

October 13, 2024



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"Receiving Grace and Mercy"

Hebrews 4:12-16

Rev. Hamilton Throckmorton

**Gathered at Federated Church: 76 Bell Street
Chagrin Falls, OH 44022**

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Twenty-First Sunday After Pentecost

10 AM

Chimes indicate the service is starting and silence is appreciated to prepare for worship.

Prelude *Gift of Finest Wheat* (R. Schmoltze) Marcia Snavely, organ

Welcome and Announcements Rev. Hamilton Throckmorton

Introit *I Love to Tell the Story* (W. Fischer, arr. S. Eithun) The Federated Bell Choir

* **Call to Worship** (*responsive*) Rev. Betsy Wooster

One: The dominion of God is at hand!

All: We want to enter this dominion.

One: The mercy of God is made known.

All: We want to receive this mercy.

One: The grace of God is abundant for all.

All: We want to receive this grace.

One: We praise you, O God, for your compassion and your love.

All: Accept our grateful praise as we come to worship you today.

* **Passing the Peace of Christ**

* **Hymn** *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty* No. 25

Opening Prayer (*unison*) Rev. Wooster

Merciful God,

help us look for you

in the north and in the south,

in the ups and in the downs,

in our homes and in our workplaces,

in our families and in our friends.

Assure us with your grace-filled word

that you love us completely and are with us wherever we go. Amen.

* Those who are able stand

Baptism of Penelope Francis Joseph and Amorette Elizabeth Joseph

Padi Joseph, mother; Karissa Piper, godmother

Promises of the Congregation (*unison*)

We will endeavor to do so, and we promise our support. Joyfully and reverently we welcome Penelope and Amorette into our Federated family of faith, a part of the larger family of God. We pledge to be their sisters, siblings, and brothers, their grandparents, aunts, and uncles in Christ and, with God's help, to surround them with God's kind of love. We accept as our sacred responsibility helping them to grow, together with us all, to full humanity as we see it in Jesus Christ, our Savior. AMEN.

(Children in grades K-8 depart for Sunday School)

Generosity Impact Moment

Rev. Wooster

Invitation to Generosity

Rev. Wooster

Anthem

Amazing Grace (arr. J. Honoré)

The Federated Bell Choir

* **Doxology** *From All That Dwell Below the Skies*

No. 49

**From all that dwell below the skies
let the Creator's praise arise: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Let the Redeemer's name be sung
through every land, in every tongue.
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

* **Prayer of Dedication**

Rev. Throckmorton

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Fellowship of Prayer

Rev. Wooster

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 sins, as we forgive those who sin 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.



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* Hymn	<i>There's a Wideness in God's Mercy</i>	No. 73
Scripture	Hebrews 4:12-16	Rev. Throckmorton
Sermon		Rev. Throckmorton
* Hymn	<i>Amazing Grace!</i>	No. 546
* Benediction		Rev. Throckmorton
Postlude	<i>Prelude and Fugue in C Major (J. S. Bach)</i>	Marcia Snavelly, organ

~ **Departing to Service** ~



God's Grace and Mercy Follow Me
Guideposts

UPCOMING WORSHIP

Sunday, October 20th, 10 AM

"Greatness in Servanthood"

Mark 10:35-45

Rev. Hamilton Throckmorton preaches