

Throughout this bulletin (\*) indicates those who are able may stand.

## CENTERING

GATHERING MUSIC    *"On Eagle's Wings"* (M. Hayes)    Gretchen Huedepohl, piano  
WELCOME    Alexis Engelbrecht

\*CALL TO WORSHIP (adapted from Thom M. Shuman)  
(8:20) Karen Shroyer; (10:40) Cindy Leveron

One: We gather in this place to worship our God:

**All: calm Presence in our times of confusion,  
Comforter in our nights of struggle.**

One: We gather with fellow pilgrims as we seek to follow Jesus:

**All: Sister and Brother to those swamped by fears,  
Friend to all overwhelmed by loss.**

One: We are brought together by the Spirit who lives in the  
depths of our souls:

**All: the Serenity who travels with us  
on this up-and-down journey we call life.**

\*OPENING PRAYER / THE LORD'S PRAYER (adapted from Thom M. Shuman)

## ENCOUNTERING

SCRIPTURE READING    Job 38:1-11

ANTHEM    *"Who Am I?"*    Jack DeArmey, soloist

SCRIPTURE READING    Mark 4:35-41    (8:20) Karen Shroyer; Bob Priddy; Alan Nelson  
(10:40) Cindy Leveron; Brian Knight; Steven Claycomb

SERMON    "Extraordinary Stories of Jesus: Storms and Fears"    Rev. Dr. Jim Hill

PASTORAL PRAYER

## RESPONDING

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

\*HYMN    *"Be Still, My Soul"* (CH 566, v. 1,2)

COMMISSIONING of Rev. Alexis Engelbrecht

Rev. David Avery

### Commissioning Covenant

One: There are different gifts,

**ALL: but it is the same Spirit who gives them.**

One: There are different ways of serving God,

**ALL: but it is the same God who is served.**

One: Each one is given a gift by the one Spirit

**ALL: to use for the common good.**

One: Together we are the body of Christ,

**ALL: and individually members with one another.**

## CELEBRATING THE LORD'S SUPPER

INVITATION TO COMMUNION / WORDS OF INSTITUTION

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION    (8:20) Alan Nelson; (10:40) Melanie Highland, elder

PARTAKING OF THE BREAD AND CUP    *"Be Still and Know"*

## SENDING

INVITATION TO STEWARDSHIP

Rev. Sarah Kingsbery

\*BENEDICTION

\*HYMN    *"Standing on the Promises"*

Standing on the promises of Christ the Lord,  
bound to Him eternally by love's strong cord,  
overcoming daily with God's Holy Word,  
standing on the promises of God.

REFRAIN    Standing, standing,  
standing on the promises of God my Savior;  
standing, standing,  
I'm standing on the promises of God.

Standing on the promises that cannot fail,  
when the howling storms of doubt and fear assail,  
by the living Word of God I shall prevail,  
standing on the promises of God. REFRAIN

\*POSTLUDE           *"How Firm a Foundation"* (T. Clegg)

*WITH THANKS TO –*

Sound techs: (8:20) Don Lloyd; (10:40) Carson Lepper

Camera: Terri Lloyd

### CALENDAR NOTES:

TODAY                   9:30AM Sunday School  
                              10:40AM Contemporary Worship  
Tuesday, June 22      12:00PM Food Pantry, *FCC Family Life Center*  
  *Volunteers welcome!*  
Wednesday, June 23   9:15AM Prayer Call [freeconferencecall.com](http://freeconferencecall.com)  
  *Call (712) 775-7270 and enter access code*  
  *444928 to join the conference call*  
                              12:00PM Bible Study *Activities Room*  
                              6:45PM Bible Study on Zoom  
Sunday, June 27        8:20AM Traditional Worship Service  
                              9:30AM Sunday School  
                              9:30AM Children's Sunday School SS Room  
                              9:30AM Faith Conversations for Parents  
  and Guardians  
                              10:40AM Contemporary Worship Service

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### PERFORMING AT FCC ON THURSDAY, JULY 1ST—

Soprano Dr. Carline Waugh (former instructor at Lincoln University) and pianists Dr. Peter Miyamoto (instructor at MU) and Ayako Tsuruta will be performing in concert in our sanctuary. Included in this FREE concert are Fred Onovwerouske's Sonata for Two Pianos, Florence Price's set of songs, and George Gershwin's "Rhapsody in Blue" with an orchestral accompaniment. (Free will offerings are accepted)

INTERIM MINISTER Rev. Dr. Jim Hill
ASSOCIATE MINISTER Rev. Sarah Kingsbery
ASSISTANT MINISTER Rev. Alexis Engelbrecht
DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY Gretchen Huedepohl
BELL CHOIR DIRECTOR Terri Lloyd
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT Kathy Speidel
FACILITIES COORDINATOR Scott Campbell

We call ourselves Disciples,  
a community of believers  
who follow Jesus by  
**worshipping** God,  
**growing** in faith, and  
**servicing** all in need.  
Bound to each other in  
Christ's love, we discover  
our life together through  
**sharing** life with the world.

## Welcome to Worship

Sunday, June 20, 2021



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