ORDER OF WORSHIP

July 25, 2021 - Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome & Call to Worship - **2 Kings 4:42-44**

A man came from Baal-shalishah, bringing food from the first fruits to the man of God: twenty loaves of barley and fresh ears of grain in his sack. Elisha said, "Give it to the people and let them eat." But his servant said, "How can I set this before a hundred people?" So he repeated, "Give it to the people and let them eat, for thus says the LORD, 'They shall eat and have some left.'" He set it before them, they ate, and had some left, according to the word of the LORD.

**Raise a Hallelujah**

I raise a hallelujah in the presence of my enemies I raise a hallelujah louder than the unbelief I raise a hallelujah my weapon is a melody I raise a hallelujah Heaven comes to fight for me

I’m gonna sing in the middle of the storm Louder and louder you’re gonna hear my praises roar Up from the ashes hope will arise Death is defeated the King is alive

I raise a hallelujah with everything inside of me I raise a hallelujah I will watch the darkness flee I raise a hallelujah in the middle of the mystery I raise a hallelujah fear you lost your hold on me

Sing a little louder (Sing a little louder) Sing a little louder (Sing a little louder) Sing a little louder (Sing a little louder) Sing a little louder (Sing a little louder)

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**Desert Song**

This is my prayer in the desert When all that's within me feels dry This is my prayer in my hunger and need My God is the God who provides

This is my prayer in the fire In weakness or trial or pain There is a faith proved of more worth than gold So refine me Lord through the flame

I will bring praise I will bring praise No weapon formed against me shall remain I will rejoice I will declare God is my victory and He is here

This is my prayer in the battle When triumph is still on its way I am a conqueror and co-heir with Christ So firm on His promise I'll stand

All of my life in ev’ry season You are still God I have a reason to sing I have a reason to worship

This is my prayer in the harvest When favour and providence flow I know I'm filled to be emptied again The seed I've received I will sow

Unison Psalm - **Psalm 145:10-18**

**All your works shall give thanks to you, O LORD, and all your faithful shall bless you. They shall speak of the glory of your kingdom, and tell of your power, to make known to all people your mighty deeds, and the glorious splendor of your kingdom. Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and your dominion endures throughout all generations. The LORD is faithful in all his words, and gracious in all his deeds. The LORD upholds all who are falling, and raises up all who are bowed down. The eyes of all look to you, and you give them their food in due season. You open your hand, satisfying the desire of every living thing. The LORD is just in all his ways, and kind in all his doings. The LORD is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth.**

**This Is My Fathers World**

This is my Father's world And to my list'ning ears All nature sings and 'round me rings Music of the spheres This is my Father's world I rest me in the thought Of rocks and trees of skies and seas His hand the wonders wrought

This is my Father's world The birds their carols raise The morning light the lily white Declare their Maker's praise This is my Father's world He shines in all that's fair In the rust'ling grass I hear Him pass He speaks to me ev'rywhere

This is my Father's world O let me ne'er forget And though the wrong seems oft so strong God is the Ruler yet And though the wrong seems oft so strong God is the Ruler yet

This is my Father's world Why should my heart be sad The Lord is King let the heavens ring God reigns let the earth be glad The Lord is King let the heavens ring God reigns let the earth be glad

Announcements

Youth Group - 6:30PM

Kid’s Church - Wed. 6PM

Prayer at Laurel House - Thurs. 6:30PM

Scripture Reading- **Ephesians 3:14-21**

For this reason I bow my knees before the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth takes its name. I pray that, according to the riches of his glory, he may grant that you may be strengthened in your inner being with power through his Spirit, and that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith, as you are being rooted and grounded in love. I pray that you may have the power to comprehend, with all the saints, what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, so that you may be filled with all the fullness of God. Now to him who by the power at work within us is able to accomplish abundantly far more than all we can ask or imagine, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations, forever and ever. Amen.

Prayer - O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: Increase and multiply upon us your mercy; that, with you as our ruler and guide, we may so pass through things temporal, that we lose not the things eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you

and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

Gospel Reading - **John 6:1-21**

After this Jesus went to the other side of the Sea of Galilee, also called the Sea of Tiberias. A large crowd kept following him, because they saw the signs that he was doing for the sick. Jesus went up the mountain and sat down there with his disciples. Now the Passover, the festival of the Jews, was near. When he looked up and saw a large crowd coming toward him, Jesus said to Philip, "Where are we to buy bread for these people to eat?" He said this to test him, for he himself knew what he was going to do. Philip answered him, "Six months' wages would not buy enough bread for each of them to get a little." One of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, said to him, "There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish. But what are they among so many people?" Jesus said, "Make the people sit down." Now there was a great deal of grass in the place; so they sat down, about five thousand in all. Then Jesus took the loaves, and when he had given thanks, he distributed them to those who were seated; so also the fish, as much as they wanted. When they were satisfied, he told his disciples, "Gather up the fragments left over, so that nothing may be lost." So they gathered them up, and from the fragments of the five barley loaves, left by those who had eaten, they filled twelve baskets. When the people saw the sign that he had done, they began to say, "This is indeed the prophet who is to come into the world." When Jesus realized that they were about to come and take him by force to make him king, he withdrew again to the mountain by himself. When evening came, his disciples went down to the sea, got into a boat, and started across the sea to Capernaum. It was now dark, and Jesus had not yet come to them. The sea became rough because a strong wind was blowing. When they had rowed about three or four miles, they saw Jesus walking on the sea and coming near the boat, and they were terrified. But he said to them, "It is I; do not be afraid." Then they wanted to take him into the boat, and immediately the boat reached the land toward which they were going.

Pastor Tyler - Sermon

Response of Prayer - Prayers of the People

Lord In Your Mercy - **Hear Our Prayers**

 Communion Service -

The Invitation: you who truly and earnestly repent of your sins, who live in love and peace with your neighbors and who intend to lead a new life, following the commandments of God and walking in his holy ways, draw near with faith and take this holy sacrament to your comfort; and humbly kneeling make your confession to Almighty God.

**The Lord’s Prayer: Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name.  Thy kingdom come.  Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven.  Give us this day our daily bread, And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.  And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever, Amen.**

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, send the power of your Holy Spirit upon us, that we may experience anew the suffering, death and resurrection of Your Son, Jesus Christ.  May your Spirit help us to know, in the breaking of this bread and drinking of this cup, the presence of Christ Who gave His blood for all.  And may your Holy Spirit make us one with Christ, one with each other and one in service to all the world. Amen.

Closing Song & Benediction-  **Jesus**

There is a truth older than the ages There is a promise of things yet to come There is One born for our salvation Jesus

There is a light that overwhelms the darkness There is a kingdom that forever reigns There is freedom from the chains that bind us Jesus Jesus

Who walks on the waters Who speaks to the sea Who stands in the fire beside me He roars like a lion He bled as the Lamb He carries my healing in His hands Jesus

There is a name I call in times of trouble There is a song that comforts in the night There is a voice that calms the storm that rages He is Jesus Jesus

Messiah My Savior There is power in Your name You're my rock and my Redeemer There is power in Your name In Your name

You walk on the waters You speak to the sea You stand in the fire beside me You roar like a lion You bled as the LambYou carry my healing in Your hands God

Jesus There is no one like You Jesus There is no one like You