

# Connect

Worship Outline  
May 1/2, 2021

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Welcome

Song - *More Like Jesus\**

A Time of Confession and Forgiveness

*Pastor: In the Name of The Father, and of The Son, and of The Holy Spirit*

All: Amen

[Please take a moment of silence for personal reflection and confession]

*Pastor: We make our confession together:*

All: Heavenly Father, we stand before You today confessing our sins. There are times when we crave things that are from this world, but not from You. There are times when we seek to satisfy the appetite of our sinful nature by longing for worldly treasures or fleshly desires. There are also times when we are unaware of our sins, or that what we are consuming is spiritually harmful. Please forgive us, for the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, who poured out His life to set us free from sin, death, and the devil. Please nourish our body, mind and soul through Your Word and Spirit that we may live more fully for You and for others. Amen!

Song - *Christ is Mine Forevermore\**

The Story of Our Faith - Apostles' Creed

God's Word for Today -

Acts 8:26-35

Ephesians 4:11-16

John 15:1-8

Song - *My Worth Is Not in What I Own\**

Message - "Am I A Consumer or Contributor?"

Song - *Lay Me Down\**

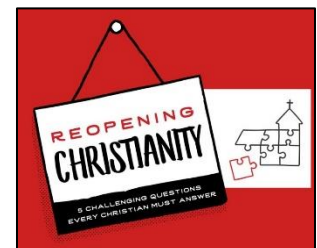
Announcements

Staff Recognition

The Prayers of God's People/Lord's Prayer

A Departing Word - 1 John 4:9-11

*Pastor: This is how God showed his love among us: He sent his one and only Son into the world that we might live through him.*



People: This is love: not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as an atoning sacrifice for our sins.

*Pastor: Dear friends, since God so loved us,*

People: We also ought to love one another!

## Benediction

Song - *Graves Into Gardens\**

*\*Songs are linked to artist video*



### Serving in today's worship:

Pastor Shawn Fenske

Pastor Brad Hubbard

### Media/Sound/Lighting

Andy Rogner, Bryan Robertson, Caleb Krueger, Dan Reinert,

Darrin Storms

### Praise Band

Brandon Brinks, Bobby Cody, Kevin Cooper, MacKenzie Drinan,

Sara Pendleton, Zac Mueller

### Service Coordinators -

Larry Bernthal

### Greeters

Mary Morley (*Saturday*)

Andy & Laurie Czymbor, Beth and Danielle VanWormer

(*Sunday*)

### Readers

Dawn Mueller (*Saturday*)

Caitlyn Jammer (*Sunday*)

### Ushers

Scott & Amy Paten (*Saturday*)

Larry Bernthal, Brian Magnus, Eric Bushey,

Ed Haubenstricker (*Sunday*)

### Baptisms

**Oakley Renee Bruce** was born on March 19, 2021. She is the daughter of Nathaniel Bruce and Emma Meyer, and her sponsors are Dee Anna Pazz, Gregory Meyer, and James & Mercia Meyer

**Rosie Jean Burk** was born on February 25, 2021. She is the daughter of Derek and Heike (Hall) Burk and her sponsors are Devon & Lindsey Hall, and Steve & Chelsea Spadafore.

### Staff Recognitions

#### 5 Year Anniversary

Logan Carver

Trent Jammer

Mandy Liddle

Ann Orton

Cara Rowe

Cheryl Schafsnitz

#### 10 Year Anniversary

Andrea Johnson

Rachel Strieter

#### 15 Year Anniversary

Karen Bender

Carol Bickel

Autumn Loucks

#### 20 Year Anniversary

Leanne Davis

Dawn Swartz

Joshua Swartz

#### 25 Year Anniversary

Dan Reinert

#### 30 Year Anniversary

Mary Bierlein

Dora Hyslop

Dave Palmreuter

#### 50 Year Anniversary

Pastor Bill Hoesman

#### Retirement

Diane Gladstone