



THE WORSHIP OF GOD
Fayetteville First UMC
Seventh Sunday After Pentecost
July 24, 2022
11:00 AM

GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Ms. Lauren Davis
Annual Conference Lay Delegate

MUSIC OF PREPARATION

Great Is Thy Faithfulness
arr. Marilyn Ham

Ms. Judy Hames
Guest pianist

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Psalm 85:10-13

The Rev. Joe Watson and **People**
Minister of Nurture

Steadfast love and faithfulness will meet; righteousness and peace will kiss each other.
Faithfulness will spring up from the ground, and righteousness will look down from the sky.
The LORD will give what is good, and our land will yield its increase.
Righteousness will go before him, and will make a path for his steps.

***HYMN 545**

The Church's One Foundation

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***INVOCATION**

The Rev. Geoff Beakley

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

The Apostles' Creed

Rev. Beakley and **People**

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. **universal UMH 881*

***GLORIA PATRI**

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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.

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***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

Rev. Beakley and **People**

Offer one another signs of reconciliation and love:

“The peace of Christ be with you.” **“And also with you.”**

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Rev. Watson and **People**

**Lord, open our hearts and minds
by the power of your Holy Spirit,
that, as the Scriptures are read
and your Word proclaimed,
we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.**

FIRST READING

Galatians 3:23-26

Rev. Watson

*²³Now before faith came, we were imprisoned and guarded under the law until faith would be revealed.
²⁴Therefore the law was our disciplinarian until Christ came, so that we might be justified by faith. ²⁵But now
that faith has come, we are no longer subject to a disciplinarian, ²⁶for in Christ Jesus you are all children of
God through faith.*

May God bless the hearing of this scripture.

Thanks be to God.

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

Rev. Watson

**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.**

***HYMN 405**

Seek Ye First

SEEK YE

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Rev. Watson

OFFERTORY

Jesus Is the Song
David Danner, arr. Stan Pethel

Chancel Choir

*My Savior is the Lord and King, He has control of everything,
He loves me and He bids me sing, He gives His song to me.*

*He calms my hurts and dries my tears, He gives me strength to face my fears,
He sends His grace thro' all my years, He gives His song to me.*

*Jesus is the song of life, Jesus is the song of joy,
Jesus is the song of love; Jesus gives His song to me.*

*My Savior, Jesus, I'll adore, My weary soul He will restore,
I'll praise His name forevermore, He'll give His song to me.*

*Jesus is the song of life, Jesus is the song of joy,
Jesus is the song of love; Jesus gives His song to me.
Jesus is the song.*

***DOXOLOGY**

OLD 100th

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.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Rev. Beakley

*Children ages 4 years through 2nd grade are invited to attend Wonders of Worship in Room B225.
Children 3rd grade and older are encouraged to stay in the sanctuary for the service.
The nursery is available for infants through 3 years.*

***GOSPEL READING**

Mark 10:35-45

Rev. Watson

³⁵James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to him and said to him, "Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you." ³⁶And he said to them, "What is it you want me to do for you?" ³⁷And they said to him, "Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory." ³⁸But Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?" ³⁹They replied, "We are able." Then Jesus said to them, "The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; ⁴⁰but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared."

⁴¹When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. ⁴²So Jesus called them and said to them, "You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. ⁴³But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, ⁴⁴and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. ⁴⁵For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many."

May God bless the hearing of this scripture.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

God's Extravagant Love

Rev. Beakley

***HYMN 377**

It Is Well with My Soul

VILLE DU HAVRE

***BENEDICTION**

Rev. Beakley

*Do all the good you can, by all the means you can,
in all the ways you can, in all the places you can,
at all the times you can, to all the people you can,
as long as ever you can.*

***POSTLUDE**

Praise to the Lord the Almighty
arr. Paul Manz

Mr. Rick Massengale
Guest Music Director

*Please stand in body or spirit.

Congregational responses are in **bold type**.

Please remember in your prayers:

Van Askew
Nancy Byers
Richard Clayton
Barbara Condon
Margaret Grainger

Martha Hale
Jeff Hansen
Don Harp
Chenelle Hernandez
Tangie Hubbard

Cindy Jennings
Sara Johnston
Doris Kerlin
Thelma McMillan
Claudia Rhodes

Brenda Tierman
Helen Voyles
Elise Wheatley
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