CALL TO WORSHIP *Revelation 7:12*

"Amen! Praise and glory and wisdom and thanks and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."

HYMN All Glory, Laud and Honor 95

CONFESSION OF SIN

Almighty God, I bow before You in repentance of my sins. I have sinned against You in many ways, most of which are unknown even to me. Forgive me for bad attitudes that offend You and for words that hurt You and others. O Lord, I am sorry for those times when I have forgotten to call upon You in prayer and for not giving You thanks and praise. I also confess the secret sins of my heart and mind that grieve Your Holy Spirit. In the powerful name of Jesus Christ I pray. Amen.

SCRIPTURE Acts 1:6-11 Jesus Ascends into Heaven
Revelation 1:1-8 Jesus Christ returns to Earth

CONFESSION OF FAITH - Psalm 23:1-6

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters. He restores my soul. He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

ANNOUNCEMENTS - PRAYER - OFFERING

We give Thee but Thine own, Whate'er the gift may be;
All that we have is Thine alone, A trust, O Lord, from Thee. Amen

HYMN Amazing Grace 578

MESSAGE I'll Be Back.....for You! 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

HYMN How Great Thou Art 510 (vs.1, 4)

THE 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 and ever. Amen.

BENEDICTION

DOXOLOGY

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

GROWTH AND MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

TODAY:	Sunday School	9:30 am
	Food & Fellowship	10:15 am
	Worship Service	10:45 am
	Joint Council Meeting at Salem	6:00 pm
WED:	Ladies Bible Study @ St. Paul	6:45 pm
NEXT SUN:	Sunday School	9:30 am
	Fellowship	10:15 am
	Worship Service	10:45 am

Announcements and Looking Ahead

Pastor Benson can be reached at 815-768-7606. Please direct calendar events and any bulletin information to secretary.salemstpaul@gmail.com

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