## **Living for Jesus**

"Living for Jesus a life that is true, striving to please him in all that I do, yielding allegiance, gladhearted and free, this is the pathway of blessing for me.... My life I give, hence forth to live, O Christ, for thee alone." (T.Chisolm)

Dear Friends,

The summer has flown by and the fall season is coming in the cool air and changing leaves. Our church is alive and changing too. Each fall we head "back to school" and "back to church." Sunday worship and church groups are an important part of our Christian lives and weekly schedules.

On September 20th we look forward to our first Bells and Brunch Sunday this fall. The Bell Choir music will be in remembrance of Shirley Cook who passed recently (on August 14).

On September 27th we will celebrate Bible Sunday, focusing on God's Word for our lives. We will present Bibles to our third grade children and pray for all our Sunday School children.

In September we are also reviewing our past church year of ministry and missions, and updating our leadership and committees roster. We will be setting ministry goals for 2016, to be voted on at our annual Church Conference on Sunday, October 11th.

We hope that you will join us in "Living for Jesus." Let us focus on our Living Faith in word and action so that our Christian lives will be a shining light of God's love and hope for others in our families, communities, and in the world.

Grace and Peace, Pastor Jennifer