.
son shall ev - er sit up - on his throne.
tain for - ev - er, while the heav'ns re - main."
bring to Is - rael's Ho - ly One, our King.

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***WE INVOKE HIS PRESENCE**

GOD EXPOSES OUR NEED Acts 4:8-11

Reverend Russell St. John, Lead Pastor

Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, “Rulers of the people and elders, if we are being examined today concerning a good deed done to a crippled man, by what means this man has been healed, let it be known to all of you and to all the people of Israel that by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead –by him this man is standing before you well. This Jesus is the stone that was rejected by you, the builders, which has become the cornerstone.

WE CONFESS OUR SIN

CHRIST PROVIDES FOR OUR NEED Acts 4:12

And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved.”

***WE SING, HALLELUJAH, WHAT A SAVIOR! NO. 498** *Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners!*

Carrie Smith, piano; Chris Barker, Ariana Stout, guitar; Rod Cunningham, bass;
Greg Wagener, drums

GOD CONFERS SACRAMENTAL GRACE John 1:12-13

Luke Daniel Kendrick, son of Dan & Amy

To all who did receive him, who believed in his name he gave the right to become children of God, who were born, not of blood nor of the will of the flesh nor of the will of man, but of God.

***WE SING TO GOD ALONE BE GLORY!**

Soli Deo Gloria

1. We re - solve to know__ no - thing else__ but
2. We re - solve to live__ for no - thing else__ but

Je - sus Christ. Je - sus Christ,__ and him cru - ci - fied.__ We re -
Je - sus Christ. To know the One__ who is our life.__ We re -

solve to know__ no - thing else__ but Je - sus Christ the
solve to live__ by no - thing but__ your Word a - lone, your

Lamb of God, and our sac - ri - fice.__ To come to God__ by__ grace
strength a - lone, for your will a - lone.__ To make our goal__ to please you -

- a - lone,__ through faith a - lone in his blood__ spill'd for us,__ sing - ing
- a - lone,__ wor - ship you a - lone, our God__ and our King,__ sing - ing

So - li De - o Glo - ri - a.__ To God a - lone__ be glo - ry, to

God a - lone__ be glo - ry. Sing - ing So - li De - o Glo - ri - a.__ To

God a - lone be glo - ry, to God a - lone__ be glo - ry__ in Jesus Christ.__

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WE INVOKE HIS HELP Psalm 145:10-11, 13b, 18

Jeff Scheibe, Elder

All your works shall give thanks to you, O LORD, and all your saints shall bless you!
They shall speak of the glory of your kingdom and tell of your power. The LORD is faithful in all his words and kind in all his works. The LORD is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth.

GOD CALLS US TO STEWARDSHIP 1 Chronicles 16:29a

Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering and come before him!

WE GIVE OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

WE PREPARE FOR GOD'S WORD! *Worthy Is the Lamb!* From "Messiah"

Sanctuary Choir

Worthy is the Lamb that was slain, and hath redeemed us to God by His blood,
To receive power, and riches, and wisdom, and strength,
And honor, and glory, and blessing.

Blessing and honor, glory and pow'r be unto Him, be unto Him
That sitteth upon the throne and unto the Lamb,
Forever and ever, and unto the Lamb forever.

Blessing and honor, glory and pow'r be unto Him, be unto Him.
Blessing, honor, glory and power be unto Him
That sitteth upon the throne and unto the Lamb,
Forever, forever and ever and ever, forever and ever!

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Children and Children's Church Teachers please come forward **AFTER** the Offertory
PreK & Kindergarten (Room 102 - downstairs) **1st -3rd grade** (Children's Chapel)

