



## Heritage United Methodist Church

SEPT 4, 2022, THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Rev. Maria Campbell

Song of Praise

Shout to the Lord (*Zscheck*)

Call to Worship

Liturgist—Rev. Maria Campbell

Leader: We gather here to worship seeking a focus for our being.

People: God calls us to worship the Word made flesh.

Leader: We gather here to worship, but we feel drawn in many directions, and overwhelmed with too many tasks.

People: God calls us to worship leaning into the Spirit of Truth

Leader: We gather here to worship, wondering and hoping, doubting and afraid. But we are here.

People: God calls us to worship with our whole selves. We are here; let us worship with joy.

Children's Moment

Rev. Maria Campbell

Centering Song

Kum Ba Yah (Come By Here), v 1,2,5

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Scripture

Psalms 119:97-104

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Oh, how I love your law! It is my meditation all day long. Your commandment makes me wiser than my enemies, for it is always with me. I have more understanding than all my teachers, for your decrees are my meditation. I understand more than the aged, for I keep your precepts. I hold back my feet from every evil way, in order to keep your word. I do not turn away from your ordinances, for you have taught me. How sweet are your words to my taste, sweeter than honey to my mouth! Through your precepts I get understanding; therefore I hate every false way.

## Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

Suyeol Bae, Seminary Intern

*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

**Voice of Truth** (*Hall, Chapman*)

Russ Barker

## Scripture

**Luke 18:1-8**

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Then Jesus told them a parable about their need to pray always and not to lose heart. He said, "In a certain city there was a judge who neither feared God nor had respect for people. In that city there was a widow who kept coming to him and saying, 'Grant me justice against my opponent.' For a while he refused; but later he said to himself, 'Though I have no fear of God and no respect for anyone, yet because this widow keeps bothering me, I will grant her justice, so that she may not wear me out by continually coming.'" And the Lord said, "Listen to what the unjust judge says. And will not God grant justice to his chosen ones who cry to him day and night? Will he delay long in helping them? I tell you, he will quickly grant justice to them. And yet, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?"

## Message

**"Faith, Not Ceasing Prayer"**

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## Sacrament of Baptism

*Lincoln Aleen Knapple*

## Reception of Members

## Offertory

## Doxology

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*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

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**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.**

## Communion

Rev. Maria Campbell

**Graves Into Gardens** (*Lake, Brown, Furtick, Hammer*)

Heritage Ensemble

## Closing Song

**Be Thou My Vision**

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## Blessing

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## Postlude

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



## Worship Song Sheet Sunday 9.4.22

### Shout To The Lord

Verse – My Jesus my Savior Lord there is none like You  
All of my days I want to praise The wonders of Your mighty love  
My comfort my shelter Tower of refuge and strength  
Let every breath all that I am Never cease to worship You

Chorus – Shout to the Lord All the earth let us sing Power and majesty Praise to the King  
Mountains bow down And the seas will roar At the sound of Your name  
I sing for joy At the work of Your hands Forever I'll love You Forever I'll stand  
Nothing compares to the promise I have in You *(repeat chorus)*

### Kum Ba Yah (Come By Here), v 1,2,5 #494 UMH

Kum ba yah, my Lord, kum ba yah. Kum ba yah, my Lord, kum ba yah.  
Kum ba yah, my Lord, kum ba yah. O Lord, kum ba yah!

Someone's praying, Lord, kum ba yah. Someone's praying, Lord, kum ba yah.  
Someone's praying, Lord, kum ba yah. O Lord, kum ba yah!

Someone's singing, Lord, kum ba yah. Someone's singing, Lord, kum ba yah.  
Someone's singing, Lord, kum ba yah. O Lord, kum ba yah!

### Be Thou My Vision #451 UMH

Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart; naught be all else to me, save that thou art.  
Thou my best thought, by day or by night, waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.

Be thou my wisdom, and thou my true word; I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord;  
thou and thou only, first in my heart, great God of heaven, my treasure thou art.

Great God of heaven, my victory won, may I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's Sun!  
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall, still be my vision, O Ruler of all.