

OoW 6-19-22 Juneteenth ~ Father's Day (Green) Ringing of Bell Lighting of Candles 10 AM

Thought: “Look what you've already come through! Don't deny it. You've already come through some things, which are very painful. If you've been alive until you're 35, you have gone through some pain. It cost you something. And you've come through it. So at least look at that. And have a sense to look at yourself and say, “Well, wait a minute. I'm stronger than I thought I was.” (Maya Angelou 1928-2014)

Pastoral Prayer

Handbell Choir

Gathering Hymn

"We Are Called"

No. 2172 TFWS

Come! Live in the light! Shine with the joy and the love of the Lord! We are called to be light for the kingdom, to live in the freedom of the city of God! We are called to act with justice, we are called to love tenderly, we are called to serve one another, to walk humbly with God!

Come! Open your heart! Show your mercy to all those in fear! We are called to be hope for the hopeless so all hatred and blindness will be no more! We are called to act with justice, we are called to love tenderly, we are called to serve one another, to walk humbly with God!

Sing! Sing a new song! Sing of that great day when all will be one! God will reign, and we'll walk with each other as sisters and brothers united in love! We are called to act with justice, we are called to love tenderly, we are called to serve one another, to walk humbly with God!

Call to Worship: A Statement of Faith – No. 883 UMH

We are not alone, we live in God's world. We believe in God: who has created and is creating, who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and make new, who works in us and others by the Spirit. We trust in God. We are called to be the church: to celebrate God's presence, to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil, to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope. In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us. We are not alone. Thanks be to God. Amen.

Call and Response: People: **I will, with God's help.**

Scripture Reading:

Psalm 42

Linda Wareham

Opening Hymn:

"As The Deer"

3x

No. 2025 TFWS

As the deer pants for the water, so my soul longs after you. You alone are my heart's desire, and I long to worship you. You alone are my strength, my shield; to you alone may my spirit yield. You alone are my heart's desire, and I long to worship you.

Children's Sermon:

Susan Johnson

The Lord's Prayer: No. 895 UMH

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. Amen.

Padre Nuestro:

Padre nuestro, que estás en los cielos, santificado sea tu nombre. Venga tu reino; hágase tu voluntad, en la tierra como en el cielo. Danos hoy nuestro pan de cada día, y perdona nuestras ofensas como nosotros perdonamos a los que nos ofenden. Y no nos metas en tentación, mas líbranos del mal. Porque tuyo es el reino, y el poder, y la gloria por los siglos. Amén.

Scripture Reading:

I Kings 19:1-15a

Linda Wareham

Offertory: Joy Asenas

Doxology: "Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow" No. 94 UMH

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Prayer of Dedication: No. 392 UMH

Give me a pure heart, that I may see thee; a humble heart, that I may hear thee; a heart of love, that I may serve thee; a heart of faith, that I may abide in thee. Amen. (Dag Hammerskjold, Sweden, 20th century)

Scripture Reading

Galatians 3:23-29

Linda Wareham

Preparation Hymn

"When the Poor Ones/Cuando El Pobre"

No. 434 UMH

When the poor ones who have nothing share with strangers, when the thirsty water give unto us all, when the crippled in their weakness strengthen others, then we know that God still goes that road with us, then we know that God still goes that road with us.

Cuando_el pobre nada tiene y_aun reparte, cuando_el hombre pasa sed y_agua nos da, cuando_el debil a su_hermano fortalece, va Dios mismo_en nuestro mismo caminar, va Dios mismo_en nuestro mismo caminar.

Cuando sufre_un hombre_y logra su consuelo, cuando_espera_y no se cansa de_esperar, cuando_amamos, aunque_el odio nos rodee, va Dios mismo en nuestro mismo caminar, va Dios mismo en nuestro mismo caminar.

When at last all those who suffer find their comfort, when they hope though even hope seems hoplessness, when we love though hate at times seems all around, then we know that God still goes that road with us, then we know that God still goes that road with us.

Scripture Reading:

Luke 8:26-39

Homily:

"God Sees You"

Rev. Bethany Carpenter

Hymn of Commitment:

"He Who Began a Good Work In You"

No. 2163 TFWS

He who began a good work in you... He who began a good work in you... Will be faithful to complete it... Will be faithful to complete it... He who started the work will be faithful to complete it in you. 3X

Prayer of Confession No. 892 UMH

Our Heavenly Father who by thy love hast made us, and through thy love hast kept us, and in thy love wouldst make us perfect: We humbly confess that we have not loved thee with all our heart and soul and mind and strength, and that we have not loved one another as Christ hath loved us. Forgive what we have been; help us to amend what we are; and in thy Spirit direct what we shall be; that thou mayest come into the full glory of thy creation in us and in all the people; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.

Prayer Before Receiving Holy Communion: No. 607 UMH

Let me be full, let me be empty. Let me have all things, let me have nothing. I freely and heartily yield all things to thy pleasure and disposal. In Jesus' name. Amen. (John Wesley, England, 1700's)

Holy Communion at HOME: Bread, Liquid, Candle. Response 1: **Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of Power and Might. Heaven and Earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.** Response 2: **Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again!** Response 3: **Amen, Amen, Amen.**

Bardsdale Closing Song:

May the God of Peace be with you, holding you in strong fingered hands, and may you be an instrument of God's peace, to those whose hands you hold, and may the blessings of peace, be with you, be with you, be with you. (Edited by Roberta Palmer)