GOD PROCLAIMS HIS WORD Reverend Russell St. John, Lead Pastor

SERMON SERIES Acts: No Other Name

SCRIPTURE TEXT Acts 2:22-32 | page 910

SERMON TITLE *The Truth about Jesus*

***WE SING ALLELUIA, ALLELUIA, ALLELUIA!**

Now Let the Vault of Heav'n Resound

1. Now let the vault of Heav'n re - sound In praise of love that does a -
 2. E - ter - nal is the gift He brings, Where - fore our heart with rap - ture
 3. O fill us, Lord, with daunt - less love; Set heart and will on things a -
 4. A - dor - ing prais - es now we bring And with the heav'n - ly bless - ed

bound, "Christ has tri - umphed! Al - le - lu - ia!" Sing, choirs of an - gels, loud and
 sings, "Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!" Now does He come and give us
 bove That we con - quer through Thy tri - umph, Grant grace suf - fic - ient for life's
 sing, "Christ has tri - umphed! Al - le - lu - ia!" Be to the Fa - ther, and our

clear, Re - peat their song of glo - ry here, "Christ has tri - umphed! Christ has
 life, Now does His pre - sence still all strife "Christ has tri - umphed! He is
 day That by our life we e - ver say, "Christ has tri - umphed! He is
 Lord, To Spir - it blest, most ho - ly God, Thine the glo - ry, nev - er

tri - umphed!" Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
 liv - ing!" Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
 liv - ing!" Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
 end - ing! Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

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***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**

**This is Bob & Deena Stuart's last Sunday with us.
Come join us for a Farewell Congregational Lunch
immediately following the service.
Bob has served as the Pastor of Shepherding and Leadership
for the last 2 years and he and Deena will be moving to Alabama.**

**This year marks the 500th Anniversary of the Protestant Reformation.
Many of the PCA churches in the Missouri Presbytery
will celebrate and worship together with full choir and orchestra.
Come worship with us on Sunday, October 29, at 6:00 PM
in our Sanctuary at Twin Oaks.
Nursery is available for children ages 4 and under.
Please register your children for the Nursery on-line at our website:
www.twinoakschurch.org**

The Truth about Jesus

Russell St. John, Lead Pastor

Acts 2:22-32 | page 910 in pew Bible

How did Peter teach his fellow Jews the truth about Jesus?

1. Peter Affirmed what they Already Knew
2. Peter Completed what they Partially Knew
3. Peter Explained what they Never Knew

*Congregation please rise

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Fall Adult Sunday School - 9:00 AM

Reformation 500: A Brief History| John Myers| Room 213 A & B

October 30th, 2017 marks the 500th anniversary of Martin Luther sparking the Protestant Reformation by posting his 95 Theses on the church door in Wittenberg Germany. We'll discover the Who, the What, the Why and the Where of the Reformation. Who were the key players? How did politics come into play? Philosophy? Anabaptists, Huguenots, Puritans - where did they come from? We'll explore how the expansion of the Protestant Reformation came to impact the New World and how the Roman Catholic church reacted to all this.

Reformation: The Theology of John Calvin| Dr. Robert Peterson| Lecture Hall

What was special about the theology of the Reformation? As we survey the life and teachings of John Calvin, we'll discover what he believed concerning a host of doctrines (union with Christ, the Christian life, last things, and much more!). We'll study Calvin's Institutes of the Christian Religion; acknowledging Calvin's debt to Luther and highlighting where his teaching diverged from that great Father of the Reformation.

Pressing In & Reaching Out| Rev. Scott Kerens, Andy Iversen, Darren DeGroot| Community Parlor

Building on the Local Missions Conference, this class will cover the five specific "Pressing In, Reaching Out" challenges. Class leaders will guide the class through presentation, discussion, and application of material so that each participant leaves with specific ways to grow in God's mission locally. Grow your faith by "Pressing In & Reaching Out"!

Twin Oaks Leaf Raking Day

The annual Leaf Raking Day is scheduled for Saturday, November 11, from 8:00 am -12:00 pm

You can sign-up on Sundays, October 22, 29, and November 5 in the link. Sign-ups will also be taken during Wednesday evening dinners on October 25, and November 1 and 8.

Have your work gloves, rakes, leaf blowers, and mowers ready to accomplish some Kingdom work and refresh your brothers and sisters at the same time!

Questions? Contact Carson Carrington at 314.249.3957

Twin Oaks Church News and Events

Shining the spotlight on Jesus Christ through biblically grounded worship, discipleship, and outreach.

