



### "Simple Gifts"

'Tis the gift to be simple, 'tis the gift to be free,  
 'Tis the gift to come down where we ought to be,  
 And when we find ourselves in the place just right,  
 'Twill be in the valley of love and delight.  
 When true simplicity is gain'd,  
 To bow and to bend we will not be asham'd,  
 To turn, turn will be our delight,  
 Till by turning, turning we come round right.



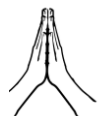
**Scripture 1: Proverbs 22:1-2,8-9,22-23** (p. 934)

**Scripture 2: James 2:1-17** (p. 1722)

### Faith and Engagement



**"I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me " No.369**  
 (Blue Hymnal)



### Prayers of the Pastor and the People with Praise and Thanksgiving

*share briefly names & situations to lift to God in prayer – we know God is more than able to hold all we offer & God knows the details!* Lord in Your mercy...**Hear our prayer**

### Blessing



**"Halle, Halle, Halle-lujah (X3)**  
**Hallelujah, Hal-le-lu-jah!"**

### Prayer Concerns

Prayer family: **Kerm and Carol Bossard**  
 Prayer young person: **Aurora Dann**  
 Prayer theme for young adults: **school/work**  
 All medical professionals, emergency responders & those serving in hospitals, nursing homes & care facilities  
 Military folks & family - the USA & all those in leadership  
 S-VE School Board members, administrators, teachers & others  
 North Spencer Christian Academy  
 Church Finances  
 Empowering Lives  
 Christ the King Fellowship - Pastor Sabrina Slater

### Calendar:

All Week -- No Pastor's Hours (Ecumenical/Interreligious mtg in Louisville, KY)  
 Monday -- 6PM AA  
 Wednesday -- 11AM Adult Study (Judges 9)  
 Friday -- 11AM Women's Bible Study  
 Friday -- 12:15PM Spencer Singers  
 Friday -- 1:30PM Chair Yoga  
 Sunday -- 10AM Adult Study & 11AM Worship

## Community Events:

Mon. 10AM Story Hour @ Spencer Library

Wed. 4-5:30PM Open Hearts Dinner @ Mckendree GMC **\*\*TAKE OUT ONLY\*\***

3rd Thurs. 10-11:30AM Mom-to Mom group @ Inspire (57 E. Tioga St, Spencer)

3rd Fri. 11:30-12:30PM Sr. Social Hour @ Inspire RSVP @607-687-4120

**\*\*Candor Events: ([candornychamber.org](http://candornychamber.org))**

Sat. 9AM-12:30PM Spencer Farmer's Market!

**\*\*Upcoming:**

**9/11: 6:30PM** Citizen Preparedness Corps \*must register! (VFW Post 8139, VanEtten) \*Sign up **HERE** (go to calendar; 9/11; VanEtten)

**9/11: 7PM** Village Board Mtg (Spencer Village Municipal Building, 41 N.Main, Spencer)

**9/12: 9-10:30AM** Food Cupboard give-away. Both indoor (bring bags/boxes) shopping & pick-up options. (Orchard St. near the "old" Dollar General; open to all who live or work in SVE School District)

**9/12: 6PM** SVE Board of Education Business Mtg (SVE HS Library)

**9/14: 11-11:45AM** Guided Contemplation in the First Baptist Church (Ithaca) Pollinator Garden (garden directly in front of the church facing DeWitt Park; dress for the weather & bring a seat if you have one)

**9/14: 3-9PM** Harvest Punch Festival (Littletree Orchards 345 Shaffer Rd. Newfield)

## Christ the King Fellowship Presbyterian #love September 8, 2024 – 10:00 AM



Welcome

**Prelude** "How Majestic is Thy Name"  
by John Carter

**Call to Worship** The LORD is my shepherd  
**I shall not want.**

The LORD is my shepherd!

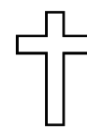
**I will not be in need! The LORD is my shepherd! I lack nothing!**



(The 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.



**"He's Got the Whole World in His Hands "**  
(Red Praise) **No. 328**



**Confession** (from BCW) **God, in raising Jesus from the grave you shattered the power of sin and death. We confess that we often remain captive to doubt and fear, bound by ways That lead to death...Forgive us. Help us to trust Your power to change our lives and make us new, so we may know the joy of life abundant given in Jesus Christ, our risen Lord.**

*[silent prayer & reflection; let the Holy Spirit identify any sin that needs confessing - offer it to God & let it go]*

**Assurance of Pardon & 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**

(BlueHymnal No. 579)

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**"He's Got the Whole World in His Hands "** African-American

1 He's got the whole world in his hands.  
He's got the whole world in his hands.  
He's got the whole world in his hands.  
He's got the whole world in his hands.

2 He's got the wind and the rain in his hands.

(Sing three times)

He's got the whole world in his hands.

3 He's got the little tiny baby in his hands. . . .  
He's got the whole world in his hands.

4 He's got you and me, brother, in his hands. . . .  
He's got the whole world in his hands.

6 He's got everybody here in his hands. . . .  
He's got the whole world in his hands.

**"I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me "** African-American

1. I'm gonna live so God can use me  
anywhere, Lord, anytime!  
I'm gonna live so God can use me  
anywhere, Lord, anytime!

2. I'm gonna work so God can use me  
anywhere, Lord, anytime!  
I'm gonna work so God can use me  
anywhere, Lord, anytime!

3. I'm gonna pray so God can use me  
anywhere, Lord, anytime!  
I'm gonna pray so God can use me  
anywhere, Lord, anytime!

4. I'm gonna sing so God can use me  
anywhere, Lord, anytime!  
I'm gonna sing so God can use me  
anywhere, Lord, anytime!

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