

# ONE CHURCH, MANY PLACES

*First Christian Church Jefferson City*

Sunday Morning Worship

10:40AM

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**August 2, 2020**

## PREPARE

Anne-marie Scott, piano

## CENTERING

**Welcome**

Rev. Sarah Kingsbery

**Call to Worship** (written by Joanna Harader)

Elizabeth Coffman

One: In the darkest valley and at the banquet table;

**ALL: in the hard work of life, at the moments of ease;**

One: in our day-to-day reality, at times set aside,

**ALL: like this time, now –for worship, for listening, for paying attention;**

One: with all we do,

**ALL: goodness and mercy follow us; our cups overflow.**

## Song

*“Blessed Be Your Name”*

### VERSE:

Blessed be Your name in the land that is plentiful,  
where Your streams of abundance flow, blessed be Your name.

Blessed be Your name when I'm found in the desert place,  
though I walk through the wilderness, blessed be Your name.

### PRE-CHORUS:

Every blessing You pour out I'll turn back to praise.

When the darkness closes in, Lord, still I will say,

### CHORUS:

Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be Your name.

Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be Your glorious name.

### VERSE:

Blessed be Your name when the sun's shining down on me,  
when the world's all as it should be, blessed be Your name.

Blessed be Your name on the road marked with suffering,  
though there's pain in the offering, blessed be Your name.

### CHORUS:

Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be Your name.

Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be Your glorious name.

### BRIDGE:

You give and take away. You give and take away.

My heart will choose to say, Lord, blessed be Your name. (REPEAT BRIDGE)

### CHORUS:

Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be Your name.

Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be Your glorious name.

## Opening Prayer

### ENCOUNTERING

#### Scripture Reading      Psalm 23 (read in unison)

The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.  
He makes me to lie down in green pastures;  
He leads me beside still waters.  
He restores my soul;  
He leads me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake.  
Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil;  
for You are with me; Your rod and Your staff, they comfort me.  
You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies;  
You anoint my head with oil; my cup runs over.  
Surely goodness and mercy will follow me all the days of my life;  
and I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.

#### Song      *"Eye of the Storm"*

CHORUS:      In the eye of the storm, You remain in control.  
                  And in the middle of a war, You guard my soul.  
                  You alone are the anchor when my sails are torn.  
                  Your love surrounds me in the eye of the storm.

#### VERSE:

When the solid ground is falling out from underneath my feet,  
between the black skies and my red eyes, I can barely see.  
When I realize I've been sold out by my friends and family,  
I can feel the rain reminding me.

CHORUS:      In the eye of the storm, You remain in control.  
                  And in the middle of a war, You guard my soul.  
                  You alone are the anchor when my sails are torn.  
                  Your love surrounds me in the eye of the storm.

#### VERSE:

When my hopes and dreams are far from me and I'm running out of faith,  
I see the future I picture slowly fade away.  
When the tears of pain and heartache are pouring down my face,  
I can find my peace in Jesus' name.

CHORUS:      In the eye of the storm, You remain in control.  
                  And in the middle of a war, You guard my soul.  
                  You alone are the anchor when my sails are torn.  
                  Your love surrounds me in the eye of the storm.

#### VERSE:

And when the test comes in and the doctor says I've only got a few months left,  
it's like a bitter pill I'm swallowing, I can barely take a breath.  
And when an illness steals someone I love and there's nothing I can do,  
my only hope is to trust You.  
I trust You, Lord.

CHORUS:      In the eye of the storm, You remain in control.  
                  And in the middle of a war, You guard my soul.  
                  You alone are the anchor when my sails are torn.  
                  Your love surrounds me in the eye of the storm. *(REPEAT CHORUS)*

Sermon

Pastoral Prayer

**RESPONDING**

**Song**

***“What a Friend”***

VERSE:

Everybody has trials and temptations.  
Everybody has heartbreak, isolation.  
But we can lay our burdens down, lay our burdens down.

CHORUS:

What a friend we have in Jesus.  
East to west my sins are gone.  
I see grace on every horizon,  
and forever and ever His heart is my home.

VERSE:

Everybody has fears. Everybody got worries.  
Everybody knows sorrow, devastation.  
But we can lay our burdens down, lay our burdens down.

CHORUS:

What a friend we have in Jesus.  
East to west my sins are gone.  
I see grace on every horizon,  
and forever and ever His heart is my home.

BRIDGE:

No more betrayal for He is faithful. He fills me up and my cup runneth over.  
No more betrayal for He is faithful. How He has proven it over and over. *(REPEAT BRIDGE)*

CHORUS:

What a friend we have in Jesus.  
East to west my sins are gone.  
I see grace on every horizon,  
and forever and ever His heart is my home. *(REPEAT CHORUS)*

**The Lord’s Supper**

*Invitation to Communion and Words of Institution*

*Prayer of Consecration*

*Partaking of the Bread and Cup*

Elder: Sally Robuck

**Song**

***“Keep Making Me”***

VERSE:

Make me broken so I can be healed, ‘cause I’m so calloused and now I can’t feel.  
I want to run to You with heart wide open. Make me broken.

Make me empty so I can be filled, ‘cause I’m still holding onto my will.  
And I’m completed when You are with me. Make me empty.

CHORUS:

‘Till You are my one desire. ‘Til You are my one true love.  
‘Til You are my breath, my everything.  
Lord, please keep making me.

VERSE:

Make me lonely so I can be Yours. 'Til I want no one more than You, Lord.  
'Cause in the darkness I know You will hold me. Make me lonely.

CHORUS:

'Till You are my one desire. 'Til You are my one true love.  
'Til You are my breath, my everything.  
Lord, please keep making me. (*REPEAT CHORUS*)  
Lord, please keep making me.

*Prayer of Thanksgiving*

## SENDING

### Stewarship Reflection

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[firstchristianjcmo.org/donate](http://firstchristianjcmo.org/donate).*

### Blessing

Music As We Go to Serve      *"You Never Let Go"*

### With thanks to...

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## Stay Connected this Week with FCCJCMO

### SUNDAY AUGUST 9TH 9AM WORSHIP AT RIVERSIDE PARK PAVILION

#### *Weekly Activities*

**Thursdays at 10:15AM** Prayer Call [freeconferencecall.com](http://freeconferencecall.com)

*We will use these calls to share joys and concerns and pray for and with one another.  
Call (712) 775-7270 and enter access code 444928 to join the conference call.*

**Thursdays at 11:00AM** Bible Study

**Thursdays at 5:45PM** Bible Study

*We will meet in our church Zoom Room to study the Gospel of Luke. The material  
covered will be the same at both times.*

<https://zoom.us/j/2202286773>

(NO BIBLE STUDY AUGUST 6<sup>TH</sup> – RESUMES AUGUST 13<sup>TH</sup>)

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