



Heritage United Methodist Church

JULY 18, 2021, THE 8TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Rev. Maria Campbell

Song of Praise

Emmanuel, God Is With Us

Call To Worship

Liturgist—Andrea Cook

In the morning, warm and bright, in the middle of the night,

God is standing with me. God is always there.

When my heart is full of song, when I put my shoes on wrong,

God is standing with me. God is always there.

When I'm leading in the race, when I'm running last in place,

God is standing with me. God is always there.

In my church or home, with my friends or on my own,

God is standing with me. God is always there. Amen.

Children's Moment

VBS video

Centering Song

Jesus Loves Me (VBS version)

Scripture

Acts 16:23-31

Liturgist—Andrea Cook

After they had given them a severe flogging, they threw them into prison and ordered the jailer to keep them securely. Following these instructions, he put them in the innermost cell and fastened their feet in the stocks. About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the prisoners were listening to them. Suddenly there was an earthquake, so violent that the foundations of the prison were shaken; and immediately all the doors were

opened and everyone's chains were unfastened. When the jailer woke up and saw the prison doors wide open, he drew his sword and was about to kill himself, since he supposed that the prisoners had escaped. But Paul shouted in a loud voice, "Do not harm yourself, for we are all here." The jailer called for lights, and rushing in, he fell down trembling before Paul and Silas. Then he brought them outside and said, "Sirs, what must I do to be saved?" They answered, "Believe on the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household."

Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Rev. Maria Campbell

Anthem

Be Strong In the Lord

Heritage VBS Kids

Scripture

Ephesians 6:10-17

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Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his power. Put on the whole armor of God, so that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. For our struggle is not against enemies of blood and flesh, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers of this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places. Therefore take up the whole armor of God, so that you may be able to withstand on that evil day, and having done everything, to stand firm. Stand therefore, and fasten the belt of truth around your waist, and put on the breastplate of righteousness. As shoes for your feet put on whatever will make you ready to proclaim the gospel of peace. With all of these, take the shield of faith, with which you will be able to quench all the flaming arrows of the evil one. Take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.

Message

Our VBS Story

Rev. Maria Campbell

Offertory & Doxology

#94 UMH

Dedication of Offering

Liturgist—Andrea Cook

We dedicate these offerings as tokens of our thanksgiving for the gift of our life in Christ. May our gratitude shine forth by our joyful giving of our earthly goods. Amen.

Closing Song

Our God (Redman, Myrin, Tomlin, Reeves)

Blessing

Rev. Maria Campbell

Postlude

Worship Song Leader - Jacob Eppel Pianist—Jenny Memmott Organist—Margaret Cinotto

Thank you to our VBS adult and youth volunteers! Thank you to those who donated supplies & who brought donations for our mission project. Thanks to the VBS kids for being strong in the Lord learning about God! We had so much fun with you this week. Hope to see you again soon!

Emmanuel, God With Us

It can feel like Christmas In the springtime or the fall
It can feel like Christmas Through the hottest months of all
Christmastime reminds us Jesus came to us
We will never be alone it's all because

Chorus: Emmanuel, God is with us all year long

Emmanuel, you are why we sing this song

You came down from your throne above

To be Emmanuel, God is with us.

Don't need lights or presents I don't even need a tree
Remembering that Jesus came Is all it takes for me
Christmastime reminds us Jesus came to us
We will never be alone it's all because

Chorus

O come let us adore him! O come let us adore him!

Chorus

Jesus Loves Me

Jesus loves me! This I know For the Bible tells me so
Little ones to him belong They are weak but he is strong (Repeat)

I, I, I just wanna dance, dance, dance And I will shout and clap my hands (Repeat)

Yes, Jesus loves me! (3x) The Bible tells me so (Repeat line)

Jesus loves me! This I know For the Bible tells me so
Little ones to him belong They are weak but he is strong

I, I, I just wanna dance, dance, dance And I will shout and clap my hands (Repeat)

Yes, Jesus loves me! (3x) The Bible tells me so (Repeat line 4x)

Doxology #94 UMH

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia!
Alleluia!

Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Our God

Water You turned into wine. Opened the eyes of the blind.

There's no one like You, None like You.

Into the darkness You shine. Out of the ashes we rise.

There's no one like You, None like You

Chorus: Our God is greater, Our God is stronger.

God You are higher than any other.

Our God is healer, Awesome in power. Our God, our God.

Into the darkness You shine. Out of the ashes we rise.

There's no one like You, None like You.

Chorus

Bridge: And if our God is for us, then who could ever stop us?

And if our God is with us then what could stand against?

And if our God is for us then who could ever stop us?

And if our God is with us then what could stand against?

What could stand against?


Chorus


Bridge

Chorus

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