

16th Sunday after Pentecost – September 25th, 2022 – 9:15 AM

Gathering and Announcements

Moment for Ministry

John Caspero

Call to Worship

When God tripped over the stars this week and sent great lightning sparks across the night **God's name was Power**

When God stood in the morning dew a few weeks back and whispered Mary's name fresh from the tomb **God's name was Life**

When God held out hands to Thomas and told him to hold on and follow
God's name was Shepherd

When God pours water this morning and asks us to find heaven in every drop
God's name is Grace

When God shook us awake today and hollowed out an unused moment in front of us to step into **God's name is Creator**

When God found us waiting here in the space between heaven and earth, now and not yet **God's name is Love**

Friends, let us worship the God of many names

Hymn: All Hail the Power of Jesus Name (vs. 1,2,4,6) UMH 154

Hymn: His Name Is Wonderful UMH 174

Hymn: Majesty UMH 176

Opening Prayer

Hymn: Spirit Song UMH 347

Isn't He? (lyrics below)

Isn't He beautiful? Beautiful isn't He? Prince of Peace Son of God, Isn't He? Isn't He wonderful? Wonderful. Isn't He? Counselor Almighty God, Isn't He? Isn't He?

Prayer of Confession & Silent Prayer Bob Sherman

Words of Assurance (from Psalm 145:13-14, NRSV)

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.
Know that you are forgiven, and be at peace.
Thanks be to God!

Passing the Peace

Let us be salt and light to each other,
giving and receiving forgiveness in the name of Christ.
The peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

Scripture Mark 9:38-50

Sermon 'Swimmin' with the Fishes' Rev. Deb Lampton

Response

Communion and the Lord's Prayer

Benediction and Sending Forth



Continued Prayers: Art Benson, Paul Bowden, Linda Erickson, Christine Gregory, Jory Fisher, Ron Forbes, Stephanie Juchs Hiedbreder, Carolyn Higgins, Nancy Jenkins, Wes Jenkins, Pat Jones, Jeff Juchs, Sandy Juchs, Jill Kruger, Ted Lingelbach, Joy Merryman, Bruce Middlekauff, Robert Miller, Dick Moen, Marie Myers, Alice Paradise, Warren Pardo, Dave Shaffer, Shirley Singstock, Ron Stearn, Lee Stielper, Nancy Tolley, Paula Van Hart, Lauren Wessel.

We offer our deepest Christian sympathy to:

Nancy Amrein and family on the passing of her husband, and Jennifer and Chris Osik on the passing of their father and father-in-law, Buck Amrein.
The family and friends of John "Jack" Hopkins on his passing.

Altar Flower Dedication – The flowers on the altar are dedicated to the glory of God and in honor of Sandy Bulger's birthday on September 30th, by Monica Stephens.

Chancel Choir Rehearsal – Every Wednesday from 7:00-8:15 pm; all are welcome to join.

Children's Choir – Ages 4 through 5th Grade will meet on Sundays 10/9, 10/16, & 10/23 from 10:15-11:15 am in Room 103. We will sing in worship on 10/30.

Disciple I Bible Study – There is still room for new students if you are interested. Our 2nd class meets TODAY, September 25th at 10:30 am in the church library.

C4 Kids – In-person Kids Sunday School is at 9:15 am.

Youth Group – Youth Group Retreat (8-12th Grade) Sunday, September 25th – Monday September 26th.

Paws & Praise Worship Service – Sunday, October 2nd from 11:30-1:30 pm at Mt. Carmel Chapel.

55+ Event – Thursday, October 20th, 11:30 am-1:30 pm. Lunch, games, music, & crafts. Please see the e-Spire for registration info.

Prayer Shawl Ministry – The prayer shawl ministry will meet on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of the month in Room 202.

Trivia Bulletin Board – Come see our new Trivia Bulletin Board near the water fountain in the hall.

Planter Makeover – Our planter makeover is complete! Thank you to all who donated. Come check it out near the water fountain in the hall.



All Hail the Power of Jesus Name

All hail the power of Jesus' name! Let angels prostrate fall; bring forth the royal diadem, and crown him Lord of all. Bring forth the royal diadem, and crown him Lord of all. Ye chosen seed of Israel's race, ye ransomed from the fall, hail him who saves you by his grace, and crown him Lord of all. Hail him who saves you by his grace, and crown him Lord of all. Let every kindred, every tribe on this terrestrial ball, to him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all. To him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all. O that with yonder sacred throng we at his feet may fall! We'll join the everlasting song, and crown him Lord of all. We'll join the everlasting song, and crown him Lord of all.

His Name Is Wonderful

His name is wonderful, his name is wonderful, his name is Wonderful, Jesus my Lord. He is the mighty King, Master of everything, his name is wonderful, Jesus my Lord. He's the great Shepherd, the Rock of all ages, almighty God is he; bow down before him, love and adore him, his name is wonderful, Jesus my Lord.

Majesty

Majesty, worship his majesty; unto Jesus be all glory, honor, and praise. Majesty, kingdom authority, flow from his throne unto his own; his anthem raise. So exalt, lift up on high the name of Jesus. Magnify, come glorify Christ Jesus, the King.

Spirit Song

O let the Song of God enfold you with his Spirit and his love. Let him fill your heart and satisfy your soul. O let him have the things that hold you, and his Spirit like a dove will descend upon your life and make you whole. Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill your lambs. Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill your lambs. O come and sing this song with gladness as your hearts are filled with joy. Lift your hands in sweet surrender to his name. O give him all your tears and sadness; give him all your years of pain, and you'll enter into life in Jesus' name. Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill your lambs. Jesus, O Jesus come and fill your lambs.

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