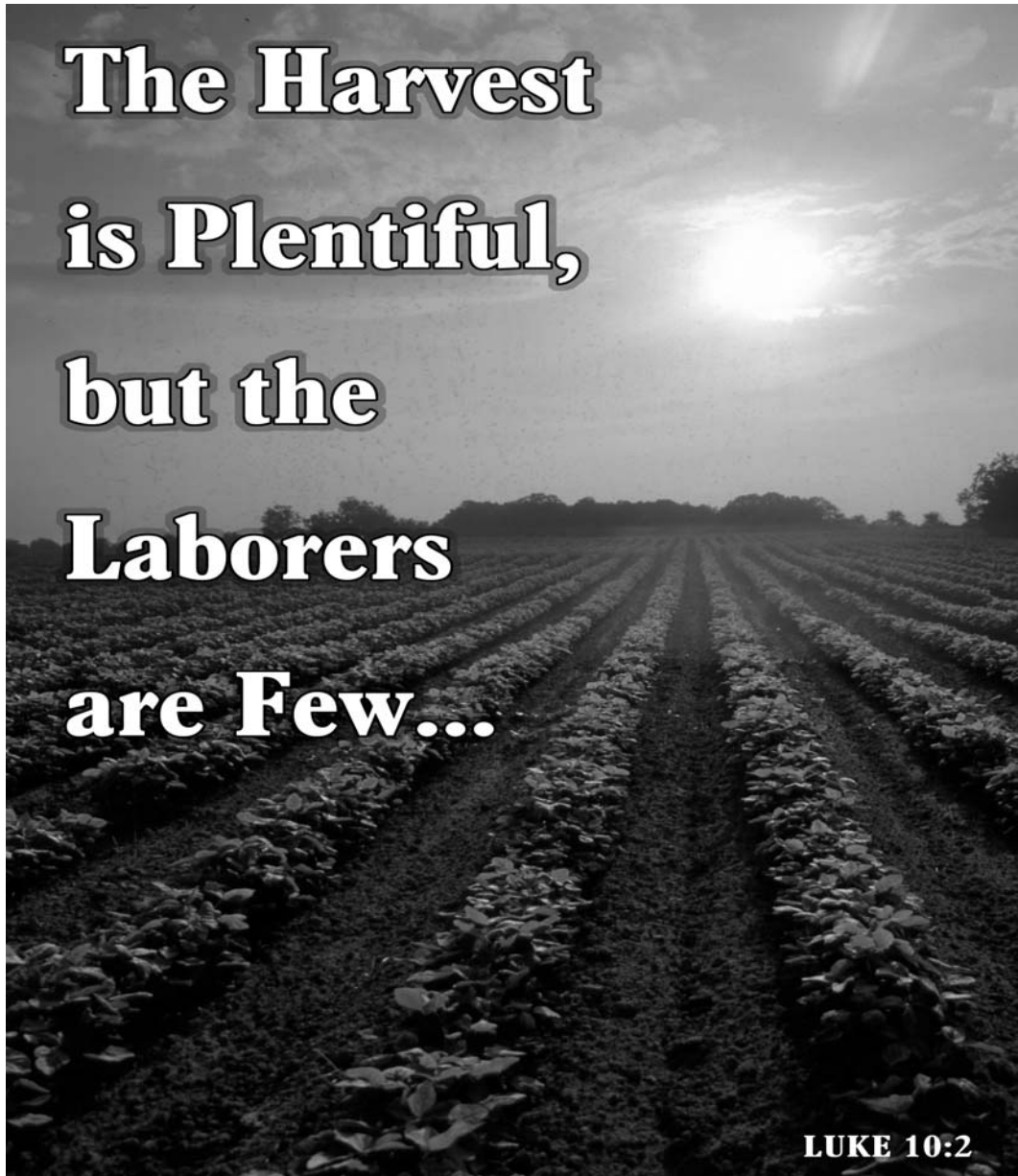


**Faxon-Kenmar
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Service of Worship

An Informal Time of Praise and Prayer

Welcome! We are delighted that you have chosen to worship with us this morning.
Helping you grow in faith is our primary purpose.

