

September 25<sup>th</sup>, 2022  
16<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost  
**GATHERING FOR WORSHIP**

**PRELUDE:**

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**QUIET HYMN: My Life Is in You Lord** #2032

**SILENT PRAYER**

**\*HYMN: He Has Made Me Glad** #2270

**CENTERING FOR WORSHIP**

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP** (*Discipleship Ministries*)

L: We come with praise for the wonderful works of God.

**P: Even before we speak, God knows us completely.**

L: The Holy One knows us and sustains us, even in our moments of confusion and doubt.

**P: Who can count the thoughts of God? They are more than all the sands of the desert.**

L: Like clay in the hand of the potter, we are shaped into vessels of divine will.

**P: We come with praise for the wonderful works of God. Amen.**

**\* PRAYER OF INVOCATION**

**O God, our Creator and Sustainer: we come with thanksgiving for these moments when we can ease the pace of our lives and listen for your voice. Create a spirit within us that truly draws us toward you and toward our siblings, a spirit deep, perceptive, gentle and bold. Clear our minds, open our hearts, and touch us with your presence and your power. We offer this prayer in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.**

**PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD**

**SCRIPTURE LESSON**

1 Timothy 6:6-19

Luke 16:19-31

**\*HYMN: Oh, I Know the Lord's Laid His Hands on Me** #2139

**THE WORD OF GOD EXPLORED**

Pastor Joel Holcomb

**GRATEFUL RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD**

**OFFERTORY**

**\*DOXOLOGY** #95

**\*DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERING**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND PASTOR**

**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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

**PRAYER RESPONSE**

**\*HYMN: My Life Flows On** #2212

**\*BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE:**

*\*Indicates standing if that is comfortable for you.*

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