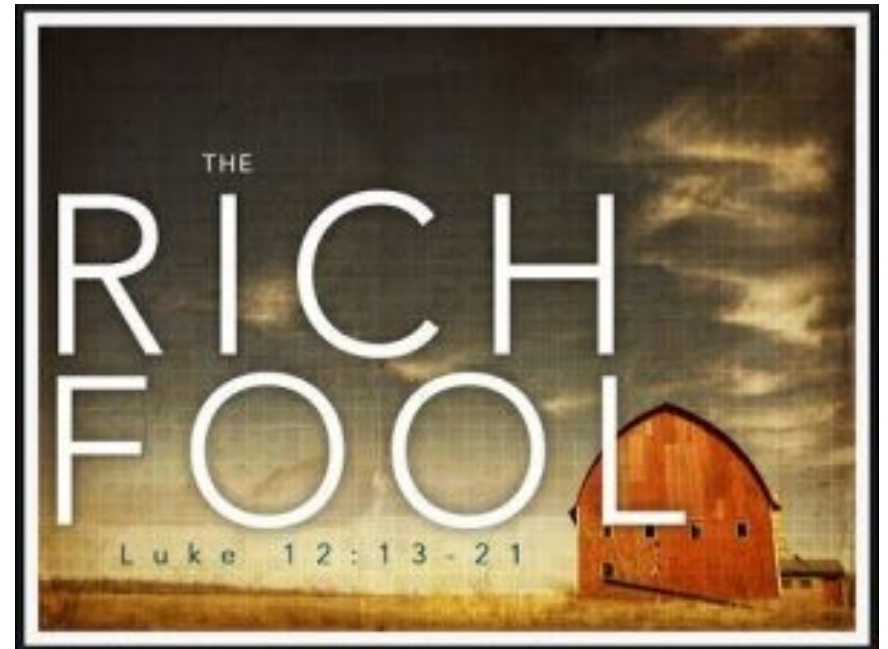


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Hymn 609 Wake, Awake, for Night is Flying

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Congregation: (sing) Amen.

Confession of Our Sins

Pastor: Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God, our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

Pastor: Our help is in the name of the Lord.

Congregation: (sing) Who made heaven and earth.

Pastor: I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord.

Congregation: (sing) And You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Pastor: O Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer, we poor sinners confess unto You that we are by nature sinful and unclean and that we have sinned against You by thought, word, and deed. Wherefore we flee for refuge to Your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring Your grace for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Pastor and Congregation: O most merciful God, who has given Your only begotten Son to die for us, have mercy upon us and for His sake grant us remission of all our sins; and by Your Holy Spirit increase in us true knowledge of You and of Your will and true obedience to Your Word, to the end that by Your grace we may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen

Absolution from Our God

Pastor: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given us His only Son to die for us and for His sake forgives all our sins. To them that believe on His name He gives power to become the sons of God and has promised them His Holy Spirit. He that believes and is baptized shall be saved. Grant this, Lord, unto us all.

Congregation: (sing) Amen

Announcements

Welcome — to our guests and visitors who worshipped with us today. Please return and worship with us again.

Pastor Rodebaugh is on vacation this week visiting his in-laws in Upper Michigan. Please keep him and his family in your prayers this week.

There will not be a Wednesday morning Bible Class this week but next Sunday regular Sunday School and Bible Class at 9:00 a.m.

August 7 Offerings:	\$ 1,156.30
Weekly Offerings needed for budget	\$ 1,607.69
General Fund Balance	\$ 20,868.59
Faith-Blue Springs Balance	\$ 27,126.12
 Total Cash All Funds	 \$ 63,560.55

The Offertory

Pastor & Congregation: *(sing)*

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me
Cast me not away from Thy presence;
and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.
Restore unto me the joy of thy salvation;
and uphold me with thy free spirit. Amen

The Offerings of Thankful Hearts

Prayer, Lord's Prayer

Hymn 400 Take My Life and Let It Be

The Benediction

Congregation: *(sing)* Amen, Amen, Amen.

