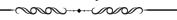
## **READING THE BIBLE THROUGH: August**



<b>1</b> Isaiah 60 – 63	<b>16</b> Jeremiah 40 – 43	
<b>2</b> Isaiah 64 – 66	<b>17</b> Jeremiah 44 – 46	
<b>3</b> Jeremiah 1 − 3	<b>18</b> Jeremiah 47 – 48	
<b>4</b> Jeremiah 4 – 5	<b>19</b> Jeremiah 49	
<b>5</b> Jeremiah 6 – 8	<b>20</b> Jeremiah 50	
<b>6</b> Jeremiah 9 – 11	<b>21</b> Jeremiah 51 – 52	
<b>7</b> Jeremiah 12 – 14	<b>22</b> Lamentations 1 – 2	
<b>8</b> Jeremiah 15 – 17	<b>23</b> Lamentations 3 – 5	
<b>9</b> Jeremiah 18 – 21	<b>24</b> Ezekiel 1 – 4	
<b>10</b> Jeremiah 22 – 24	<b>25</b> Ezekiel 5 – 8	
<b>11</b> Jeremiah 25 – 27	<b>26</b> Ezekiel 9 – 12	
<b>12</b> Jeremiah 28 – 30	<b>27</b> Ezekiel 13 – 15	
<b>13</b> Jeremiah 31 – 32	<b>28</b> Ezekiel 16 – 17	
<b>14</b> Jeremiah 33 – 36	<b>29</b> Ezekiel 18 – 20	
<b>15</b> Jeremiah 37 – 39	<b>30</b> Ezekiel 21 – 22	
	<b>31</b> Ezekiel 23 – 24	

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# August 17, 2025

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost



# Mission Statement:

Worship Passionately Love Extravagantly Witness Boldly

# Order of Worship

## Liturgical Color: Green

Welcome and Annou	incements	Deanna Nelson
Prelude		Kathy Willis
*Hymn <i>"Stand Up,</i>	Stand Up for Jesus"	(vs. 1,2,4) Pg. 477
Affirmation of Faith	(The Apostles' Cree	ed) Congregation
Children's Moment Mrs. Ashley (Children will exit for Children's Church today)		
*Doxology (Ushers	bring the offering forwa	ard) Congregation
Prayer Concerns		Rev. Matt Albritton
Lord's Prayer		Rev. Matt Albritton
Anthem "F	Heavenly Medley"	Chancel Choir
Scripture A	Acts 16: 11-15	Rev. Matt Albritton
Sermon The Lo	rd Opened Her Heart	Rev. Matt Albritton
*Hymn "I Ned	ed Thee Every Hour"	(vs. 1,5) Pg. 340
Postlude		Kathy Willis

<sup>\*</sup>Please stand as you are able.

The beautiful flowers placed on the altar this morning are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of our parents, Frank M. and Frances Gamble Dean, sister and brother-in-law Billy Lynn and Ruth Dean Waites, and sister Virginia Wingard by Frances Borders.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### TODAY:

#### ACOLYTE MEETING:

Sunday, August 17 at 11 a.m. in Wesley Hall. Acolytes are ages 3rd grade and up. If you're interested in becoming an acolyte for the 10 a.m. Sunday worship, please plan to stay after church for a meeting. Lunch will be served.

### • LEADERSHIP TEAM MEETING:

Sunday, August 17 at 2 p.m. in the Chapel. Department heads be ready to give a brief summary of what has been/will be happening in your ministries.

# THIS WEDNESDAY—Wednesday Afternoon Activities resume on August 20:

- Bus pick up after school followed by children and youth activities.
- It's an Old Fashioned Fish Fry...Our talented kitchen crew will be serving a wonderfully delicious fish fry meal with all the trimmings, from 5:15—6 p.m. in our FLC.
- Brother Matt will be teaching a NEW class "Life Lessons from Romans" by Max Lucado at 6 p.m. in the Cornerstone classroom. (Books available the first night of class)
- Jennifer Daniels will be teaching a class discussing "The Apostles' Creed"; what it means and why it is important. The class will meet at 6 p.m. in the Church Library.
- Now is a great time to join our Chancel Choir! The Choir practices at 6 p.m. in the Chapel.

Our Children and Youth Wednesday Programs are in desperate need of bus drivers (No CDL required) and volunteer helpers. The program on Wednesday is divided up into time slots, so we will work

with you to find a time that works for you! Together we can change a child's life one week at a time! Need more information? Call the church office or see Ashley or Jamie.

#### VERY IMPORTANT SPRC MEETING:

Next Sunday, August 24 at 2 p.m. in the church library. We need each member on the committee to be present if at all possible.