

Faith United Methodist Church

September 13, 2020

15th Sunday after Pentecost

Outdoor Worship Service

10:30 am

Opening Music (Marie Kuglin/Praise Band)

Welcome and Invocation

Opening Song - *All Creatures of Our God and King* (UMH 62)

Theme of the Week - Melody Green

Children's Announcements - Pastor Nancy Ellis

Special Music – Handbells: *“Be Thou My Vision,”* Arr. Wagner

Prayers of the People

Scripture - Acts 17:22-28 - Sarah Green

Sermon – “Putting God First,” Rev. Jeffrey Ozanne

Communion

Song - *I Need Thee Every Hour* (UMH 397)

Announcements

Closing Song - *Blessed Assurance* (UMH 369)

Blessing

Postlude – *“We’ve a Story to Tell to the Nations,”* Arr. Smith; Marie Kuglin

COMMUNION

INVITATION

CONFESSION AND PARDON

**Merciful God,
we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart.
We have failed to be an obedient church.
We have not done your will,
we have broken your law,
we have rebelled against your love,
we have not loved our neighbors,
and we have not heard the cry of the needy.
Forgive us, we pray.
Free us for joyful obedience,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

Leader: Hear the good news...in the name of Jesus Christ you are forgiven!
**In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.
Glory to God. Amen.**

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them up to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.
It is right,...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:
**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.**
Holy are you,...as we proclaim the mystery of faith.
Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.
Pour out your Holy Spirit...honor and glory is yours, almighty Father, now and for ever.
Amen.

THE LORD'S 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.
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.**

GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

PRAYER AFTER RECEIVING

Hymns (songs)

All Creatures of Our God and King (UMH 62)

1. All creatures of our God and King, lift up your voice and with us sing, O praise ye! Alleluia! O brother sun with golden beam, O sister moon with silver gleam!
2. O brother wind, air, clouds, and rain, by which all creatures ye sustain, O praise ye! Alleluia! Thou rising morn, in praise rejoice, ye lights of evening, find a voice!
3. O sister water, flowing clear, make music for thy Lord to hear, Alleluia! Alleluia! O brother fire who lights the night, providing warmth, enhancing sight,
4. Dear mother earth, who day by day unfoldest blessings on our way, Alleluia! Alleluia! The flowers and fruits that in thee grow, let them God's glory also show!
5. All ye who are of tender heart, forgiving others, take your part, O praise ye! Alleluia! Ye who long pain and sorrow bear, praise God and on him cast your care!

Refrain:

O praise ye! O praise ye! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

I Need Thee Every Hour (UMH 397)

1. I need thee every hour, most gracious Lord; no tender voice like thine can peace afford.
2. I need thee every hour; stay thou nearby; temptations loose their power when thou art nigh.
3. I need thee every hour, in joy or pain; come quickly and abide, or life is vain.
4. I need thee every hour; teach me thy will; and thy rich promises in me fulfill.
5. I need thee every hour, most Holy One; O make me thine indeed, thou blessed Son.

Refrain:

I need thee, O I need thee; every hour I need thee;
O bless me now, my Savior, I come to thee.

Blessed Assurance (UMH 369)

1. Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine! O what a foretaste of glory divine! Heir of salvation, purchase of God, born of his Spirit, washed in his blood.
2. Perfect submission, perfect delight, visions of rapture now burst on my sight; angels descending bring from above echoes of mercy, whispers of love.
3. Perfect submission, all is at rest; I in my Savior am happy and blest, watching and waiting, looking above, filled with his goodness, lost in his love.

Refrain:

This is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long;
this is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long.