

Women's Fellowship Meeting Schedule

All women in the church (and men also!) are invited to attend the meetings. Feel free to bring a friend. All meetings will be held in the Fellowship Hall the first Tuesday from 11am-1pm. Everyone contributes \$1 to attend and brings a sandwich to eat. Dessert and beverage are provided. We always have a program!

DATES:

2017

September 5th
October 3rd

PROGRAM:

Making Christmas Boxes by Kay Hunter
Presentation of her book "Remembering Years of Hiding Behind the Silence" a true story of growing up in Germany as a child during World War II by Christine Detroy.
Pricing of Christmas items for the Fair
Christmas Party

October 31st
December 5th



Church Calendar

Sunday, Aug. 20:	10:00 am - Service 11:15 am - Choir Practice
Monday, Aug. 21:	1 pm - Book Group, parlor
Wednesday, Aug. 23:	7 pm - Cribbage, F.H.
Thursday, Aug. 24:	11:00 am - Bible Study, parlor
Sunday, Aug. 27:	11:30 am - Church Picnic, here

Do you have a bulletin announcement? Please submit it by Wednesday, 9 am, the week before.
Email to: adminassist@elijahkelloggchurch.org. Thank you.



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Sunday Service
August 20, 2017

Welcome to Elijah Kellogg Church! We are glad that you could be with us this morning!

Please let us know how we can be of service to you. Feel free to fill out an information card found in the pew, and place it in the offering plate.

Sunday School for young children is provided. Child care for small children is available.

Please join us for our Coffee Hour following the morning service.

Prelude

Greetings and Announcements

Introit and Quieting our Hearts for Worship

***Call to Worship** (Responsive) from James 1

My brothers and sisters, whenever you
face trials of any kind, consider it a joy,

**because you know that the testing of
your faith produces endurance;**

and let endurance have its full effect, so that
you may be mature and complete, lacking in
nothing.

**Ask God, who gives to all generously, and
ungrudgingly, and it will be given to you.**

Service

***Prayer of Invocation and Lord's Prayer (in Unison)**

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

***Hymn “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” (see page 6)**

(The children are dismissed to Sunday School.
Child care for young children is available.)

First Lesson Luke 4:1-11 Pew Bible, p. 835

Responsive Reading - from 1 Corinthians 10

If you think you are standing,
watch out that you do not fall.

No testing has overtaken you
that is not common to everyone.

**But God is faithful, and will not let
you be tested beyond your strength.**

With the testing, He will also provide the way
out, so that you may be able to endure it.

**Therefore, my dear friends, flee
from the worship of idols.**

560 Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

1. What a fel-low-ship, what a joy di-vine, lean-ing on the ev-er-
2. O how sweet to walk in this pil-grim way, lean-ing on the ev-er-
3. What have I to dread, what have I to fear, lean-ing on the ev-er-

last-ing arms; what a bless-ed-ness, what a peace is mine,
last-ing arms; O how bright the path grows from day to day,
last-ing arms? I have bless-ed peace with my Lord so near,

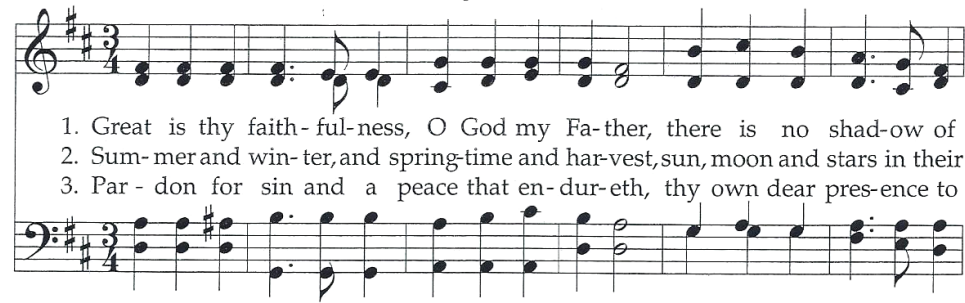
Refrain
lean-ing on the ev-er-last-ing arms. Lean-ing, Lean-ing on Je-sus

lean-ing, safe and se-cure from all a-larms; lean-ing on
lean-ing on Je-sus, lean-ing on Je-sus,

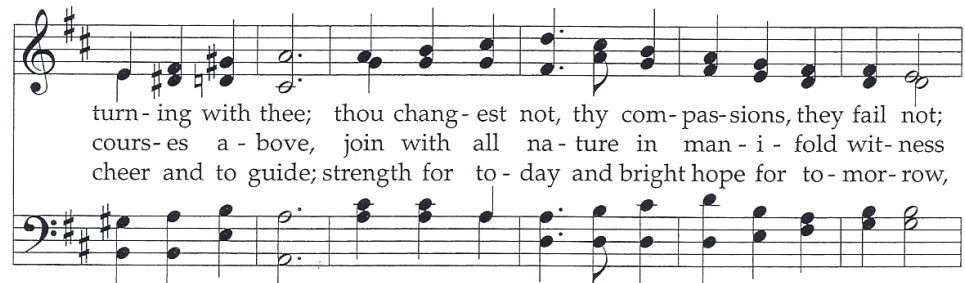
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Je-sus, lean-ing on Je-sus,

