

NINTH SUNDAY OF GENERAL TIME

July 17, 2016

WE GATHER IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD

Welcome, Announcements, and Greeting Time

Prelude "Miracles" by Cleargold Dancers

*Call to Worship *Why We Worship!*

*Opening Song "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus" Hymn 513

*Opening Prayer – God our Father, we want our worship today to reflect the overwhelming love you have for us in Jesus Christ, and we have for you in the Holy Spirit. We desire that our songs would be a sacrifice of praise, pointing only towards you. We ask that each moment of this time together would bring you great honor and glory, for you alone are worthy. Guide us by your Holy Spirit as we worship so that all we sing and speak and pray would honor you through the great name of Jesus. Amen.

Song of Faith "Spirit of the Living God" Hymn 492

THE SERVICE OF THE WORD OF THE LORD

Scripture Reading Amos 8:1-12

Gospel Reading Luke 10:38-42

Responsorial "Take My Life" Hymn 466

Community and Congregational 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. 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 glory, forever.

Special Music "Morning Hallelujah" by Cleargold Dancers

Invitation to Offering & Prayer of Dedication

Offertory Special "Revelation" by Cleargold Dancers

Children's Message (Children dismissed to Junior Church)

*Scripture and Prayer of Illumination: Galatians 5:1-15

Message "The Only Thing That Matters!"
The Reverend Doctor Ivan E. Greuter, Senior Minister

RESPONDING IN FAITH & SERVICE

*Altar Call of Invitation to Faith and Fellowship – If the Spirit of God is moving you to receive God's forgiving love in Jesus, calling you to be baptized, or encouraging you to join this Christian Church, please come to Jesus during this song.

*Song "Here I Am, Lord" Hymn 559

*Closing Prayer

*Spoken Benediction

*Postlude "Get All Excited" arranged by Fred Back

WELCOME CLEARGOLD DANCERS - a worship dance ministry. Cleargold is a group of dancers from a variety of churches with a common love for Jesus. Their desire is to honor God in every area of life — including the area of dance. The dancers love to travel to Topeka or northeast Kansas church service or event to lead this form of expressive worship. Costumes are modest, and the music is chosen with the intention of declaring devotion to the Lord. Music and dance styles include a mixed repertoire to fit a variety of worship & event styles. To schedule Cleargold or make a donation, please contact group sponsor Becky Linqvist at belinqvist@yahoo.com or at home at (785)-379-9792.

WELCOME TO WORSHIP – I am so happy you choose to worship with us this morning at West Side Baptist Church. We are a loving small church – we’re more than a church, we’re family. If you would like to learn more about a personal relationship with Jesus Christ, need personal prayer, want to know more about our staff and programs, or want to request a pastoral visit, please speak with me after the worship service!

Pastor Ivan

Church Staff & Leaders

Senior Minister Dr. Ivan E. Greuter
Choir Director and Organist Janet Nyfeler
Custodian Ernie Longstaff
Nursery Supervisor LaTondra Harrington
Office Administrator Lynda Cokeley
Pianist Jan Mauck
Evangelism Counselor (July) Steve May
Greeters Jim Goodnow, Virginia Mansfield
Ushers Ernie Longstaff, Don Morris
Larry Dell, Doug Mauck



VISION: The vision of West Side Baptist Church shall be that we commit ourselves to continual personal growth, reaching out to win and nurture others in the love of Jesus Christ

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Galatians 5:1, NRSV

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