

SUGAR GROVE

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
WORSHIP GOD IN SPIRIT AND TRUTH
THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

CHOIR HALLELUJAH, HALLELUJAH (TWICE)
(CONGREGATION JOIN IN)

ACOLYTES PRESENT THE "LIGHT"

WORSHIP HIM . . .

*WITH OUR PRAISE

LET THE LIGHT OF YOUR FACE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Come to listen for all God seeks to teach us.
God has given us birth by the word of truth.

We are drawn to God as to a lover.

We leap for joy when we know God's care.

*Prayer of Adoration

(Congregation may be seated)

Prayer of Confession (READ IN UNISON)

O God, we admit that all is not well with us. We are easily angered and slow to forgive. We speak without listening and pretend to listen without really hearing. Our tongues become weapons rather than instruments of healing. We are more critical than helpful toward the poor in our midst. Hidden in our hearts are the attitudes that produce avarice, deceit, and violation of our promises to you and to one another. Turn us around so we can accept your forgiveness and learn to love ourselves as you want us to be, through Jesus Christ. Amen.

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DECLARATION OF PARDON

If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness. 1 John 1:9 NIV

WITH A HYMN

SUNLIGHT

HYMN 313

SHARING WITH THE YOUNG DISCIPLES

SPECIAL MUSIC

WITH HIS TITHE AND OUR OFFERINGS

WITH PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

THROUGH PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

YOU ARE INVITED TO THE ALTAR FOR ANY OF YOUR PRAYER CONCERNS.

LORD'S PRAYER (DEBTS AND DEBTORS)

SERMON

"DRESS FOR WAR"

EPHESIANS 6:10-20

BY RESPONDING TO THE WORD:

*BY SINGING A HYMN

OPEN MY EYES, THAT I MAY SEE

HYMN 448

ALTAR CALL: YOU ARE INVITED TO THE ALTAR

*BY RECEIVING THE BLESSING

THANK YOU LORD

AS ACOLYTES TAKE THE "LIGHT" INTO THE WORLD

*STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

AKA MINISTRY IN ACTION

Choir Practice will be held today at 5:15PM.

Wednesday gathering at 7 PM.

Sugar Beats for September are at Information Station.

CPWM meets Tuesday, September 1, at 6:00PM. All ladies of the church are members and are encouraged to attend.

Men's Fellowship meets Thursday, September 3rd, at 6:30PM. Mr. Brent Bradley will be the speaker. He will share about the religion of Islam.

Reminder: If you have a rocking chair you are willing to let the church borrow or have, please let Bro. Gary or an elder know. We would like to have a row of rockers for our young parents or senior adults.

Bro. Gary will begin a series of lessons during Sunday School on September 13th. If you are interested in attending, please let him know.

Email addresses: Bro. Gary sent out an email last week and received several notices that email addresses were incorrect. If you did not receive an email and would like to in the future, please send an email to Bro. Gary at pastor@sugargrovecp.org.

New Sunday School year will begin next Sunday. Make plans to make this year a year of growth in your spiritual formation. Visit a Sunday School class and grow in your relationship with God and with one another.

Thanks to all who participated in the Ice Cream Social last Sunday.

Additional Prayer Concerns

are in the Sugar Beat

Please use the Prayer request cards

Welcome to the Celebration

We are glad you are celebrating with us. It is our hope that you will experience the presence of Almighty God. May He inspire you to continue on your journey of faith. Allow God to richly bless you today as you participate in the service.

++++Nursery +++++

A nursery is provided for children age 3 and under for your convenience. It is located in the fellowship hall through the south doors of the narthex. Please ask an usher if you need any assistance.

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Session

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Class of 2011

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*Elder of the month

