

June 23, 2024

Please take a moment to sign our attendance register located in each pew.

(**Indicates, please stand as able)

Greeting/Life of the Church

Prelude "Be Still, My Soul" Carol Stewart
Jean Sibelius/Albin C. Whitworth

**Call to Worship

Put your trust in God, who knows our names.

The Holy One does not forsake those who seek God.

Be gracious to us, Holy One.

For you are the One who lifts us from the storm.

We praise you in every time in space.

We rejoice that your hand guides us.

**Opening Hymn "How Firm a Foundation" (v. 1,2,4,5) UMH # 529

Opening Prayer (unison)

Center us, O God, to worship you this day. Remove our needless armor. Be our stronghold. Grant us calm and give us expectant hearts and ready minds, that we may be open to your grace. Amen.

Children's Moments

Prayer Hymn "It Is Well with My Soul" (v. 1,3,4) UMH #377

Prayers of the Faithful & 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 sins as we forgive those who sin 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.

Offering/Offertory

"Like a River Glorious"
"Peace, Perfect Peace"

Carol Stewart
James Mountain
George T. Caldbeck

**Doxology

UMH #95

**Prayer of Dedication

We are always rejoicing, Holy One, for your many gifts in our lives. Even when we have nothing, you make us feel as if we have everything. May these gifts usher peace into our world, that all may know of your love and touch your grace. Amen.

Ministry of Music

"The Lighthouse"

Wayne Cook, vocal solo
Ronnie Hinton

**Scripture Reading

Mark 4:35-41

L: The Word of God for the People of God.

P: Thanks be to God! Amen.

Sermon

"Boating with Jesus"

Pastor Jeff Bandy

**Closing Hymn

"Eternal Father, Strong to Save"

(see insert)

**Sending Forth

Postlude

"God Will Take Care of You"

Carol Stewart
Stillman Martin/Albin C. Whitworth



*The Altar Flowers are given by Jane Henning
in celebration of Mary & Martha Women.*

Gospel Reading – Mark 4:35-41 (NIV)

Jesus Calms the Storm

³⁵ That day when evening came, he said to his disciples, “Let us go over to the other side.” ³⁶ Leaving the crowd behind, they took him along, just as he was, in the boat. There were also other boats with him. ³⁷ A furious squall came up, and the waves broke over the boat, so that it was nearly swamped. ³⁸ Jesus was in the stern, sleeping on a cushion. The disciples woke him and said to him, “Teacher, don’t you care if we drown?”

³⁹ He got up, rebuked the wind and said to the waves, “Quiet! Be still!” Then the wind died down and it was completely calm.

⁴⁰ He said to his disciples, “Why are you so afraid? Do you still have no faith?”

⁴¹ They were terrified and asked each other, “Who is this? Even the wind and the waves obey him!”



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WELCOME VISITORS!

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June 23, 2024 - Worship Team

Ushers	Bob Whipp, Edward Stidham, Doug Wickline, Rick Smith
Greeter	Pam Whipp
Liturgist	Julie Wickline
Organist	Carol Stewart



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Saturday 29			
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