Gathering Music	<i>Just As I Am</i>	Bradbury/Schram
Announcements and Celebrations		
Music for Meditation	<i>Change My Heart, O God/Pure in Heart</i>	Espinosa & Fillmore/Raney
* Opening Song	<i>In the Presence</i>	(Hymn of the Month, in the pew)
Scripture Lessons	Romans 12:1-2 (Pg. 161 NT); Philippians 3:7-14 (Pg. 198 NT).	
Songs of Praise	<i>A Simple Word of Grace</i>	#3
	<i>Nothing But the Blood of Jesus</i>	#169
	<i>How Could You Love Me So Much?</i>	#96
Silent Prayer ~ Spoken Prayer ~ The Lord's Prayer		
* Gospel Lesson	Luke 9:56-10:12	(Pg. 70 NT).
Message	<i>The Fruit of Risk Taking Mission and Service</i>	

✠ Lord Jesus, you have shown us what to do; to do justice, to love kindness, to walk humbly with you. When I care for others, I am caring for you. Help me do it.

Gifts of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory	<i>Pass it On</i>	Kaiser/Hayes
*Doxology	<i>There is a Redeemer (refrain only)</i>	#211
*Prayer of Dedication		
* Closing Song	<i>Go, Make Disciples</i>	#70
* Friendship Circle		
* Prayer of Blessing		
* Greet Each Other		

Service of Worship

A Traditional Expression of Worshipping the Lord

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We Gather to Worship

Lighting the Altar Candles

Gathering Music	<i>Meditation on Songs of the Cross</i>	Hughes
	<i>Down at the Cross</i>	Stockton/Ritter
	<i>My God and I</i>	Wihtol/Martin

Greeting Each Other

Announcements and Celebrations

Meditation	<i>Prayer of Ignatius Loyola (for your own meditation use)</i>	#570
Music for Meditation	<i>Lamb of God ~ Paris/Ryan</i>	Teen Celebration

***Call to Worship** (*Responsively*)

L: Blessed be God for ever and ever. God has visited us with mercy and grace. The strong arm of the Lord has saved us, while we were far off and lost.

P: Upon those who sat in darkness, God's great light has shined.

L: Jesus said, "They shall come from the east, the west, the north and the south and sit down in the Kingdom of God."

P: The time is now for us to act, for Jesus has sent us to the nations—we are called to begin where we live, to reach our community, our country, and to touch all the world.

***Morning Prayer (Unison)**

Holy God, you are the light and life of the world. In your mercy, continue to look upon all peoples according to your steadfast love. Make the good news of your saving ways known throughout the earth. Encourage all who labor and serve you in the fields of harvest. Raise up others who will join you in the work of harvest. Show us our part in your mission and service, even when the calling is high and the cost of following you requires much. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen

***Hymn**

Heralds of Christ

#567

(During this hymn pass your prayer requests to the center aisle. The ushers will collect them for the prayer team)

We Pray and Hear God's Word

Scripture Lessons

Romans 12:1-2 (Pg. 161 NT); Philippians 3:7-14 (Pg. 198 NT).

A Time with the Children

(After this time, children may attend Little Church downstairs)

Music for Inspiration

Pass it On

Kaiser/Hayes

(During the music you are invited to come to the communion rail to pray)

Silent Prayer ~ Spoken Prayer ~ The Lord's Prayer (unison)

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 (Unison)

Hear Our Prayer, O Lord

G. Whelpton

Hear our prayer, O Lord, Hear our prayer, O Lord;

Incline Thine ear to us, and grant us Thy peace. Amen.

***Hymn**

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

#298

***Gospel Lesson**

Luke 9:56-10:12

(Pg. 70 NT).

L: This is the Word of God.

P: Thanks be to God.

Anthem

At the Cross ~ Hudson/Drennan

Inspirational Singers

Message

The Fruit of Risk Taking Mission and Service

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Pastoral Prayer

We are Sent to Serve and Witness

Giving Our Tithes & Offerings

Offertory

The Old Rugged Cross

Beennard/Price

*Doxology

Are Ye Able (refrain)

#530

*Prayer of Dedication

***Closing Hymn**

In the Presence

(Hymn of the Month, in the pew)

***Benediction**

***Music for Greeting Each Other in Peace & Love**

Through Faith the Victory

Peterson

***Please stand as you are able**

Greetings and welcome to all! Families, friends, visitors are welcomed in the name of Christ. Let us rejoice with hearts and voices and spirits as we worship God, our Creator, Redeemer, and Friend.

