

Welcome! We invite you to worship, grow & serve with us to see transformed lives reflecting the love of Christ!

Heritage United Methodist Church www.heritageumc.org

Senior Pastor, Rev. Maria Campbell

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Song of Praise Leaning on the Everlasting Arms Heritage Children & Congregation

Call to Worship

Leader: Give thanks to God!

All: We thank God for joy, for laughter, for abundant blessings of every kind.

Leader: Give thanks to God at all times!

All: We thank God, for each day with its joys and struggles.

Leader: Give thanks to God for all things.

All: We thank God that, our joys as well as sorrows, are in God's heart and hands.

Children's Moment

Centering Song God is So Good v 1,2,3 #2056 TFWS

Scripture Psalm 100

Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth. Worship the Lord with gladness; come into his presence with singing. Know that the Lord is God. It is he that made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture. Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise. Give thanks to him, bless his name. For the Lord is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

Pastoral Prayer

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 Oh My, My (arr. Goss) Friends In Faith

Scripture *Gen 2:4b-9, Joshua 24:15, Jeremiah 29:11, Micah 6:8,*

John 1:1-5, John 3:16, Romans 8:35-39, 1 John 3:1, Rev 21:6-7

Message Genesis to Revelation: Our Story

Offertory Don't Worry About the Waves (arr. Rouse) Friends In Faith

Doxology

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—We bring to you our gifts in thankful praise for all that we have received. May our gratitude overflow into the love we share with our neighbors. Amen.

Closing Song I Love to Tell the Story #156 UMH

Blessing

Postlude

Worship Song Leader—Jacob Eppel Organist—Margaret Cinotto

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Genesis to Revelation: Our Story

Gen 2:4b-9—In the day that the Lord God made the earth and the heavens, when no plant of the field was yet in the earth and no herb of the field had yet sprung up—for the Lord God had not caused it to rain upon the earth, and there was no one to till the ground; but a stream would rise from the earth, and water the whole face of the ground— then the Lord God formed man from the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and the man became a living being.

And the Lord God planted a garden in Eden, in the east; and there he put the man whom he had formed. Out of the ground the Lord God made to grow every tree that is pleasant to the sight and good for food, the tree of life also in the midst of the garden, and the tree of the knowledge of good and evil.

Joshua 24:15—"Now if you are unwilling to serve the Lord, choose this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your ancestors served in the region beyond the River or the gods of the Amorites in whose land you are living; but as for me and my household, we will serve the Lord."

Jeremiah 29:11—For surely I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord, plans for your welfare and not for harm, to give you a future with hope.

Micah 6:8—He has told you, O mortal, what is good; and what does the Lord require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?

John 1:1-5—In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God. All things came into being through him, and without him not one thing came into being. What has come into being in him was life, and the life was the light of all people.

The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not overcome it.

John 3:16—"For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life."

Romans 8:35-39—Who will separate us from the love of Christ? Will hardship, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? As it is written, "For your sake we are being killed all day long; we are accounted as sheep to be slaughtered." No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

1 John 3:1—See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him.

Rev 21:6-7—Then he said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. To the thirsty I will give water as a gift from the spring of the water of life. Those who conquer will inherit these things, and I will be their God and they will be my children."

Worship Song Sheet Sunday 9.17.23

God is So Good v 1,2,3 #2056 TFWS

God is so good, God is so good, God is so good, God's so good to me.

God cares for me, God cares for me, God cares for me, God's so good to me.

God loves me so, God loves me so, God loves me so, God's so good to me.

I Love to Tell the Story #156 UMH

I love to tell the story of unseen things above, of Jesus and his glory, of Jesus and his love. I love to tell the story, because I know 'tis true; it satisfies my longings as nothing else can do.

I love to tell the story, 'twill be my theme in glory, to tell the old, old story of Jesus and his love.

I love to tell the story; more wonderful it seems than all the golden fancies of all our golden dreams. I love to tell the story, it did so much for me; and that is just the reason I tell it now to thee.

I love to tell the story, 'twill be my theme in glory, to tell the old, old story of Jesus and his love.

I love to tell the story; 'tis pleasant to repeat what seems, each time I tell it, more wonderfully sweet. I love to tell the story, for some have never heard the message of salvation from God's own holy Word.

I love to tell the story, 'twill be my theme in glory, to tell the old, old story of Jesus and his love.

I love to tell the story, for those who know it best seem hungering and thirsting to hear it like the rest. And when, in scenes of glory, I sing the new, new song, 'twill be the old, old story that I have loved so long.

I love to tell the story, 'twill be my theme in glory, to tell the old, old story of Jesus and his love.