

Reynolds United Methodist Church
October 15, 2023

Gathering

Greeting & Words of Welcome & Centering

Announcements (See below)

The All Church Memory Verse of the Month: Psalm 3:4

To the Lord I cry aloud, and He answers me from His holy hill. Psalm 3:4

Opening Praise “Sweet Hour of Prayer”

UMH 496

Call to Worship (Call & Response)

Leader: We have come to this place today to be touched by the presence of God

People: We have come to praise God and give thanks for His steadfast love.

Leader: We have come amidst a world filled with violence, natural disasters, and heartbreak.

People: Yet we recall God’s awesome acts in the past and believe He is still with us.

Leader: Surely God’s steadfast love continues to be with us.

People: We await to feel God’s comfort and strength in these moments of worship.

Unison Prayer

Gracious God, you have invited us to this place of worship. Draw us away from all the distractions that take our attention away from you. We believe that our relationship with you is the only true source of the peace, joy, and meaning we seek. All the mysteries of the universe are in your hand, yet you have made yourself known to us in so many small ways. Let us see your face here today. Touch us; remake us; help us to stand firm in our faith in these troubling times. AMEN

Praise Song “The Old Rugged Cross”

UMH 504

Proclamation and Response

Scripture Lesson Exodus 32:1-14 (page 137 in pew Bible)

Children’s Moment Pastor Glen Stewart

Message “HIGH MOMENTS, AND LOW MOMENTS” Pastor Glen Stewart

The Great Thanksgiving

Testimony to Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Offertory

The Doxology UMH 95

Prayer of Dedication

May our offering be used to bless many with the abundance of your love and mercy. May our offering reflect the amazing abundance you have entrusted into our care. Grant that we may find a quiet sense of joy as we place these gifts into your

hands. Use them to provide peace, comfort and hope into the lives of your hurting children. AMEN

Sending Song

“Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me”

UMH 361

Benediction

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday October 15, Old Fashion hymn sing 5:00 pm Sycamore UMC

Wednesday October 18, Bible Study 9:00-10:30 "Spiritual Practices for Soul Care, 40 Ways to Deepen Your Faith". This study will go thru Nov 15.

Saturday October 21, Chicken & Noodles drive thru dinner 4:30-6:30 pm Chana UMC

Tuesday November 7, Annual Church Charge Conference 7:00 pm – Committees need to be meeting.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Mission of the Month for October is for HOPE of Ogle County/Rochelle. Established in the early 1980s, HOPE of Ogle County is a domestic abuse services agency serving all who experience or have experienced any type of domestic abuse. HOPE of Ogle County’s mission is to advocate on behalf of domestic violence victims and their children in a welcoming environment. The caring professionals provide safety planning support, shelter, and referrals while empowering survivors to build a safe and peaceful future. Their services include individual and group counseling to adult and child survivors of abuse, advocacy through the Order of Protection process, a 24/7 hotline and emergency shelter. Please make checks payable to "Reynolds Church" with “M.O.M.” in the memo line and drop your donation any Sunday or mail to Penny Bennett. Thank you. Missions Team

Submit items for the Newsletter to the Church office by October 30, 2023

Serving This Sunday, Oct 15

Organist: Bev Kearns

Ushers for this week: Volunteers needed

Greeters: TBD

Liturgist: Volunteer needed

Youth Moment: Pastor Glen Stewart

Children's Church Teacher: Rhonda Brown

Children's Church Shepherd: Volunteer needed

Communion Steward for October: Kathy Becker

Church Hostess for October: Contact Kathy Becker

Coffee Fellowship Time: Kathy & Bob Becker

Mowing: Service Opportunity Available

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Coffee Fellowship Time: Lois & Bob Heimbaugh

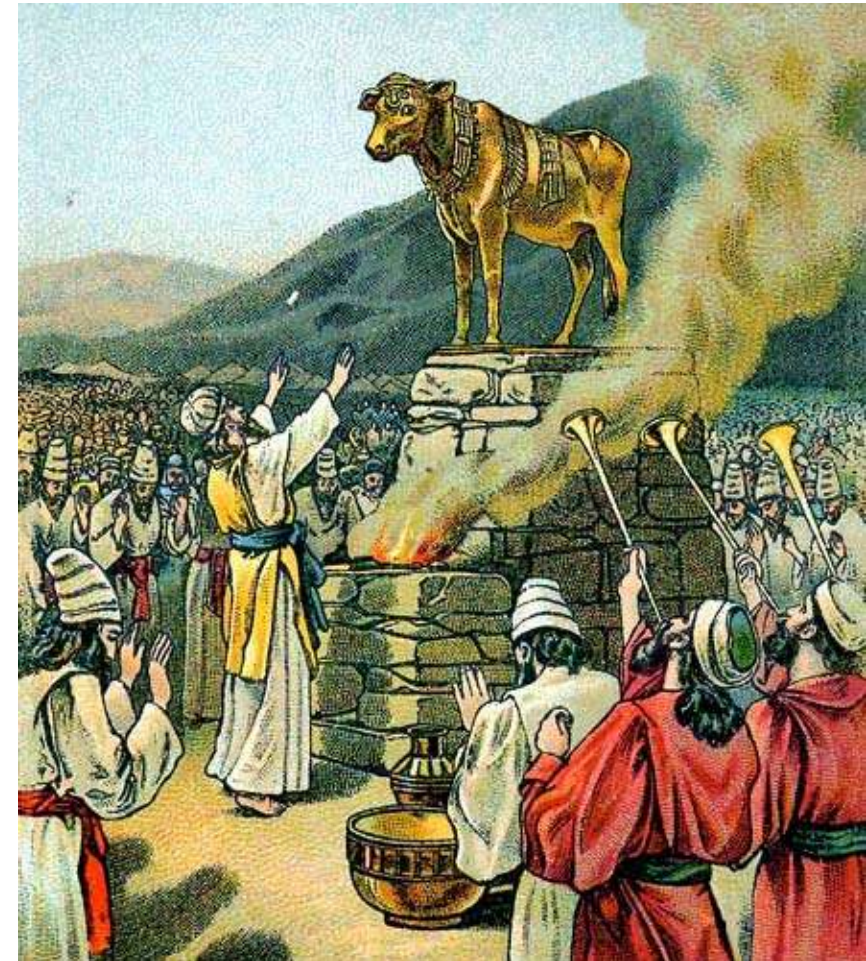
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Offering for:

Church Fund: \$827.00

Sunday School: \$20.00

M.O.M: \$20.00



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