Joys, Concerns and Notices of our Church Family

- ◆ The flowers on the altar are given to the Glory of God and in honor of the Choirs and David Koskey by Shirley Woodruff. The second bouquet is in loving memory of Paul Rothrock by Flora and the Family.
- ◆ We have received all the money needed for the Sewer Project! Thank you to everyone who gave to this second mile giving!
- ◆ **ET Meeting is Tuesday, March 16th, at 7pm in SH; Becht Meeting is Wed., March 17th at 7pm in the Bd Rm. Paper Co-Op is Thursday & Friday, March 18th & 19th in the Becht Parking Lot, Please Come Help!**
- ◆ The Youth are asking for donations of wrapped candy and/or money to buy candy for the easter egg hunt they will be holding on April 3rd at 10am at the playground at Becht. Any help you give is greatly appreciated!
- ◆ We have two Hoss's Nights scheduled for the near future, April 20th and May 17th. Both of these will benefit the Stover Scholarship Fund. Nothing is required of you other than going out and enjoying a nice meal, and 20% comes back to the fund. The tickets will be available a week or so before the dates. Please participate and help raise some funds for our great youth who will be off to college in the fall. Thank you.
- ◆ **Thrift Store News:** St. Patrick's Day / Easter decorations and knick knacks, children's clothing (all sizes but especially small sizes), jewelry (broken or good), Corelle dishes (these sell out almost immediately), pots and pans, and Boxtops / Labels for Education.

◆ This Week at Faxon-Kenmar UMC

TODAY	8:00 am	Worship
	9:00 am	Sunday School
	10:15 am	Worship
	11:30am	The King's Kids
Monday	7:00pm	Garden Club/SH
Tuesday	7:30am	UW/BR
	8:30am	Taxes/SSR
	1:00pm	Bible Study/BR
	7:00pm	ET/SH
	5:00pm	Karate/mpr
Wednesday	9:00 am	Thrift Store Work Day
	7:00pm	Becht Corp/BR
Thursday	8:30am	Taxes/SSR
	12:00-4:00pm	Paper Co-Op/Becht
	5:00pm	Karate/mpr
	6:00pm	Joyful Ringers
	7:00pm	Inspirational Singers
Friday	9:00 am-4:00 pm	Thrift Store Open
	9:00-11:00am	Paper Co-Op/Becht
Saturday	9:00 am-12:30 pm	Thrift Store Open
	11am	Karate/mpr
Sunday	8:00 am	Worship
	9:00 am	Sunday School
	10:15 am	Worship Noon
	11:30am	The King's Kids
	Noon	Teen Celebration

Key: BR-Becht Bd Rm; MPR-Becht Multi Purpose Rm;
SH-Stiner Hall; SSR-Upper Sunday School Room

<u>Stewardship Report from Last Week</u> (3/7/10)	
Given for Current Expense	\$ 3,697
Total Amount of Bills paid last week	\$ 6,014
Balance available for Current Expense	\$ 210.32
All bills are paid for February!	
<u>Given for Designated Needs</u>	
Missions	\$ 96
Sanitation Fund (total needed)	\$ 5,500
(received to date)	5,170
Interest added	437.48
Total in Sewer Fund	\$5,607.48
Given for Capital Funds	\$ 326
Memorials	\$ 180
Balance of Capital Funds	\$ 15,888
Balance of Loan	\$ 919,000

Helping Us in Worship Today

<u>8:00 a.m. Service</u>	<u>10:15 am Service</u>
Usher: John Lauchle	Ushers: (Captain) Bill Holmes, Jeff Hoyt, Dick Wible Brent Wheeland John Wheeland
	Greeter: Diane Breon
	Liturgist: Janet Mahonski
	Acolyte: Kyle Durrwachter
	Media Team: Bruce Huffman, Dwayne Rummings, Scott Schramm

Our Staff

Director of Music Ministry: David Koskey
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Pastor: Rev. David Brinker