Hymn 644 Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

The Gloria

Pastor & Congregation: *(sing hymn 23:4)*

Hallelujah! Let praises ring!
Unto our Triune God we sing;
Blest be His name forever!
With angel hosts let us adore
And sing His praises more and more
For all His grace and favor!
Singing, ringing: Holy, holy, God is holy,--
Spread the story; of our God, the Lord of Glory!

The Prayer for the Day

Congregation: *(sing)* Amen

† ☐ Scripture Readings † ☐

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Colossians 3:1-11

¹Therefore, because you were raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. ²Set your mind on things above, not on earthly things. ³For you died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. ⁴When Christ, who is your life, appears, then you also will appear with him in glory. ⁵So put to death whatever is worldly in you: sexual immorality, uncleanness, lust, evil desire, and greed, which is idolatry. ⁶It is because of these things that the wrath of God is coming on the sons of disobedience. ⁷You too once walked in these things, when you were living in them. ⁸But now, you too are to rid yourselves of all of these: wrath, anger, malice, slander, and filthy language from your mouth. ⁹Do not lie to each other since you have put off the old self with its practices, ¹⁰and put on the new self, which is continually being renewed in knowledge, according to the image of its Creator. ¹¹Here there is no Greek or Jew, circumcision or uncircumcision, barbarian, Scythian, slave or free, but rather Christ is all and is in all. (EHV © 2019)

John 6:22-35

²² The next day, the crowd that stayed on the other side of the sea noticed that only one boat^[a] was there. They also knew that Jesus had not stepped into the boat with his disciples, but they had gone away without him. ²³ Other boats from Tiberias came to shore near the place where they ate the bread after the Lord gave thanks. ²⁴ When the crowd saw that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they got into the boats and went to Capernaum looking for Jesus. ²⁵ When they found him on the other side of the sea, they asked him, "Rabbi, when did you get here?" ²⁶ Jesus answered them, "Amen, Amen, I tell you: You are not looking for me because you saw the miraculous signs, but because you ate the loaves and were filled. ²⁷ Do not continue to work for the food that spoils, but for the food that endures to eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For on him God the Father has placed his seal of approval." ²⁸ So they said to him, "What should we do to carry out the works of God?" ²⁹ Jesus answered them, "This is the work of God: that you believe in the one he sent." ³⁰ Then they asked him, "So what miraculous sign are you going to do, that we may see it and believe you? What miraculous sign are you going to perform?" ³¹ Our fathers ate the manna in the wilderness, just as it is written, 'He gave them bread from heaven to eat.'" ³² Jesus said to them, "Amen, Amen, I tell you: Moses did not give you the bread from heaven, but my Father gives you the real bread from heaven. ³³ For the bread of God is the one who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." ³⁴ "Sir," they said to him, "give us this bread all the time!" ³⁵ "I am the Bread of Life," Jesus told them. "The one who comes to me will never be hungry, and the one who believes in me will never be thirsty. (EHV © 2019)

Confession of Faith



(The Apostolic 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 Ghost, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was

crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into Heaven, and sitteth on 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 Ghost; the Holy Christian Church, the Communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen



Hymn 425 (1-5) All Depends on Our Possessing

† Sermon †

Luke 12:13-21

¹³ Someone from the crowd said to him, "Teacher, tell my brother to divide the inheritance with me." ¹⁴ But Jesus said to him, "Man, who appointed me to be a judge or an arbitrator over you?" ¹⁵ Then he said to them, "Watch out and be on guard against all greed, because a man's life is not measured by how many possessions he has." ¹⁶ He told them a parable: "The land of a certain rich man produced very well. ¹⁷ He was thinking to himself, 'What will I do, because I do not have anywhere to store my crops?' ¹⁸ He said, 'This is what I will do. I will pull down my barns and build bigger ones, and there I will store all my grain and goods. ¹⁹ And I will tell my soul, "Soul, you have many goods stored up for many years. Take it easy. Eat, drink, and be merry.'" ²⁰ "But God said to him, 'You fool, this night your soul will be demanded from you. Now who will get what you have prepared?' ²¹ "That is how it will be for anyone who stores up treasure for himself and is not rich toward God." (EHV © 2019)

Sermon Theme: Don't Be A "Fool"

(Ministry by Mail written by Pastor Luke Bernthal)