1230 Big Bend Rd. Ballwin MO 63021

PHONE 636.861.1870 / **FAX** 636.861.1613 / **WEB** www.twinoakschurch.org

- **Mix It Up October!** As part of the local missions conference, we are encouraging each one of you to sit in a different pew each Sunday in October and be curious about those sitting around you. Also in Sunday School or Wednesday dinner, make an effort to sit with those you don't know. Get to know someone new!
- **October Weekly Challenge for TODAY:** Pressing In - Dig deeper in discipleship: invite someone new to your community group. Ask God who you can invest more deeply in. Reaching Out - Pencil in to your calendar: one date to make plans with a non-Christian friend & get to know them better.
- **Desserts and Decorations** Ladies join us Thursday Nov. 2nd from 6:30-8:00 pm in the fellowship hall. Marilyn McCoy will demonstrate centerpiece making and walk us through how to plan a party, all while keeping our table focused on Christ. Don't forget to bring at least 3 yards of wired lined ribbon! Cost is \$5.00 for adults. 16 and under are free. Pay at the door. Contact Chandra for questions 314.650.7701
- **Golden Oaks Luncheon** October 26th the Golden Oaks will have a luncheon catered by Zia's on the Hill at 12:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. The guest speaker will be Barb Kay, who will be portraying Katharina Von Bora, the wife of Martin Luther, leader of the Protestant Reformation. Cost is \$10.00 at the door. Call Martha at 636.527.8721 or Jane at 636.530.6985 to reserve your spot.
- **Tuesday Women's Bible Study** The morning study is Colossians & Philemon and meets from 9:15 to 11:30 am through December 5th. A children's program is offered for those Pre-K and younger. The evening study is Colossians using a study guide written by our own Dr. Bob Stuart. The evening study meets from 6:30 to 7:45 pm through November 14th. Register online at twinoakschurch.org/wbs.
- **Student Ministry Job Opening** The Student Ministry is looking to hire a part-time Associate Director of Student Ministry. The position will focus on girls' discipleship along with the administrative tasks of the ministry. If you are interested contact David Barnes at 901.207.0835 or dbarnes@twinoakschurch.org.

- **Awana** Wednesday nights from 6:30-8:00 pm. Register at twinoakschurch.org or come to the registration table on Wednesday night. Invite your friends, classmates, neighbors & family to join us! Contact Iva Vogan or Brian Ter Maat at 314.808.4740 with questions.
- **Student Ministry Volunteers needed!** If you venture downstairs to the Student Center on Wednesday nights, you will find 30 to 50 6th-12th graders studying the Bible, worshipping in song & playing games. What's missing? YOU! We need adult volunteers! Come hang out with us and display the love of Christ! Contact David Barnes at 901.207.0835 or dbarnes@twinoakschurch.org.
- **Pete & Dagi Smuts** (Bible Institute of South Africa) will be in the states for a brief furlough December 19 - February 20, 2018. They would like to borrow a car while they are here. If you can help, contact the mission office.

Twin Oaks Christian School News

PHONE 636.861.1901 / **WEB** www.twinoakschristianschool.org

BLOG twinoakschristianschool.wordpress.com

- **Earlycare Program** is in need of a supervisor. The early morning commitment makes it a difficult position to fill. It involves availability from 6:50 to 8:05, signing in the children and monitoring their play. They enjoy playing in the gym and have scooters, balls and games available to use. Please contact Sherry Blough at sblough@twinoaksschool.org or 636.861.1901 to discuss availability & pay.
- **Substitute Teachers** Twin Oaks Christian School is seeking to expand our substitute teacher list. Please submit an application to sblough@twinoaksschool.org. For more information and the application, visit twinoakschristianschool.org/ourschool/employment Pay is \$75.00/day.
- **Celebration 45 Gala** Interested in hosting a table of 10 people at our Celebration 45 Gala on November 9th at Ballpark Village? If so, please contact Rachel Stain through the school office (636-861-1901). If you want to attend the event but don't want to host a table, Rachel can send you an invitation and help seat you with a group! We're still looking for businesses to sponsor this event as well. If you or someone you know would like to run an advertisement in our program and receive various other promotional opportunities, please notify Rachel Stain.
- **Prayer requests:** for the Lord to lead to the new Head of School, for fund raising goals to be reached to care for the needs of the school, for the Earlycare position to be filled, and for parent conferences to proceed smoothly Tuesday and Wednesday evenings next week.

