

Praise at the Park

Sept. 27, 2020, 9:00 a.m.

GATHERING MUSIC ***“Lord, Be Glorified” and “They’ll Know We Are Christians by Our Love”***

WELCOME

Rev. Beau Underwood

CALL TO WORSHIP (Source: Rev. Silvia Purdie)

Robin Grumm

One: Come, friends, you are welcome -

ALL: in the unity of the Spirit, in the bond of peace.

One: Here we choose to like each other, lift each other up, humbly, gently, patiently -

ALL: in the unity of the Spirit, in the bond of peace.

One: Here we are a small part of one body in one Spirit, with one Lord, one faith, one baptism -

ALL: in the unity of the Spirit, in the bond of peace.

One: Here we share hope in one God and Creator of all, who is above all and through all and in all

ALL: in the unity of the Spirit, in the bond of peace.

SONGS ***“Because of Your Love”***

VERSE:

As we come into Your presence,
we remember every blessing that You’ve poured out so freely from above.
Lifting gratitude and praises for compassion so amazing,
Lord, we’ve come to give You thanks for all You’ve done.

CHORUS:

Because of Your love we’re forgiven.
Because of Your love our hearts are clean.
We lift You up with songs of freedom.
Forever we’re changed because of Your love. ***(REPEAT from beginning)***

“1000 Tongues”

VERSE:

We are a sea of voices. We are an ocean of Your praise.
We’re gathered under one name.
We are a tide that’s rising and we cannot be contained,
gathered under one name.

CHORUS:

O for a thousand tongues to sing the glories of our Lord God Almighty.
O to sing the Savior’s praise, the triumph of His grace.
You are worthy; You are worthy, God.

VERSE:

We have found our anthem at the cross where sin was slain.
We’re gathered under one name.
Where every chain is broken, every sorrow swept away,
gathered under one name.

CHORUS:

O for a thousand tongues to sing the glories of our Lord God Almighty.
O to sing the Savior's praise, the triumph of His grace.
You are worthy; You are worthy, God.

BRIDGE:

With all heaven sing, and all earth below,
one holy King, one highest throne. **(REPEAT bridge)**

CHORUS:

O for a thousand tongues to sing the glories of our Lord God Almighty.
O to sing the Savior's praise, the triumph of His grace.
You are worthy; You are worthy, God.

OPENING PRAYER / THE LORD'S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE READING Ephesians 4:1-6

SONG **"Hold Us Together"**

VERSE:

It don't have a job. It won't pay your bills. Won't buy you a home in Beverly Hills.
Won't fix your life in five easy steps. Ain't the law of the land or the government.
But it's all you need.

CHORUS:

And love will hold us together,
make us a shelter to weather the storm.
And I'll be my brother's keeper,
so the whole world will know that we're not alone.

VERSE:

It's waiting for you, knockin' at your door.
In the moment of truth when your heart hits the floor and you're on your knees.

CHORUS:

And love will hold us together,
make us a shelter to weather the storm.
And I'll be my brother's keeper,
so the whole world will know that we're not alone.

BRIDGE:

This is the first day of the rest of your life. This is the first day of the rest of your life
'cause even in the dark you can still see the light.
It's gonna be alright. It's gonna be alright. **(REPEAT bridge)**

CHORUS:

And love will hold us together,
make us a shelter to weather the storm.
And I'll be my brother's keeper,
so the whole world will know that we're not alone.

SCRIPTURE READING Ephesians 2:1-10

HOMILY / PASTORAL PRAYER

SONG ***“Only King Forever”***

VERSE:

Our God, a firm foundation; our Rock, the only solid ground, as nations rise and fall.
Kingdoms once strong, now shaken;
but we trust forever in Your name, the name of Jesus.
We trust the name of Jesus.

CHORUS:

You are the only King forever, Almighty God, we lift You higher.
You are the only King forever. Forevermore You are victorious.
You are the only King forever. Almighty God, we lift You higher.
You are the only King forever. Forevermore You are victorious.

VERSE:

Unmatched in all Your wisdom, in love and justice You will reign; every knee will bow.
We bring our expectations, our hope is anchored in Your name, the name of Jesus.
We trust the name of Jesus.

CHORUS:

You are the only King forever, Almighty God, we lift You higher.
You are the only King forever. Forevermore You are victorious.
You are the only King forever. Almighty God, we lift You higher.
You are the only King forever. Forevermore You are victorious.

BRIDGE:

We lift our banner high, we lift the name of Jesus.
From age to age You reign Your kingdom has no end.
We lift our banner high, we lift the name of Jesus.
From age to age You reign; Your kingdom has no end. ***(REPEAT chorus)***

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PRAYER OF CONSECRATION / PARTAKING

Bill Marshall

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

Doug VanCamp for the Salvation Army Dinner Crew

BENEDICTION

SONG ***“All the People Said Amen”***

VERSE:

You are not alone if you are lonely. When you feel afraid, you’re not the only.
We are all the same in need of mercy, to be forgiven and be free.
It’s all you got to lean on, but, thank God, it’s all you need.

CHORUS:

And all the people said, "Amen." And all the people said, "Amen."
Give thanks to the Lord for His love never ends. And all the people said, "Amen."

VERSE:

If you're rich or poor, it doesn't matter; weak or strong, love is what we're after.
We're all broken, but we're all in this together.
God knows we stumble and fall,
and He so loved the world He sent His Son to save us all.

CHORUS:

And all the people said, "Amen." And all the people said, "Amen."
Give thanks to the Lord for His love never ends. And all the people said, "Amen."
Give thanks to the Lord for His love never ends. And all the people said, "Amen."

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STAY CONNECTED!

Sunday, Sept. 27, 7:00pm Youth Meeting on Zoom

Tuesdays, 12:00-4pm Food Pantry FCC Family Life Center; *volunteers welcome!*

Thursdays, 10:15am Prayer Call freeconferencecall.com

*Share joys and concerns and pray for and with one another and for the church.
Call (712) 775-7270 and enter access code 444928 to join the conference call.*

Thursdays, 11:00am OR 5:45pm Bible Study

*Meet in our church Zoom Room to study the Gospel of Luke. Identical material is covered
at both sessions. <https://zoom.us/j/2202286773>*

Thursdays, 7:00pm Handbell Choir FCC sanctuary

Sunday, Oct. 4, 10am Worship at FCC back parking lot off Adams Street

Sunday, Oct. 4, 4 pm "Religion in America class" in church Zoom room

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