

# Martin United Methodist Church Service of Worship

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June 21, 2020 11:00 a.m.

**Welcome** Rev. Lara Whitley Franklin

Prelude Improvisation R. Bonamigo

Rudimar Bonamigo

Call to Worship Caleb Bennetch

One: Come, sing praises to God!

Rejoice in his presence!

All: For the Almighty is our God: a Father to the fatherless, and the defender of all who need protection;

One: the One in whom the lonely find a home, and the prisoner finds release.

All: Bless the Lord, the God of our salvation, who sustains and strengthens us, day after day! Let's worship God together!

Hymn

O God Our Help in Ages Past

## 117 O God, Our Help in Ages Past



#### A Celebration of Faith

Caleb Bennetch

All: We are a cloth of diverse colours made from many gifts and graces.
We are the people flowing forth from Creator God, surprising ourselves with the things which can be done.

We are raw material for rewarding relationships as our lives interweave, contributing one to the other, holding each other firm when one is weak or breaking.

We are each worthy of being respected and cared for essential to the pattern, skilled in our appointed tasks, sources of laughter and sharers of tears.

We commit ourselves to work together, that one day, this world may be a place where all people live in justice, freedom and peace.

~ Posted on the Rex A. E. Hunt website. http://www.rexaehuntprogressive.com/

#### Gloria Patri



### 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.

**Scripture Reading** 

Caleb Bennetch

2 Corinthians 12:1-10 1 Thessalonians 5:11

Sermon

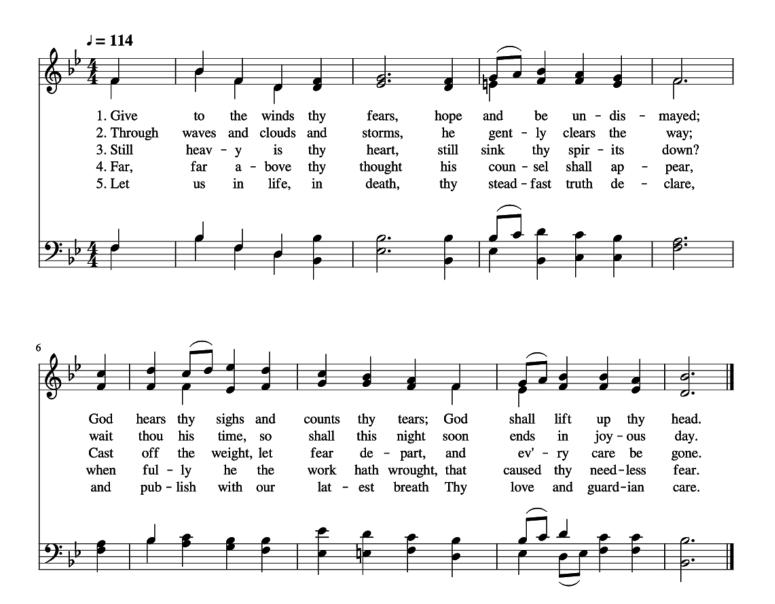
"For the Love of a Father"

Rev. Lara Franklin

Hymn

Give to the Winds Thy Fears

## Give to the Winds Thy Fears



### **Offertory Prayer**

Rev. Lara Franklin

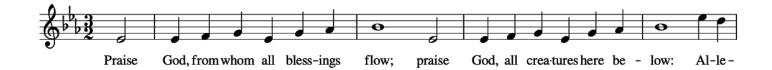
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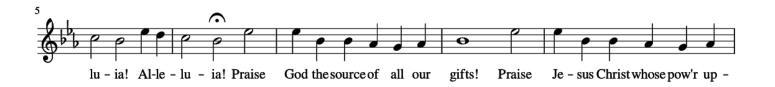
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#### Mark Scott, Marvin Ballard and Madison Russell

### **Doxology**







**Invitation** Rev. Lara Franklin

**Hymn** Standing on the Promises

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**Benediction** 

Rev. Lara Franklin

**Postlude** 

Come, Thou Almighty King Jieun Lee M. McDonald