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

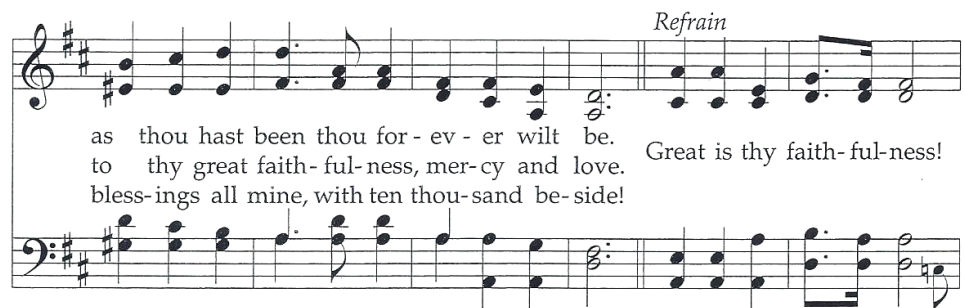
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1. Great is thy faith-ful-ness, O God my Fa-ther, there is no shad-ow of
 2. Sum-mer and win-ter, and spring-time and har-vest, sun, moon and stars in their
 3. Par-don for sin and a peace that en-dur-eth, thy own dear pres-ence to



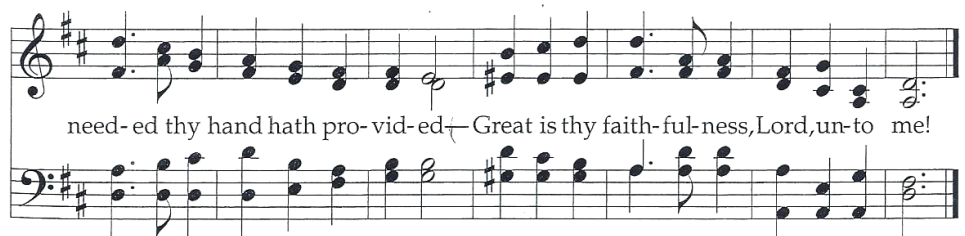
turn-ing with thee; thou chang-est not, thy com-pas-sions, they fail not;
 cours-es a-bove, join with all na-ture in man-i-fold wit-ness
 cheer and to guide; strength for to-day and bright hope for to-mor-row,



Refrain
 as thou hast been thou for-ev-er wilt be. Great is thy faith-ful-ness!
 to thy great faith-ful-ness, mer-cy and love.
 bless-ings all mine, with ten thou-sand be-side!



Great is thy faith-ful-ness! Morn-ing by morn-ing new mer-cies I see; all I have



need-ed thy hand hath pro-vid-ed—Great is thy faith-ful-ness, Lord, un-to me!

Service

*Gloria Patri 513

Anthem "I Must Tell Jesus *with* Blessed Assurance"
 (Mary McDonald)

Second Lesson Luke 22:39-46 Pew Bible, p. 858

Sermon "...Lead us not into temptation,
 but deliver us from evil."

*Hymn 335 "What a Friend We Have in Jesus"

Prayers of the People
 Sharing Joys and Concerns
 Silent Prayer
 Pastoral Prayer
 Choral Response

Call to Giving
 Offertory
 *Doxology 515

*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms" (see page 7)

*Benediction

Choral Blessing

Postlude

*All who are able, please stand.

Serving You this Morning

Minister	Rev. John Carson
Christian Education Director	Denise Perry
Pianist	Elizabeth Quimby
Choir Director	Sue Luce
Greeters	Rick & Signe Daniel
Ushers	Richard & Lasca Lilly
Reader	Rachel Beane
Nursery Attendants	Denise Perry
Trustee	Dave Fitzgerald, 324-1811
Hospitality	The Braleys



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Notes & News

Craft Group meets Tuesdays from 10 am-noon, downstairs in the craft room. All welcome!

Bible Study meets Thursdays at 11 am in the parlor. Please join us!

Book Group meets Monday, Aug. 21, here at 1 pm.

Cribbage is Aug. 23 & Aug. 30, 7 pm in Fellowship Hall.

The Church Picnic is next Sunday, Aug. 27, here, right after the worship service. All welcome to join with us in this summertime fellowship! Hot dogs and chips will be provided. Please bring a dish to share.

HCNS Open House is Aug. 31 & Sept. 1, 9 am-12 pm, the first day of school is Sept. 5th!

Pies are needed for the next public supper, which will be held on Saturday, September 16 from 5:00 – 7:00 pm. If you can provide a pie, please put your name on the sign-up sheet on the hall bulletin board. Pies can be brought to the church kitchen on Friday, Sept. 15 or before 5:00 pm on Sept. 16. Thank you for your help!

It's time to think about the next big all church event, The Christmas By the Sea Fair! The date of the fair is Saturday, November 4. All the committee chairs are in place for this year's fair. Our latest volunteers are Patty & Paul O'Brien Carrier who will be on the **Silent Auction committee** and would love to have four more people join with them in the fun. If this is something you would like to be part of, please contact Paul and Patty at 751-6311. **Craft committee** has been busy every Tuesday making ornaments, handmade items and more. This is the season for jams, jelly, pickles! Are you canning? Are you thinking of cleaning your attic or basement? **Keep the Treasures committee** in mind for your unwanted items. **Are you willing to bake** for the bake sale? Think about how you can contribute to help make the fair a big success!! Fair Co-Chairs: Mickey Maidl,837-9563; Joan Phillips,729-6110; Kay Hunter,865-2280.

Faith & Family

Train a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not turn from it.
Proverbs 22:6

Help us fill shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child! We will be gathering small items* for boys and girls ages 2-14 until November. All donations can be placed in the collection box in Fellowship Hall. **Each month we will highlight a gift theme - August is school supplies.** (Pens, pencils and sharpeners, crayons or markers, stamps and ink pad sets, writing pads, solar calculators, coloring and picture books, etc.) Let's see how many boxes our congregation can fill!



**Remember, all gifts must fit inside of a shoebox!*