Twin Oaks Weekly Calendar

DATE	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION	CONTACT
SUN. OCT. 22	8:00-8:45 AM	Sunday Morning Prayer	Community Parlor	Church Office
	9:00 AM	Sunday School	Lecture Hall/Rm 213	Church Office
	9:45-10:15 AM	Sing! Jr.	Children's Chapel	Wendy Myers
	10:30 AM	Worship/Children's Church	Sanctuary	Church Office
	12:00 PM	Farewell Congregational Lunch for Bob & Deena Stuart	Reception Hall	Church Office
TUES. OCT. 24	9:15-11:30 AM	Women's Bible Study	Lecture Hall	Church Office
	6:30-7:45 PM	Women's Bible Study	Fellowship Hall	Church Office
	6:30-8:30 PM	College Community Group	Community Parlor	Andy Iversen
WED. OCT. 25	5:15-6:30 PM	Fellowship Dinner	Reception Hall	Church Office
	6:00-6:30 PM	Sing! Jr	Lecture Hall	Wendy Myers
	6:30-8:00 PM	Awana - PreK - 5th Grade	Gym	Iva Vogan
	6:30-8:00 PM	ESL Tutoring	Room 213	Kyrstan Langer
	6:30-8:30 PM	Sanctuary Choir	Choir Room	Wendy Myers
	6:30-8:00 PM	Student Ministry - 6th-12th Grade	Student Center	David Barnes
THURS. OCT. 26	12:00 PM	Golden Oaks Luncheon	Fellowship Hall	Martha Hanson 636.527.8721
FRI. OCT. 27	7:00-8:00 AM	Men's Bible Study	The Shack 13465 Big Bend Rd.	Scott Kerens
	7:00-8:00 AM	Men's Bible Study	Uncle Bill's 14201 Manchester	Bill Myers 636.579.1173

Important Upcoming Events

DATE	EVENT	CONTACT
OCT. 29	Missouri Presbytery Reformation Service - 6:00 pm	Church Office
NOV. 2	Desserts and Decorations	Chandra Fessler 314.650.7701
NOV. 11	Leaf Raking Day	Carson Carrington 314.249.3957

Deac of the Week: Today 10/22/17: **Shawn Perry 314.800.3271**
Beginning 10/23/17: **Carson Carrington 314.249.3957**

Prayers & Praises

OCTOBER 22, 2017

Jesus Is the Resurrection and the Life!

Harold Biebel (husband of Betty Biebel) went home to be with the Lord on October 13. Pray for comfort for Betty.

Praise & Thanksgiving!

Rick DiMisa had successful cataract surgery on both eyes.

For the Congregation—

Joe and Barb Gurney “church members of the day.”

Doug Dorsey complete healing of finger, following surgery on September 28 with 6 weeks of rehab.

Ruth Sprague broken arm; recovering at Surrey Place.

Robert Peterson wisdom and time for writing book on assurance of salvation.

Norm Reed healing from neck surgery on October 11.

Don McCoy healing from eye surgery on October 4.

Don Larson for health issues.

Becca Fox surgery to correct digestive issue on Nov. 2. Pray for successful procedure and quick recovery.

Margie Gehm healing from severe back issues.

Alexander Provinse healing from ruptured appendix.

Congregation In Cancer Care—

Lori Simms, Earl Wells, Kathy Steinert, Marge Jurgenson, Dayna Osborne, Ron Drapalik

Home Care, Skilled Care—

Carol Fruits (Delmar Gardens North)

For Friends and Loved Ones—

Pauline Nevills (mother of Lynn Creason) complete healing for her foot, leg, and infection in the bone.

Mark Razien (father of Amanda Compton) diagnosed with rare lung disease. Pray for salvation and healing.

Carroll (father of Ed Cassidy) for salvation.

Geoff Camp (son of Janine Frogge) for salvation.

Cherie (daughter of Marcie Buck) has a blood vessel issue in eye; prayer that source of inflammation will be found so proper treatment may begin.

Jim (friend of Peter Lilley) triple bypass surgery.

Beth Witte (friend of Steve Brewer) suffering from diverticulitis.

Mike Jones (friend of Gary Talley) will have immunotherapy for one year. Pray for successful treatment and for salvation.

