



THE JOURNEY

HERITAGE YOUTH

Heritage United Methodist Church

FEB 5, 2023, FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

Welcome & Announcements

Rev. Maria Campbell

Song of Praise

Come, Now is the Time to Worship *(Doerksen)*

Call To Worship

Leader: We are called to bring a new understanding of God: that God so loved the earth.

People: We are salt of the earth.

Leader: We are called to bring a new hope in God: that God gives us new life.

People: We are the light of the world.

Leader: We are called to follow the commandments and the law.

People: The Law of God is to love God and to love one another.

Leader: Come, let us be the salt of the earth, the light of the world.

People: Come, let us love one another with the love of God. Let us join together in our love of God to worship and follow Jesus.

Children's Moment

Centering Song

Pass It On

#572 UMH

Scripture

Isaiah 58:1-9a

Shout out, do not hold back! Lift up your voice like a trumpet! Announce to my people their rebellion, to the house of Jacob their sins. Yet day after day they seek me and delight to know my ways, as if they were a nation that practiced righteousness and did not forsake the ordinance of their God; they ask of me righteous judgments, they delight to draw near to God. "Why do we fast, but you do not see? Why humble ourselves, but you do not notice?" Look, you serve your own interest on your fast day, and oppress all your workers. Look, you fast only to quarrel and to fight and to strike with a wicked fist. Such fasting as you do today will not make your voice heard on high. Is such the fast that I choose, a day to humble oneself? Is it to bow down the head like a bulrush, and to lie in sackcloth and ashes? Will you call this a fast, a day acceptable to the Lord? Is not this the fast that I choose: to loose the bonds of injustice, to undo the thongs of the yoke, to let the oppressed go free, and to break every yoke? Is it not to share your bread with the hungry, and bring the homeless poor into your house; when you see the naked, to cover them, and not to

hide yourself from your own kin? Then your light shall break forth like the dawn, and your healing shall spring up quickly; your vindicator shall go before you, the glory of the Lord shall be your rear guard. Then you shall call, and the Lord will answer; you shall cry for help, and he will say, Here I am.

Pastoral Prayer

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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 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

I Will Follow (Tomlin, Ingram, Morgan)

HUMC Music Team

Scripture

Matthew 5:13-20

"You are the salt of the earth; but if salt has lost its taste, how can its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything, but is thrown out and trampled under foot. "You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill cannot be hid. No one after lighting a lamp puts it under the bushel basket, but on the lampstand, and it gives light to all in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven. "Do not think that I have come to abolish the law or the prophets; I have come not to abolish but to fulfill. For truly I tell you, until heaven and earth pass away, not one letter, not one stroke of a letter, will pass from the law until all is accomplished. Therefore, whoever breaks one of the least of these commandments, and teaches others to do the same, will be called least in the kingdom of heaven; but whoever does them and teaches them will be called great in the kingdom of heaven. For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.

Message

Salt & Light

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Offertory

Live Like That (Glover, McDonald, Frey)

HUMC Music Team

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

God of all creation, source of every blessing: you have given us so much. As we bring our tithes and gifts to you this day, these seem so small by comparison, unless we see that we are truly called to give ourselves back to the world. May we be the salt that brings value and flavor into relationships with those around us. May we be the light that helps others find their way to your love and care. We pray all of this in the mighty name of Jesus, who came to help us see all we could be. Amen

Holy Communion

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Communion Music

How Great Thou Art

#77 UMH

Closing Song

I Am Thine, O Lord

#419 UMH

Blessing

Postlude

Worship Songs Sunday 2.5.23

Come, Now is the Time to Worship (Doerksen)

Chorus – Come now is the time to worship

Come now is the time to give your heart

Come just as you are to worship

Come just as you are before your God, Come.

Verse 1 – One day every tongue Will confess You are God

One day every knee will bow

Still the greatest treasure remains for those

who gladly choose You now

Chorus

Verse 2 – Willingly we choose to surrender our lives

Willingly our knees will bow

With all our heart soul mind and strength

We gladly choose You now

Chorus

Ending – Come. Come. Just as you are come. Come.

Pass It On #572 UMH

It only takes a spark to get a fire going, and soon all those around can warm up in its glowing.

That's how it is with God's love once you've experienced it; you spread his love to everyone;

you want to pass it on.

What a wondrous time is spring, when all the trees are budding, the birds begin to sing, the flowers start their blooming. That's how it is with God's love once you've experienced it; you want to sing, it's fresh like spring, you want to pass it on.

I wish for you, my friend, the happiness that I've found; you can depend on him, it matters not where you're bound. I'll shout it from the mountaintop; I want my world to know; the Lord of love has come to me, I want to pass it on.

I Am Thine, O Lord #419 UMH

I am thine, O Lord, I have heard thy voice, and it told thy love to me;

but I long to rise in the arms of faith and be closer drawn to thee.

Refrain – Draw me nearer, nearer, blessed Lord, to the cross where thou hast died.

Draw me nearer, nearer, nearer, blessed Lord, to thy precious bleeding side.

Consecrate me now to thy service, Lord, by the power of grace divine;

let my soul look up with a steadfast hope, and my will be lost in thine.

Refrain

O the pure delight of a single hour that before thy throne I spend,

when I kneel in prayer, and with thee, my God, I commune as friend with friend!

Refrain

There are depths of love that I cannot know till I cross the narrow sea;

there are heights of joy that I may not reach till I rest in peace with thee.

Refrain