

PRELUDE

WORD OF WELCOME

Rev. Dr. Carl Grosse

CALL TO WORSHIP

Jack Thomas

Leader: The LORD counsels those who honor Him,

All: **God makes His covenant known to them.**

Leader: My eyes are always looking to the LORD,

All: **For God will free my feet from the snare.**

*HYMN

And Can It Be

Hymnal #347 (Verses 1 & 3)

Verse 1: And can it be that I should gain An int'rest in the Savior's blood?
Died He for me, who caused His pain? For me, who Him to death pursued?
Amazing love! how can it be That Thou, my God, shouldst die for me?
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Verse 3: Long my imprisoned spirit lay Fast bound in sin and nature's night;
Thine eye diffused a quickening ray, I woke, the dungeon flamed with light.
My chains fell off, my heart was free. I rose, went forth and followed Thee.
Amazing love! how can it be That Thou, my God, shouldst die for me?

RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP

Jack Thomas

Please sign and pass the friendship register located on the center aisle under the pew in front.

CALL TO CONFESSION

Jack Thomas

Leader: Jesus said, “Joy breaks out in the presence of God’s angels over one sinner who changes both heart and life.” Let’s admit we need to change and confess our sin to God.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

All: **Holy and merciful God, in Your presence we confess our failure to be what You created us to be. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from Your ways, in wasting Your gifts, in forgetting Your love. By Your loving mercy, help us to live in Your light and abide in Your ways, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior, AMEN.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Jack Thomas

Leader: Once you were no people, but now you are God’s people; once you were without mercy, but now you have received mercy. In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

*GLORIA PATRI

All: **Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost,
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,
World without end. AMEN. AMEN.**

PASSING THE PEACE

Jack Thomas

Leader: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all

All: **And also with you**

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

ANTHEM

Just Imagine

Arr. Berry

Ft. George Hill, Piano & Nancy Wells, Director

Just imagine a city made of gold. Imagine the day when the Father's radiant glory we'll behold.

Imagine a time when there will be no crying, no more pain. Imagine when Jesus comes again.

Imagine a place where there's no more night, where the glory of God will forever shine with eternal light.

We'll gather 'round the throne of the great I am! What glory when Jesus comes again!

The trumpet will sound and the dead in Christ will all be raised. He will come in the twinkling of an eye;

and then those who believe in Him as Savior and Lord will be caught up to meet Him in the sky.

Just imagine what glory that will be on that day when our precious Savior's face we will see.

We will bow before the throne, singing praises to the Lamb. What glory when Jesus comes again!

Imagine when Jesus comes again, comes again!

FAITHFUL FRIENDS

Children ages 5 through 8th grade are dismissed at this time for children's worship.

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

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SCRIPTURE READING

Daniel 3:14-30

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SERMON

"Lead Us Not Into Temptation"

Rev. Dr. Carl Grosse

*HYMN

What a Friend We Have In Jesus

Hymnal #630

Verse 1: What a friend we have in Jesus, all our sins and griefs to bear!

What a privilege to carry everything to God in prayer!

O what peace we often forfeit, O what needless pain we bear,

all because we do not carry everything to God in prayer!

Verse 2: Have we trials and temptations? Is there trouble anywhere?

We should never be discouraged; take it to the Lord in prayer!

Can we find a friend so faithful who will all our sorrows share?

Jesus knows our every weakness; take it to the Lord in prayer!

Verse 3: Are we weak and heavy laden, cumbered with a load of care?

Precious Savior, still our refuge-- take it to the Lord in prayer!

Do your friends despise, forsake you? Take it to the Lord in prayer!

In his arms he'll take and shield thee; Thou wilt find a solace there.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

All: **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 debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. AMEN.**

CALL FOR OFFERING

Jack Thomas

Leader: Let's thank God with our offerings.

OFFERTORY

Great is Thy Faithfulness

Sikes

*DOXOLOGY

All: **Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost.**

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Rev. Dr. Carl Grosse

*HYMN

More About Jesus

Hymnal #560 (Verses 1 & 2)

Verse 1: More about Jesus would I know, More of His grace to others show;
More of His saving fullness see, More of His love who died for me. *Refrain*

Verse 2: More about Jesus let me learn, More of His holy will discern;
Spirit of God, my teacher be, Showing the things of Christ to me. *Refrain*

Refrain: More, more about Jesus, More, more about Jesus;
More of His saving fullness see, More of His love who died for me..

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

Rev. Dr. Carl Grosse

*CONGREGATIONAL BENEDICTION

All: **Make us one, Lord, make us one; Holy Spirit, make us one.
Let Your love flow so the world will know, we are one in You.**

POSTLUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sanctuary Flowers are given in honor of Susan and Tom Dillard's 50th wedding anniversary.

All Saints Sunday: All Saints' Day is a time to rejoice in all who through the ages have faithfully served the Lord. The day reminds us that we are part of one continuing, living communion of saints. Join us next Sunday as we remember the saints of FCPC that have passed within the last year.

F3: Family, Faith, Food: Join us for the final evening of F3 this fall- be sure to sign up using the link in the Weekly Word or the signup sheet located in your pew.

Trunk or Treat: It's spooky season! Join us as we invite the Fountain City Community to our parking lot *tonight* for a night of Trunk or Treat. We will provide hot dogs, chips, water and lemonade and would ask that the attendees bring dessert for a dessert buffet and candy to hand out.

Youth Parent Meeting will take place on November 17th immediately following worship to update youth information and plan for the new year. All parents of FCPC Youth should plan on attending.

Fall Festival: Thank you to everyone that attended the Fall Festival, especially, the Robertson, Ownby and Nolen families for planning and hosting a terrific event!

JAHREZEIT

10/27/77 Jessie Gouffon, 10/28/81 Paul Johnson, 11/2/81 Floyd Pollard, 10/28/92 Edwin Shelley, 10/29/03 Bonnie West, 10/31/21 Jim Giffin

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

10/27 Ben Cartledge, 10/28 Bob Eubanks, Shelley Miller, Lori Lufkin, 10/31 Tony Mosley, 11/1 Kim Tuk, 11/2 Zachary Tuk, Susan and Tom Dillard

THANK YOU TO THOSE SERVING IN WORSHIP

Liturgist.....Meghan Tidwell
Greeters.....Darlene Miller & Barbara Riehl
Ushers.....Shelley Miller, Brett Miller, Teresa Brittain, Bedford Chapman
Music.....FCPC Chancel Choir
Tech Team.....Mac Holland, Thomas Rader, Brett Miller, Debbie Hawkins
Faithful Friends (Children's Worship).....Susan Espiritu, April Lamb
Nursery.....Laurismar Wrinkle, Laura Marquez



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