



FAITH CHURCH

Worship Guide – March 22, 2020

Welcome

Welcome to our Faith Church worship at home! This is a new reality for us, but let's still praise God in the midst of this liminal moment. Liminal moment? What is that? You can Google it, or wait until the sermon. Let me give you a hint: the coronavirus has forced us into a liminal moment, but we will see that the early church was also in a liminal moment of their own. So perhaps we can learn from the early church about how we can be the church during our own liminal moment. So gather up your family, get out a computer, tablet or smartphone, and prepare your hearts to worship!

Announcements

- Even though we won't have online Connection Cards, please share prayer requests with the church family by emailing Emerald at emerald.faithchurch@gmail.com. Or call the church office and leave them on voicemail: 717-393-5345. Emerald will email them early next week.
- Men's Retreat at Twin Pines – Postponed. Twin Pines has asked us if June 5-7 works. Men, if you haven't already, please respond to the survey [here](#). If June 5-7 doesn't work, we'll look to dates in the fall, or just postpone until 2021.
- All other events are postponed. Our Leadership Team will re-evaluate after March 29, of course taking into consideration the developing global situation.

Worship God through Giving – Please send your offerings to the church, or [give online here](#). Many of you have lost income due to the shutdown, so we ask those of you with means to consider how you can give more generously. We continue to support missionaries, our denomination and staff salaries. This is an opportunity to trust in God, worshipping him through giving generously. Stewards will count and deposit mailed-in offering after March 29.

Worship God in Prayer – Take a moment and prepare yourself quietly.

- Ask the Holy Spirit to bring to mind any sins you need to confess to the Lord. Then confess and repent, remembering the promise of 1 John 1:9, "If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just and will forgive us of sin, and cleanse us from all unrighteousness."
- Take some time to remember God's blessings, listing out five things you are thankful for.
- Now bring your prayer requests before the Lord. Please remember the following:
 - Mission emphasis of the Month – Eloise
 - CV Ministerium Church: [Leola United Methodist](#)

Worship God in Song – Chris selected these songs to help us direct our hearts and minds to God. You can feel free to sing along with them, or you can quietly and prayerfully praise God as you listen.

- [Here I am to Worship](#)
- [How Great is our God](#)
- [How Great thou Art](#)

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Worship God through Study of his Word – You can view the sermon [here](#). We continue our study through Acts, and we'll look at how this next section of Acts relates to how we can live during the virus.

Worship God in Song – [Jesus Thank You](#)

Concluding Reflection and Prayer – Take a moment to reflect on our worship today. Maybe write down a couple ways that you want to try to apply it to your life this week. Ask God to help and strengthen you for this.

Thank you for worshipping!

Remember that we will have an online sermon discussion class at 10:45, March 22, 2020. Use [this link](#) to join the class.