PRAY EVERY DAY October 22, 2023 Resource

What is one takeaway from the worship service that God is giving you?

Scripture Invitation

"Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things." (Philippians 4:8 NRSV)

Praying the Psalms from the Daily Office (Morning * Evening)

Monday: 25 * 9, 15 Tuesday: 26, 28 * 36, 39 Wednesday: 38 * 119:25-48 Thursday: 37:1-18 * 37:19-42

Friday: 31 * 35 Saturday: 30, 32 * 42, 43 Sunday: 63, 98 * 103

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

The Bible in a Year with KUMC

This plan is available at KUMC and on the church website. This plan can be started at any time.

Small Group or Personal Study

- Read Philippians 2:19-30.
- Epaphroditus and Timothy are reminders that Paul did not do ministry alone but that he had trusted partners to share in the work of Jesus Christ. Who are your partners in ministry? Who do you see doing some work for Christ who could use your help as a partner with them?
- Epaphroditus went out from his congregation at Philippi to bless Paul. He was being sent by Paul back to Philippi with the letter we call "Philippians" and to share Paul's words and grace with them. Who are people that our congregation has sent out to be missionaries, pastors, preach, mission work, or other ministry? The Philippians had sent out Epaphroditus with gifts to share with Paul and perhaps their greatest help in sending one of their own, Epaphroditus himself. How may we bless those who go out in ministry to other places and congregations?
- As Christians we gather together to worship and are sent back into the world with God's blessing. When we go we carry the grace and gifts that God and the congregation has shared with us. As Epaphroditus went with the congregation's blessings and God, so do we go from worship with Christ and the blessings of our congregation. What are the places and people you go to each week that could use the grace of Christ and the Church?

Spend time in silence Prayer for others and yourself The Lord's Prayer

Share the Love of Jesus because It's All about Relationships

How will you or how did you share the love of Jesus with neighbor today with no strings attached?

A Collect from The Book of Common Prayer, 1979

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.