HYMN NOTES:
“Take Thou Our Minds, Dear Lord (707)
In the summer of 1918 Calvin Laufer was attending a youth conference at Emporia College in Kansas. The young people asked that he write a hymn particularly for them. He was able to come up with a tune, but could not succeed at producing a text. A few weeks later at a chance meeting aboard a train to a similar conference, he met another Presbyterian minister, William Foulkes, and shared his dilemma concerning the hymn text. Foulkes asked to try his hand at it and by that evening had the first three stanzas which they shared and sang at that conference.

CHILDREN’S MINISTRY NEWS

8:15 AM CHILDREN’S CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
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9:30 AM CHILDREN’S CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
3 Yr. Olds-VPK (15/16 School Year), Room 3 with Joan & Aly Tobiassen.

Kindergarten- 2nd Grades, Room 2
Students will start and stay in their classroom for the Sunday school hour with Alice & Charles Ellis.

3rd-5th Grades, Room 8
Students gather to worship at the beginning of the service with their teachers, in the front Sanctuary rows, closest to the band. After the Prayers of Joys & Concerns, they will move to room 8 with Stephen Cantin & Justine Ruiz.

11:00 AM CHILDREN’S CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
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Parents, if you wish for your children to receive communion please have them remain with you in the worship service on Communion Sundays. If you have any questions regarding the process, please contact Elder Dawn Winder, Chair of Worship Team.

9:30 AM MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
On the 1st Sunday we will meet in the Ignite service to enjoy worship and communion together. Middle and High Sunday School will be in the Youth Room on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sundays.

ADULT CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
Sunday morning adult education classes will resume in September. Please look for other adult Christian education opportunities on our announcement insert.
*HYMN #307 “God of Grace and God of Glory” CWM RHONDDA

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINUTE FOR MISSION Justine Ruisz, Director of Children’s Ministries

*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST (together)

HOLY and WORTHY God, hear our prayer. Help us to be different – less judging, less selfish, less greedy; more hopeful, more graceful, more trustful. We would be different, if you would come into our hearts and cleanse them; if you would open our hands and direct them; if you would move our minds and feet to follow you. We would be different, if you will change us, help us to learn and grow in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*CONEGREGATIONAL RESPONSE #581 GLORIA PATRI

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.

THE TEN COMMANDMENTS (together)

God spoke all these words, saying I am the Lord your God, which has brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage. You shall have no other gods but me. You shall not make unto you any graven images. You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain. You shall remember the Sabbath and keep it holy. Honor your mother and father. You shall not murder. You shall not commit adultery. You shall not steal. You shall not bear false witness. You shall not covet anything that belongs to your neighbor.

SOLO “Lord, Here Am I” John Ness Beck

Michele White, Soprano

Master, Thou callest, I gladly obey; only direct me, and I’ll find Thy way. Teach me the mission appointed for me, what is my labor, and where it shall be.

Master, Thou callest, and this I reply, “Ready and willing, Lord, here am I.”

Willing, my Savior, to take up the cross; willing to suffer reproaches and loss; willing to follow, if Thou wilt but lead: only support me with grace in my need. Master, Thou callest, and this I reply, “Ready and willing, Lord, here am I.”

LIVING or dying, I still would be Thine, yet I am mortal while Thou art divine. Pardon, whenever I turn from the right, pity, and bring me again to the light. Master, Thou callest, and this I reply, “Ready and willing, Lord, here am I.”

–Fanny Crosby

OUR MINISTRY WITH THE CHILDREN Justine Ruisz, Director of Children’s Ministries

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WE UNITE IN PRAYER

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD’S PRAYER

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.

WE SHARE

CALL TO OFFERING

*MUSICAL OFFERING “Cantilena” Joseph Rheinberger

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*DOXOLOGY—#606 OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*HYMN #816 “If Thou but Trust in God to Guide Thee” WER NUR DEN LIEBEN GOTT

WE HEAR THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING 1 Kings 21:1-10, 15-20

SERMON “We Need a Compass Rose!” Chris Curvin, Pastor

WE GO TO SERVE

*HYMN #707 “Take Thou Our Minds, Dear Lord” HALL

*BENEDICTION

CLOSING VOLUNTARY “Prelude and Fugue in G Minor” J.S. Bach

(The closing voluntary is the final act of worship. If you must leave before the end of the service, please respect those who are listening and leave quietly.)

*Congregation will stand. If standing is difficult for you, feel free to remain seated.

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