

2nd Sunday after Pentecost – June 19, 2022 – 9:15 AM

Gathering Music & Announcements

Jeff Beyers, Organist

Call to Worship (Responsive)

The LORD our God is great; the LORD is worthy of our praise!

Come, let us remember the great things God has done for us.

Lift up our voices in song; lift up our hearts in praise.

Let us sing to the LORD a new song – of freedom, and hope, and deliverance for all people. Amen.

Opening Hymn*

Lift Every Voice and Sing

UMH 519

Opening Prayer for Juneteenth (Unison; Rev. Sterling Morse, PCUSA)

Thankfully, we praise you, O God, for your liberating power –

That broke the shackles of oppression, and restored humanity to the disenfranchised.

Make us instruments of grace to resist slavery, in all manifestations, that no soul shall be denied the right to thrive and fully realize their divine purpose in you. Amen.

Special Music

BAUMC Handbell Choir

Moment for Ministry

Habitat for Humanity Panel Build

Randy Wentsel

Litany for Father's Day (Responsive, United Methodist Prayer)

Jory Fisher

For our fathers, who have given us life and love, that we may offer our respect and love...

For stepfathers who have assumed the role with love and joy...

For adoptive fathers who have claimed the little ones as their own...

For new fathers, full of hope and dreams...

For long-time fathers, full of wisdom and grace...

For the fathers yet to be and fathers soon to be...

For fathers who have lost a child through death, that their faith may give them hope...

For fathers now in heaven watching down over us...

For all men who, though without children of their own, have been like fathers to us...

LORD, we give you thanks for all of these men of faith.

For fathers, who've failed to provide strength and love, that they may be forgiven and healed...

LORD, in your mercy, help us to forgive as you have forgiven.

Fathering God, in your wisdom and love you made all things. Bless these men that they may be strengthened as Christian fathers. Let the example of their faith and love shine forth. Grant that we, their sons and daughters, may honor them always with a spirit of profound respect, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Special Music

Men's Choir

Prayer of Confession & Silent Prayer

Jory Fisher

Words of Assurance (I John 1: 9)

If we confess our sins, he who is faithful and just will forgive us our sins

and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

The Peace

The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you always. **And also with you, Amen.**

Scripture

Romans 12: 9-21

Hymn

Seek Ye First

UMH 405

Sermon

“Sacred Community Part 1: Striving to Love”

Rev. Byron E. Brought

Reflective Music *Partita in A Minor for Solo Flute Movement III: Sarabande* (J.S.Bach)

Lauren Zwonik

Communion & The Lord’s Prayer

Hymn*

Blest Be the Tie That Binds

UMH 557

Benediction & Sending Forth*

Organ Postlude



Continued Prayers: Art Benson, Paul Bowden, Shirley Cooney, Wanda Denver, Doug Ellington, Linda Erickson, Christine Gregory, Jim Hainley, Sandy Hainley, Stephanie Juchs Heidbreder, Caroline Higgins, Nancy Jenkins, Wes Jenkins, Pat Jones, Sandy Juchs, Eric Keele, Lynn King, Jill Kruger, Bob Lemmon, Linda Lemmon, Carol Lingelbach, Ted Lingelbach, Joy Merryman, Bruce Middlekauff, Richard Miller, Robert Miller, Sandy Miller, Alice Paradise, Warren Pardo, Jack Potter, Pat Potter, Shirley Singstock, Corinne Smith, Ron Stearn, Nancy Tolley, Paula Van Hart, Lauren Wessel.

We extend our deepest Christian sympathy to the family of Sally Moen on her passing.

Altar Flower Dedication: The flowers on the altar are dedicated to the glory of a just God in celebration of Juneteenth, by the Racial Justice Team.

Flowers on Back Tables: The flowers on the back tables of the sanctuary are in celebration of the wedding of Brooke Mouring & Alex Coulson on June 18th!

Coffee & Donuts – Please join us each Sunday in the Donut Room (Rm 202) for coffee, donuts, and fellowship.

Stewardship Reflection

Thank you for your faithfulness to God through BAUMC through *your prayers, your presence, your gifts, your service, and your witness*. How will you continue to give God thanks and praise? How will you continue to demonstrate your love for God? How will you

give of your time, your talents, and your treasures? Our offering plates are in the back of the sanctuary, or you may give electronically; please ask us how. Thank you.

Have You Met Our New Members?

Stop by the bulletin board next to the main office to see our most recent new members. Meet and greet them as you can. Take the time to welcome them to our loving family.

Food Ministry Volunteers Needed

- **Manna House** – Every Wednesday, 10am-12pm
- **Family Food Distribution** – Next one is July 9th (due to the holiday), 8am-12pm
- **Senior Food Distribution** – Next one is June 30th; driver pickup anytime between 9am-2pm

Your service toward our community goes a long way to help and serve our neighbors in need. Please consider giving of your time. Let's put our faith in action. Thank you!

First Sunday Hymn Sings at Mt. Carmel

Please join us for hymn sings at Mt. Carmel Chapel on the 1st Sunday of every month: July & August at 5 pm.

Habitat for Humanity Panel Build – July 16th – Volunteers Needed!

During a panel build, we will build the walls for a Habitat home right at the BAUMC parking lot. A panel build is one of the many opportunities for putting God's love into action by building homes, communities, and hope. Please consider volunteering. It's from 8:30am-12:30pm, and you need to be over 16 years old. Contact **Randy Wentsel** for more information. wentsel@hotmail.com

YOU MUST REGISTER WITH HABITAT: Below is the registration information for the Habitat panel build:

<https://habitatsusq.org/volunteer-with-habitat/construction-volunteers>

Lift Every Voice and Sing

Lift every voice and sing, till earth and heaven ring, ring with the harmonies of liberty; let our rejoicing rise high as the listening skies, let it resound loud as the rolling sea. Sing a song full of the faith that the dark past has taught us; sing a song full of the hope that the present has brought us; facing the rising sun of our new day begun, let us march on till victory is won.

Stony the road we trod, bitter the chastening rod, felt in the days when hope unborn had died; yet with a steady beat, have not your weary feet come to the place for which our fathers sighed? We have come over a way that with tears has been watered; we have come, treading our path thru the blood of the slaughtered, out from the gloomy past, till now we stand at last where the white gleam of our bright star is cast.

God of our weary years, God of our silent tears, thou who has brought us thus far on the way; thou who hast by thy might led us into the light, keep us forever in the path, we pray. Lest our feet stray from the places, our God, where we met thee; lest our hearts drunk with

the wine of the world, we forget thee; shadowed beneath thy hand, may we forever stand, true to our God, true to our native land.

Seek Ye First

Seek ye first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you. Allelu, alleluia!

Ask, and it shall be given unto you; seek and ye shall find; knock, and the door shall be opened unto you. Allelu, alleluia!

Blest Be the Tie That Binds

Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love; the fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.

Before our Father's throne we pour our ardent prayers; our fears, our hopes, our aims are one, our comforts and our cares.

We share each other's woes, our mutual burdens bear; and often for each other flows the sympathizing tear.

When we asunder part, it gives us inward pain; but we shall still be joined in heart, and hope to meet again.