

Anthoan Community Methodist Church

25th Sunday after Pentecost

Veterans Day Sunday

Lay Pastor Shirley Nelson

November 10, 2024 10:00 AM

Prelude and Lighting of Altar Candles

We Gather in God's Presence

Patriotic Sing-a-Long

Everyone Join In (Insert)

Welcome and Announcements

Recognizing our Veterans

Shirley

Opening Song

"America The Beautiful"

UMH #696

Call to Worship

Liturgist: Sue Wilson

L: We remember today, O God, all those who have served under the Colors of their country.

P: We commend them to you for their bravery, their patriotism and their honor.

L: Grant that those who serve today may be kept in your everlasting love and protection.

P: Give comfort and encouragement to their families.

L: We pray for the day when there will be peace on earth and the Kingdoms of this world will have become the kingdoms of our Christ.

P: Hear our prayers for our enemies in the world, that they may be converted to Christ's will for the nations and join us in a better world community.

L: Let your Holy Will prevail among all people, and your name be exalted forever. **AMEN.**

Opening Prayer

Bless the families of all who serve in the armed forces, and let your Holy spirit rest upon them like a mantle to preserve them from anxiety and harm. Grant to each and every one of us a reminder of the way life itself is a struggle between good and evil, and prepare us to defend the good and not succumb to the evil we encounter. For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen

We Hear God's Word

First Reading

Deuteronomy 20: 1-44

The Apostle's Creed

UMH #881

Hymn of Preparation "Eternal Father, Strong to Save"

TFWS#2191

Children's Sermon

Roger Hladik

Gospel Reading

Mark 12: 38-44

Today's Message "All Gave Some...Some Gave All"

Shirley

God Calls Us to Respond

PRAYERS OF THE PASTOR AND PEOPLE (Joys and Concerns)

The Lord's Prayer

Giving of our Tithes and Offerings

***Doxology #95,**

Prayer of Dedication

All: Almighty and gracious God, teach us that all that we are and all that we have are gifts from you. We ask that you would bless us as we give our tithes and offerings that we can continue your kingdom's work. AMEN.

Closing Hymn "Come and Find A Quiet Center"

TFWS #2128

Ministers.....EVERYONE!

Lay Pastor.....Shirley Nelson

Liturgist.....Sue Wilson

Organist/Pianist.....Eileen Van Meeteren

IN THE CIRCLE OF OUR CONCERN:

OUR COUNTRY, OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN, our church, our community leaders, our president, our farmers, Bobby Lewis,

Tom & Cindy Herrick, Fran & Keith Determann, Ed and Carol Davis,

Brad Harbaugh, Alta Patterson, Trisha Theisen, Keith Allman, Eleanore Lewis,

Rick Gubbels, Lana Kropf, Tracy Lewis, Roger Nelson, Peggy Hansen, Brittany

Miller, Bettina Perkins, Barb Madsen, Elwanda Sheriff, Roberta Houlsworth,

Becky Marshall, Linda Christensen, Gary Beeson, Joyce Gothier and

Sympathy to the Family of Steven Walsh.

Remember our Nursing Home Residents!

Please let us know if anyone should be added or removed from this list.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Today: Veteran's Day Sunday

November 10: Ad Board meeting 5:00. Note date and time change.

November 11-14: New carpet to be laid in Fellowship Hall.

November 14: Women of Faith Meeting at 10:00. Enjoy lunch afterwards in Correctionville at Liz's Café.

November 24: Hanging of the Greens following worship. A simple lunch will be served for everyone. Join us for food, fellowship and fun.

November 24: Rock Branch Soup Supper, 4-6:30pm, Free will donations for The Community Basket and Women Aware.

December 1: First Sunday of Advent

REMEMBER: Please save stamps for Eleanore. There is a basket on the table in the Fellowship Hall.

Mission Project: There is a tote in the fellowship hall for gloves, mittens and scarves for the Warming Shelter.

Nov. Readers: Nov. 17- Trisha Theisen; Nov. 24-Roger Hladik.

Nov. Children Sermon: Nov. 17-Shirley Nelson; Nov. 24-JoLynne Reimert.

Weekly Birthdays and Anniversaries: Marley Maynard (16)

Nov./Dec. Upper Room Devotionals are on the table in the Fellowship Hall.

Anthon Military: To our men and women in uniform.... past, present and future, God Bless You and Thank You!

If you have a loved one connected to the service, please let us know.

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