

OLD UNION PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

January 29, 2023, 11:00 AM

PRELUDE (Time for preparation)

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 89:1-2

*HYMN "Soon and Very Soon" #551

*CONFESSION OF SIN: "Lord God, nearly every day our hearts break because of the news: violence and warfare, poverty and prejudice, narrow-mindedness and arrogance. But in our quiet moments of humble reflection, we discover these same traits within ourselves. We cannot heal, and your world cannot heal, without your gracious intervention. We gather today to confess our deep need for the grace you freely offer in Jesus' name. Amen."

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON 2 Chronicles 7:14

*GLORIA PATRI (Song of Praise) #623

SPECIAL MUSIC

NEW TESTAMENT (Unison): Acts 18:1-11

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON: Genesis 28:10-17

CHILDREN'S TIME

*HYMN "Now I Belong to Jesus" #511

SERMON "Dreams of Courage"

*HYMN "Shepherd of Love" #464

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

TIME FOR PERSONAL PRAYER

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER (back cover of hymnal)

OFFERING

*DOXOLOGY (Song of Dedication) #626

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*APOSTLES CREED (back cover of hymnal)

*BENEDICTION (Closing Blessing) Revelation 3:20
(Response: "...And build each other up.")

*CLOSING SONG "Day by Day" #55
(* If you are able, please stand.)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Nancy K. will lead this morning's Scripture readings.

Helping Hands will meet after worship today.

A year-end summary report of the church's finances is available in the lobby. Speak with Dick C. if you'd like a more thorough report.

Speak with Ralph J. if you would like to "adopt" one of our mission projects by agreeing to provide at least \$350 in support during the coming year. You can a list of our available mission projects on the bulletin board in the lobby.

Fundraising Committee will be meeting after worship today.

The Evans City Food Bank is requesting toothpaste and soap for February.

Special Prayers of Concern:

Bonnie S.
Louise S.
Jim P.
Betty L.
Joan T.
Howard B.
Dolly K.
Rose F.
Josh H.

Mission Co-Workers:

Adeney-Risakotta, Farsijana, Indonesia

Military:

Jeremy H.
Matthew David M.
Justin T.
Scott F.
Frank D.
Michael S.
Glen P.
Will B.
Jacob H.
Christian C.
Ryan W.
Hunter M.
Christopher H.
Arthur B.
Kevin E.
Danner C.
Daniel B.
Spencer K.
Alex T.