Oct. 25, 2017

Menu: Chicken Pot Pie,
Tossed Green Salad,
Sister Schubert Rolls, Apple Crisp

Name: _____

Number Attending: _____

PRAYER REQUEST

NAME

FOR PASTORS/ELDERS ONLY FOR SUNDAY PRAYER CARD

PLEASE REGISTER YOUR ATTENDANCE

OCTOBER 22, 2017: 10:30AM

MR. MRS. REV. DR. MISS MS. LAST _____ FIRST _____

AGE _____ OR CHECK "AGE GROUP" 18-22 23-29 30-39 40-54 55-64 65-74 75+

SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED

REGULAR ATTENDER TWIN OAKS CHURCH MEMBER

VISITORS AND/OR CHANGED INFORMATION

ADDRESS _____ NAME _____ AGE _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP _____ NAME _____ AGE _____

HOME NO. _____ CELL NO. _____ NAME _____ AGE _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____ NAME _____ AGE _____

CHILDREN IN ATTENDANCE

THIS IS A NEW ADDRESS/PHONE FIRST TIME VISITOR INTERESTED IN TWIN OAKS CHURCH

WOULD LIKE TO KNOW MORE ABOUT BECOMING A CHRISTIAN

THANK YOU FOR WORSHIPING WITH US TODAY!

For Friends and Loved Ones in Cancer Care—

Kim Orear (daughter-in-law of Tom & Connie); **Helen Vincent** (friend of the Blough family); **Les Brewer** (father of Steve Brewer); **Siegfried Lauterback** (friend of Mike Piles); **Denise Miller** (friend of John & Kathy Whaley); **Clete** (father of Colby Geile); **Martha Henley** (daughter of Dan & Mary Salomon); **Darlene** (friend of Betty Thompson); **David Shaffer** (friend of Shirley Benz); **Sue Polson**; **Eva Verghese** (friend of Gary & Linda Talley); **Beverly Brent** (friend of Merrill Peterson); **Bob Wahl** (friend of Wendy Bellville); **Craig Brayton** (brother-in-law of Merrill Peterson)

For Our Missionaries—

Hatem & Lisa for gospel fruit from the *Jesus Story*, a 13 episode TV program & the Spirit's leading in follow up interaction with viewers.

For Our Life Team—

Pray for the media, that their eyes will be opened and they will inform the public truthfully. Hosea 4:6a

For the Military—

Brady Palmer (great nephew of Gary Fisher)Afghanistan; **Garron Palmer** (great nephew of Gary Fisher) Marines; **Joshua Roby** (w. Lisa) Army; **Ezra Akin** (w. Abby) US Marine PhD program for Operations Research, Monterey, CA; **Micah Akin** (w. Robin) Marines, Pentagon, DC; **Matthew McKeegan** (w. Katie); **Aaron Nielsen**, Navy; **Joey Acevez** (stepson of Steve Brewer) Navy Personnel Command, Millington, TN; **Mark Benz** (grandson of Shirley Benz); **Dusty Hodges** (brother-in-law of Carol & Dennis Scanio) Army; **Andrew Prouty** (w. Amanda) Army, Ft. Stewart, GA; **Daniel Prouty**, Navy; **Andrew Porter** (grandson of Esh & Betty) Army, Germany; **William Blome**, Kuwait, Army; **Skylar West** (step-sister of Tiffany Bates) Navy; **Michael McClune** (son of Scott & Myrna) Air Force; **Kevin Lutker** (son-in-law of Scott & Myrna McClune) Air Force; **Marcus Porwoll** (w. Rebecca) Navy; **Yuriy Peacock**, Army. **Pray for the PCA Chaplains, families and loved ones of military personnel.**

For Special Needs—

David Edmondson; Sydney Duvall; Anna Rose; Alexander Provinse; Jack Bellagamba; Elise Miserocchi

Looking for Work in Their Field—

Keith Schrieber (sales, management, etc); **Craig Creason** (engineering); **Dayna Osborne** (that God would grow her counseling practice.)

Please submit prayer requests, hospitalizations, births, and deaths by calling 636.861.1870 or emailing to sreynolds@twinoakchurch.org