Lesson: Luke 17:11-19

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, they called out, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" When he saw them, he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were made clean. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. Then Jesus asked, "Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" Then he said to him, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well."

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 2021 ~ 10:00 AM

Rev. Bill Trump, Sermon Katelyn Peterson, Choir Director Rhonda Kwiecien, Keyboard Musician Anthony Andronczyk, Soloist

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FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH of WAUWATOSA

Our Covenant

As followers of Jesus Christ, we commit ourselves to share in the worship and service of God, to grow in the knowledge and expression of our faith, to reach out with compassion to those in need, to treat each other with love and understanding, and to return to God a portion of God's gifts.

WORSHIP IN THE NAVE

November 21, 2021~10am / Reign of Christ Sunday

Please silence your cell phones.

If you are a guest today, we would love to meet and greet you. Join us for Coffee Fellowship immediately following the service.

WELCOME Rev. Bill Trump

STEWARDSHIP UPDATE Ann Steinmetz Harris

PRELUDE Come, Ye Thankful People, Come; Now Thank We All Our God

piano duet arr. Robert D. Vandals

Rhonda Kwiecien and Katelyn Peterson

THE CALL TO WORSHIP Gunner Sgarlata

Leader: O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.

PEOPLE: Enter into His gates with thanksgiving and into His courts with praise.

Leader: Be thankful unto Him and bless His name.

PEOPLE: For the Lord is good: His mercy is everlasting.

Leader: The Lord be with you. **PEOPLE:** And with thy spirit.

HYMN SOLO Come, Ye Thankful People, Come ST. GEORGE'S WINDSOR

Elle Dannecker, Soloist

THE PRAYER OF INVOCATION (read in unison)

Almighty God, You are worthy of our highest worship and devotion. We ask that you awaken our hearts to praise and thanksgiving at this special time of year. We are grateful that You have brought us together as a worshipping community. We know, O Lord, that Your goodness never fails and Your love never ends, but from time to time we need to focus on Your great generosity and our unique status as Your children. Lift our thoughts beyond the every-day material things we have; and remind us that the true riches of life are of the spirit. Accept our worship in these moments of spiritual fellowship. We pray in the name of Your Son. Amen.

INSTRUMENTAL RESPONSE

MISSION MOMENT

Debbie Buchanan

Milwaukee Homeless Veterans Initiative

BIBLES PRESENTED TO COVENANT STUDENTS

Rev. Trump and Tonia Wallner

SPECIAL MUSIC

I Like Thanksgiving by Theresa Jennings Mrs. Roxanne Trump-Miles directs the Junior Choir

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Children ages 3 - 5th grade are invited to Sunday School. Youth grades 6 through 12 are invited to Pilgrim Fellowship in Youth Room 302.

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ANTHEM Surely the Lord is in This Place by Carl Mueller

Katelyn Peterson conducts the FCC Choir

THE MESSAGE "This is Praise to God" Rev. Bill Trump

ANTHEM Now I Can See the Light! by Henry Mollicone

PASTORAL PRAYER AND RESPONSE

OFFERTORY

Now Thank We All Our God setting b

setting by Michael Burkhardt

Rhonda Kwiecien, Keyboard Musician

DEDICATION OF GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

HYMN SOLO Now Thank We All Our God

Elle Dannecker, Soloist

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Fanfare for Thanksgiving (abridged)

by Walter L. Pelz

NUN DANKET

CARE FOR CHILDREN

A nursery for infants and toddlers is available during the 10:00 AM service.

Special thanks to DdG and Charlie Wakefield for providing and arranging the Thanksgiving decorations in the Nave.

Caring Corner

as of November 15, 2021

Congratulations!

Patty & Pete Reddy as they celebrate the November 13th birth of their fifth grandchild, Myla Marie Leyrer, daughter of Jessie and Jon Leyrer.

In Our Prayers

Karen & Jim D'Ambrisi and family as they mourn the death of Karen's father, Arthur J. Beutler of Greendale.

Jim D'Ambrisi as he continues to battle cancer.

Melissa Love & Jonathn Koenig and daughter Olivia as they mourn the passing of Melissa's mother, Edith Helen Palovics Love.

Josh & Genesee Hornung as they mourn the death of Josh's mother, Judi Hornung.

De McDermott as she recovers from back surgery.

Special Music: *I Like Thanksgiving* Text: Teresa Jennings

I like Thanksgiving, Thanksgiving Day. It makes me thoughtful and so I pray, I am so grateful for every little thing that comes my way.

I like Thanksgiving, Thanksgiving Day.

All join hands and make Thanksgiving a happy day.

All join hands, let gratitude lead the way.

I like Thanksgiving, Thanksgiving Day.
It makes me thoughtful and so I pray,
I am so grateful for every little thing
that comes my way.
I like Thanksgiving, Thanksgiving Day.
I like Thanksgiving, Thanksgiving Day.

Anthem: Surely the Lord is in This Place Text: Genesis 28:16-17; Psalm 84:4; Psalm 126: 3

Surely the Lord is in this place. This is none other but the house of God, and this is the gate of heav'n.

Surely the Lord is in this place. Blessed are they that dwell in Thy house; they will be still praising Thee.

The Lord hath done great things for us; whereof we are glad.

Anthem: Now I Can See the Light! Text: Reverend Ken Henry

O let my praise roll upward, O let my feet stand firm, for I can't keep from shoutin' God's praises through all the earth.

Yes, I was so down, so weighted down by sorrow.

My heart was hard and heavy,
I couldn't see the light,
walked right through the flame,
the sea waves crashed around me.

My heart was hard and heavy,
I couldn't see the light,
then I got down on my knees and I
bowed my head in pray'r,
and I asked God for mercy for I couldn't
see the light;
and God showered me with love,
and God showered me with mercy,
and God listened to my pleading, and
brought me to the light!

Praise God for I can breathe again!
Praise God for I can see again!
Praise God for I can hear again!
Now I can see the light!

O let my praise roll upward, O let my feet stand firm, for I can't keep from shoutin' God's praises though all the earth.

> Let us sing Hosanna. Sing Hosanna in excelsis! Now I can see the light! Amen, sing amen!

Hymn: Come, Ye Thankful People, Come Text: Henry Alford (1810-1871)

Come, ye thankful people, come, raise the song of harvest home; all is safely gathered in, ere the winter storms begin.
God our Maker doth provide for our wants to be supplied; come to God's own temple, come, raise the song of harvest home.

All the blessings of the field, all the stores the gardens yield; all the fruits in full supply, ripened 'neath the summer sky, all that spring with bounteous hand scatters o'er the smiling land, all that liberal autumn pours from her rich o'er-flowing stores.

These to Thee, our God, we owe, source whence all our blessings flow, and for these our souls shall raise grateful vows and solemn praise.

Come, then, thankful people, come, raise the song of harvest home: come to God's own temple, come, raise the song of harvest home. Amen.

Hymn: Now Thank We All Our God Text: Martin Rinckart (1586-1878)

Now thank we all our God with heart and hands and voices, who wondrous things has done, in whom His world rejoices; who from our mothers' arms hath blessed us on our way with countless gifts of love, and still is ours today.

O may this bounteous God through all our life be near us, with ever joyful hearts and blessed peace to cheer us, and keep us in His grace, and guide us when perplexed, and free us from all ills in this world and the next.

All praise and thanks to God the Father now be given, the Son and Him who reigns, with them in highest heaven, the one eternal God, whom heaven and earth adore; for thus it was, is now, and shall be evermore.