

In Our Prayers:

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Welcome to Worship Covid Style

We are holding a 10:00 a.m. worship service inside our sanctuary. Seating in pews is arranged for social distancing and masks are required. Masks will be available if you forget yours. Ushers will escort you to your seat. Because seating is limited we are asking that you call the church office and let us know that you will be attending so we can reserve you a seat. You can call Monday – Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. The Fellowship Hall is being used as an overflow room where the service can be viewed in real time. You will be able to continue to worship in the parking lot as the FM 89.9 will still be operating. The service will also be streaming live on [facebook.com/ellijayfmc](https://www.facebook.com/ellijayfmc).

The Sunday message will continue to be loaded onto YouTube. This will be available on Monday mornings. In the search window type the date and ellijay for example:
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This will bring up this past Sunday's message.

Faith by the Fire!!

Our newest worship opportunity!!

Bring your own chair, pick a spot by the fire and listen to the live 10:00 worship service. One added bonus to this style of worship is the available coffee cart. (Cups will be provided but don't forget your chair!) See you by the fire!

November 22, 2020 Worship Service We are so glad that you are here today. Let us worship God together.

Announcements

Prelude O, Come Sing to the Lord Ensemble

Hymn of Praise Crown Him with Many Crowns

Apostle's Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

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. Amen.

Pastoral Prayer Logan Mashburn

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 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

Special Music Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us Bill & Cheryl Star

Hymn of Preparation Come, Ye Thankful People Come

Scripture

Matthew 25:31-46

Mattie Bryant

“When the Son of Man comes in his glory; and all the angels with him, he will sit on his glorious throne. All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate the people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats. He will put the sheep on his right and the goats on his left. Then the King will say to those on his right, ‘Come, you who are blessed by my Father; take your inheritance, the kingdom prepared for you since the creation of the world. For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in, I needed clothes and you clothed me, I was sick and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me. Then the righteous will answer him, ‘Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you something to drink? When did we see you a stranger and invite you in, or needing clothes and clothe you? When did we see you sick or in prison and go to visit you?’ The King will reply, ‘Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.’ Then he will say to those on his left, ‘Depart from me, you who are cursed, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels. For I was hungry and you gave me nothing to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, I was a stranger and you did not invite me in, I needed clothes and you did not clothe me, I was sick and in prison and you did not look after me.’ They also will answer, ‘Lord, when did we see you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or needing clothes or sick or in prison, and did not help you?’ He will reply, ‘Truly I tell you, whatever you did not do for one of the least of these, you did not do for me.’ Then they will go away to eternal punishment, but the righteous to eternal life.”

Sermon

Rev Sam Burcham

“Christ the “King”?”

Closing Hymn

Come Thou Almighty King

Benediction

Postlude

All Creatures of Our God and King
Ralph Vaughn Williams

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**The church office will be closed Wed., Nov. 25 and Thur., Nov. 26 so that staff can celebrate Thanksgiving with their families. Make your reservations for Sun., Nov. 29 by 3:00 on Tuesday.**



## **Preschool Fundraiser Honey Baked Gift Cards**

Preschool is participating in the Honey Baked Ham Gift Card Fundraiser! For every gift card bought on line or in the church office the preschool gets 20% of the cost of the card. See Ann or Marianne in the office to purchase one by cash or check or go to the link below to order and pay for a card that will be shipped to you; or to order a ecard. This is great for gift giving or you can purchase a card before you order you holiday ham or turkey to help out the preschool!

**You must use this link or purchase in the church office for the preschool to receive the donation!**

**<https://honeybakedfundraising.com/fundraisers/ChildrenFUMC>**

### **Production Team Being formed**

We have discovered during this pandemic how important having an online presence is. Not only has it provided a means for reaching a large number of our congregation on Sundays, it has also become a way to reach new people that are worshipping with us each week.

Because of its importance on into the future, even beyond the pandemic, we are forming a production team. Our staff person Zack Kepley will help direct and train members of this team.

If you would like to become part of this important outreach ministry of our church, please contact the church office or the pastor. You do not have to have any experience with sound or video equipment. We will be providing all the training you will need to provide a great image of our church to the online and in house worshippers.

Should be 15 years old or older, male or female, and wanting to help others receive a wonderful worship experience.

**Prayer Shawl Workshop** will meet Monday, Nov. 23 at 11:00 a.m. in the fellowship hall. Masks must be worn and social distancing will be practiced. **New members and visitors are welcome.**

