

Our Service of Worship on the Lord's Day (Rom. 12:1 – NAS)

Sunday 10:27 a.m.

July 12, 2020

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Jesus Is Lord

Sing Praises & Prayers to: Father-JesusChrist-HolySpirit

Call to Worship: Psalm 22:12-18 (KJV)

**** Opening Song #253 “When I Survey The Wondrous Cross”**

**** Invocation**

Congregational Prayer of Confession: (See Bulletin Insert)

Jesus – The Lord of everything – exemplifies God's LOVE:

**** #429 “Jesus Is Lord of All”**

**** #305 “The Love of God”**

Scripture: *Philippians 2:5-11* (KJV)

**** #626 Nicene Creed**

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer (debts/debtors)

We are in awe of The Triune God:

**** ----- “I Stand in Awe” (See Bulletin Insert)**

**Message: *We are to imitate and worship Jesus
because of The Cross***

**** Closing Hymn #71 “Love Divine All Loves Excelling”**

**** Benediction: Psalm 115 (Reading from NIV)**

**** Congregation Please Stand**

We welcome you to our time of worship this morning.
Thanks for being with us today!

People arriving after 10:15 are encouraged to join in singing to the Lord, or to focus on the Lord by reflecting on the words of the songs, or otherwise communing with God.

This Week at the Church

Thursday 4:30 PM -- *Prayer in the parlor*

Sunday 9:45 AM -- *Music Team Practice*

10:30 AM -- *Communion Sunday Worship*

***God's blameless children cooperate
with His good work in them***

The *Discovery Bible Study* at 9:00 AM in the parlor is now on hold. A ten-page Bible study on submitting to Christ is available for independent study. See July *Vestry Voices*.

Our Thursday evening prayer meetings have resumed with social distancing.

We are trying to give people the opportunity to worship virtually. A video of our worship (on a one week delay) airs on Comcast (Xfinity) Clinton channel 8 on Mondays at 8:00 PM. To listen to last week's sermon: Go to fcclintonma.org. On the left hand side go to 'Blog Postings' and click on 'Sunday Services'. Under 'Sunday Service – July 5, 2020' hit the prompt 'Continue Reading ->'. This will bring up PDFs of the Bulletin and Sermon Outline as well as two audios. The sermon itself is 28:21. Click on the big arrow on the left and it will start to play.

***God's LOVE is revealed
by the death of Christ Jesus on The Cross***

Philippians 2:5-11

Notes:

Prayer: To have a request included in the ***Pastoral Prayer***, phone the church office and leave a message any time before 9:00 AM on Sunday morning. *Or*, fill out a green '*Prayer Request*' card on the back table as you come in and give to the preacher up-front before 10:25 AM.

Text for the week:

When you are invited by someone to a wedding feast, do not take the place of honor, lest someone more distinguished than you may have been invited by him, and he who invited you both shall come and say to you, 'Give place to this man', and then in disgrace you proceed to occupy the last place. But when you are invited, go and recline at the last place, so that when the one who has invited you comes, he may say to you, 'Friend, move up higher'; then you will have honor in the sight of all who are at the table with you. For everyone who exalts himself shall be humbled, and he who humbles himself shall be exalted.

Luke 14:8-11 (NAS)