

REUBEN

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BENJAMIN

12

8:30 AM ~ AUGUST 26, 2018

PRELUDE “Variations on NETTLETON”

arr. Jeffrey Blersch

WELCOME and RELATIONSHIPS of PEACE

OPENING HYMN “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing” [*LSB 686, v. 1-3*]

OPENING LITURGY [*p. 158*]

RESPONSE “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing” [*LSB 686, v. 4*]

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON **Genesis 49:22-26** [*NIV*]

²²“Joseph is a fruitful vine, a fruitful vine near a spring, whose branches climb over a wall. ²³With bitterness archers attacked him; they shot at him with hostility. ²⁴But his bow remained steady, his strong arms stayed limber, because of the hand of the Mighty One of Jacob, because of the Shepherd, the Rock of Israel, ²⁵because of your father’s God, who helps you, because of the Almighty, who blesses you with blessings of the skies above, blessings of the deep springs below, blessings of the breast and womb. ²⁶Your father’s blessings are greater than the blessings of the ancient mountains, than the bounty of the age-old hills. Let all these rest on the head of Joseph, on the brow of the prince among his brothers.

R: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God!

GOSPEL VERSE “Alleluia” [*p. 164*]

HOLY GOSPEL **Matthew 7:9-14** [*NIV*]

⁹“Which of you, if your son asks for bread, will give him a stone? ¹⁰Or if he asks for a fish, will give him a snake? ¹¹If you, then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give good gifts to those who ask him!

¹²So in everything, do to others what you would have them do to you, for this sums up the Law and the Prophets. ¹³“Enter through the narrow gate. For wide is the gate and broad is the road that leads to destruction, and many enter through it. ¹⁴But small is the gate and narrow the road that leads to life, and only a few find it.

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God!

APOSTLES’ CREED

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON HYMN "The Church's One Foundation" [LSB 644, v. 1-3]

SERMON "MANASSEH"

PEOPLE of PEACE in PRAYER

Father in Heaven:

•**Peace, Comfort and Healing: Janet** (sister-in-law of Bev Smedley)-healing from Guillian-Barré Syndrome which continues to attack her body; **family and friends of the following: Joyce** (Janette Young's mother)-passed away Wednesday, Aug. 15; **Susan Breitenbach** (former Peace member)-passed away Saturday, Aug. 18.

•**Wisdom and Courage to: All Children and College Students** as they begin the new school year.

THE LORD'S PRAYER *The Family Prayer of the People of God*

WORDS of INSTITUTION

THE PEACE

AGNUS DEI "Lamb of God" [p. 170]

DISTRIBUTION MUSIC

"The King of Love My Shepherd Is"

arr. John Behnke

Organ

"The King of Love My Shepherd Is" [LW 412]

BENEDICTION

CLOSING RESPONSE "The Church's One Foundation" [LSB 644, v. 4-5]

POSTLUDE "The Church's One Foundation"

arr. Michael Burkhardt

SERMON: *Rev. James Mueller*
LITURGIST: *Rev. Morgan Hamilton*

CONNECT *Mark your calendars!*

YOUTH

- **Middle School Youth Group | Beginning Wednesday, September 12 | 6-7pm**
 - Youth Rec will be open at 5:30pm – bring your dinner and hang out
- **High School Group | Beginning Sunday, September 16 | 6-8:30pm**
 - 1st & 3rd Sundays in Youth Rec
 - 2nd & 4th Sundays @ Kindred Coffee
- **NYG Garage Sale | Saturday, September 22 | 8am-Noon | Help raise \$\$\$ for NYG**
 - Donated items can be dropped off at the following times:
 - Sunday, September 16: 7am-1pm (Youth Rec)
 - September 17-September 20: 10am-2pm (Sanctuary Foyer)

ADULT

- **One Man Show Ministries & Rev. Mark Winters**
 - Presents *Peter: A Tale as Big as Texas*.
 - Monday, August 27 | 10am | Fellowship Hall
- **Guest Speaker: Dr. Jeff Kloha | Museum of the Bible | Sunday, September 9**
- **Intentional Parenting Support Group | Resumes Monday, September 10**
 - Every Monday during the school year | 9:30-10:30 am | Fellowship Hall
 - Contact Person: Mary Hildebrandt (Mary@4MaryH.com)

WOMEN

- **Women's Thursday Morning Bible Study | Resumes Thursday, September 6**
 - Every Thursday | 9-11 am | Fellowship Hall
 - Fall Topic: 10 week study on Acts
 - Contact Person: Jerri Burken (jburken@tx.rr.com)
- **Women of Wednesday Bible Study | Resumes Wednesday, September 12**
 - Every Wednesday | 5:30-7 pm | Fellowship Hall 1&2
 - Fall Topic: *Anxious for Nothing* by Max Lucado
 - Contact Person: Christine Heady (tinaheadyntexas@sbcglobal.net)