

Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost

September 13, 2020

Prelude *Living For Jesus*

Morning Prayer

We sing and speak your praise, O God, grateful for the many ways in which you have healed us. Keep our hearts, our minds, and our spirits open to learn ways in which we can offer healing love for others. For we ask this in Jesus' Name. Amen.

Welcome

Call to Worship:

Leader: Sing praise to God, who rescues us when we fall!

People: Sing praise to God, who walks with us on all our journeys!

Leader: Even though we fall, God lifts us and places us on paths of peace.

People: Even though we stray, God finds us and brings us back to lives of hope.

Leader: Thanks be to God, whose love is continually with us.

People: Praise be to God, whose mercy is over us all.

Hymn: *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee* Vs. 1,3,4 #89 (UMH)

Hymn: *Make Me a Channel of Your Peace* #2171 (FWS)

Invitation to Prayer

Silent Prayer

Sharing the Prayers of God's People

Lord's Prayer (using "sins")

Hymn: *Lord, I Want to Be a Christian* Vs. 1,2,4 #402 (UMH)

Expressions of Discipleship

Offertory *Forgive Our Sins*

Doxology #94 (UMH)

Community Prayer:

Giving God, all we are and all we have come from you. As you have entrusted your gifts to us, so we return these gifts to you, trusting that you will multiply them to the great glory of your kingdom on earth. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

Time With Our Children

Scripture Reading Matthew 18:21-35

A Witness The Math of Forgiveness

Hymn: *O, How I Love Jesus* Vs. 1,3 #170 (UMH)

Benediction

Postlude *There Is A Balm In Gilead*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Jim Barth will begin vacation on September 21 through October 12. Please call the church office for assistance.

TODAY, September 13 at 11:30 am, Church Family Care will be hosting a "Bring your own" Picnic at Marshal Park. Please bring your own picnic lunch and chairs!

We are seeking individuals that would be willing to learn and run the Sunday stream. If you are interested, please contact the Church office.

Coffee with the Pastor Wednesday at 10 am.

Our next Church Council meeting will be taking place on September 20 at 11:00 am through Google Meet.

The following events have been canceled.

UMM Parking Lot Sale, UMW Holiday Bazaar, NAM Cabbage Roll sales, Gingerbread Cookie Sale

Women's Fall Book study continues on September 16.