Order of Worship July 14, 2019 10:45am

5th Sunday of Pentecost || Ordinary Time || Color: Green

Welcome to worship at St. John's United Methodist Church! There are no visitors in God's house, only family members we have not yet met. If this is your first time worshiping in this place, welcome home! We are always glad to meet members of God's family! We encourage everyone (visitors, members, and friends of St. John's UMC) to fill out the friendship roster which is located in each pew so we will have a record of our time together worshiping God.

* The (*) symbol indicates certain moments during the worship service when you are encouraged to stand in body or in spirit as you are able.

GATHERING

WORDS OF WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Jason Rabon

PASSING OF THE PEACE

PRELUDE My Tribute Jose Soler, Organ

By Andrae Crouch

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Love the Lord your God,

People: with all your heart, and with all your soul,

and with all your strength, and with all your

mind!

Leader: Love your neighbor as yourself,

People: with all your heart, and with all your soul,

and with all your strength, and with all your

mind!

Leader: Do this and you will live!

People: Let us worship God with all our heart, and

with all our soul, and with all our strength!

All: Amen!

INTROIT Chancel Choir

Surely the Presence of the Lord By Lanny Wolf

*THE CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

*THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Come, Christians, Join to Sing UMH #158

*OPENING PRAYER

Holy God, you call us to live out your justice and righteousness. Help us to walk in your footsteps, so that we never lose our way. Enable us to live and love in the way that you have taught us, so that we can act in grace, even with those who we consider our enemies. In the name of Jesus we pray. Amen.

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Deuteronomy 30:9-14

OT p.184 - Dennis Nichols

CHILDREN'S MOMENTS

Darrel Cooke

(Following Children's Moments, all children, kindergarten - 5th grade are invited to attend Children's Church located on the children's Sunday School hallway. All children will return to the sanctuary by the end of worship.)

ANTHEM Be Thou My Vision Chancel Choir By Traditional Irish Melody, arranged by Tom Fettke & Marty Parks

*GOSPEL PROCESSIONAL

Thy Word Is A Lamp Unto My Feet (v.1) UMH #601

*GOSPEL READING: Luke 10:25-37 NT p.67

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God!

People: Thanks be to God!

*GOSPEL PROCESSIONAL

Thy Word Is A Lamp Unto My Feet (v.2) UMH #601

MESSAGE "No Excuses" Rev. Angela H. Marshall

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles' Creed UMH #881

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 Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at 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 Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*GLORIA PATRI Glory Be to the Father UMH #71 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.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

THE MORNING PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory Sylvia Stone, Piano

Make Me a Channel of Your Peace (Prayer of St. Francis)
By Sebastian Temple, arranged by Lloyd Larson

***DOXOLOGY** UMH #95

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! Amen

SENDING FORTH

*HYMN OF FAITH

O Master. Let Me Walk with Thee UMH #430

*THE BENEDICTION

*THE BENEDICTION RESPONSE

Go Now in Peace D. Besig & N. Price

Go now in peace...never be afraid.

God will go with you each hour of every day. Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true.

Know He will guide you in all you do.

Go now in love, and show you believe.

Reach out to others so all the world can see.

God will be there, watching from above.

Go now in peace, in faith, and in love. Amen

*THE POSTLUDE Sylvia Stone, Piano

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

By Ludwig Van Beethoven, arranged by Don Phillips

Are You Ready to Take the Next Step?

Are you ready to take the next step in your faith? Is it time for you to make a profession of faith in Christ, join the church, find a place to serve, and/or join a group to grow in faith? God never forces us but waits for us to take the next step. Wherever you are in your journey, if you are feeling God moving you to take the next step, please contact Pastor Angela by calling or emailing the church office at (803) 438-1335 or s.j.umc@truvista.net.