

Heritage United Methodist Church

FEB 20, 2022, SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

Prelude				
Welcome & Announcements		Rev. Maria Campbell		
Song of Praise	Hymn of Promise	#707 UMH		
Opening Prayer		Liturgist—Lee Herring		
God of hope, we give you thanks that you are constantly at work in the world remaking us in your image. Help us to find true life in the new life you are working in and through us. Give us the eyes of faith to see where you are already working resurrection within us and within the world. Amen.				
Children's Moment		Rev. Maria Campbell		
Centering Song	Gift of Love	#408 UMH		
Scripture	Psalm 37: 1-11	Liturgist—Lee Herring		

Do not fret because of the wicked; do not be envious of wrongdoers, for they will soon fade like the grass, and wither like the green herb. Trust in the Lord, and do good; so you will live in the land, and enjoy security. Take delight in the Lord, and he will give you the desires of your heart. Commit your way to the Lord; trust in him, and he will act. He will make your vindication shine like the light, and the justice of your cause like the noonday. Be still before the Lord, and wait patiently for him; do not fret over those who prosper in their way, over those who carry out evil devices. Refrain from anger, and forsake wrath. Do not fret—it leads only to evil. For the wicked shall be cut off, but those who wait for the Lord shall inherit the land. Yet a little while, and the wicked will be no more; though you look diligently for their place, they will not be there. But the meek shall inherit the land, and delight themselves in abundant prosperity.

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.

Anthem	Here's My Heart (Tomlin, Ingram, Giglio)	Melissa & Russ Barker	
Scripture	1 Corinthians 15:35-38, 42-50	Rev. Maria Campbell	
But someone will ask, "How are the dead raised? With what kind of body do they come?" Fool! What			

you sow does not come to life unless it dies. And as for what you sow, you do not sow the body that is to be, but a bare seed, perhaps of wheat or of some other grain. But God gives it a body as he has chosen, and to each kind of seed its own body. So it is with the resurrection of the dead. What is sown is perishable, what is raised is imperishable. It is sown in dishonor, it is raised in glory. It is sown in weakness, it is raised in power. It is sown a physical body, it is raised a spiritual body. If there is a physical body, there is also a spiritual body. Thus it is written, "The first man, Adam, became a living being"; the last Adam became a life-giving spirit. But it is not the spiritual that is first, but the physical, and then the spiritual. The first man was from the earth, a man of dust; the second man is from heaven. As was the man of dust, so are those who are of the dust; and as is the man of heaven, so are those who are of heaven. Just as we have borne the image of the man of dust, we will also bear the image of the man of heaven. What I am saying, brothers and sisters, is this: flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God, nor does the perishable inherit the imperishable.

Doxology #95 UMH Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen Dedication of Offering Liturgist—Lee Herring

God of light and life, we offer our tithes and offerings to you today. Help us to experience our generosity as those who have no need to hold back. May we give freely with love and grace, believing in the promise of salvation! In Christ, we pray. Amen.

Closing Song	Stand In Your Love	
Blessing		Rev. Maria Campbell
Postlude		

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

Message

Offertory

"Raised"

Rev. Maria Campbell

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Hymn of Promise

In the bulb there is a flower; in the seed, an apple tree; in cocoons, a hidden promise: butterflies will soon be free! In the cold and snow of winter there's a spring that waits to be, unrevealed until its season, something God alone can see.

There's a song in every silence, seeking word and melody; there's a dawn in every darkness, bringing hope to you and me. From the past will come the future; what it holds, a mystery, unrevealed until its season, something God alone can see.

In the end is our beginning; in our time, infinity; in our doubt there is believing; in our life, eternity. In our death, a resurrection; at the last, a victory, unrevealed until its season, something God alone can see.

Gift of Love

Though I may speak with bravest fire, and have the gift to all inspire, and have not love, my words are vain, as sounding brass, and hopeless gain.

Though I may give all I possess, and striving so my love profess, but not be given by love within, the profit soon turns strangely thin.

Come, Spirit, come, our hearts control, our spirits long to be made whole. Let inward love guide every deed; by this we worship and are freed.

Stand In Your Love

Verse 1 – When darkness tries to roll over my bones When sorrow comes to steal the joy I own When brokenness and pain is all I know I won't be shaken I won't be shaken

Chorus – My fear doesn't stand a chance When I stand in Your love (REPEAT)

Verse 2 – Shame no longer has a place to hide I am not a captive to the lies I'm not afraid to leave my past behind I won't be shaken I won't be shaken

Chorus – My fear doesn't stand a chance When I stand in Your love (REPEAT)

Bridge – There's power that can break off every chain There's power that can empty out a grave

There's resurrection power that can save There's power in Your name power in Your name

Chorus – My fear doesn't stand a chance When I stand in Your love (REPEAT with song leader)

Ending – Standing in Your love

Thanks for joining us for worship today. Have a blessed week!

