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“Worship God, Love One Another, Serve the World”



September 26, 2021
8:25 am

Daymark Worship

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Daymark Worship

Gathering Prayer and Praise

We gather in the Lord's name. This time may include informal prayer, singing, testimony, quiet meditation, vocal music, other forms of prayer and praise.

Welcome and Announcements

Centering Prayer

Prelude: "Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven" Terri Boykin

*Greeting

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Come let us praise the Lord, the source of our life, our love, and our hope!

Let everything that has breath praise the Lord!

*Hymn UMH #593 "Here I Am Lord"

*Opening Prayer of Confession

Almighty God, give us true faith, and make that faith grow in us day by day. We confess that we are often restless, searching for hope and love in places and things that do not satisfy. Grow in us a hope and love that perseveres in good times and in bad so that at all times and in all places, we may serve you and our neighbors according to your will; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon

Lord, in the midst of darkness and times of trial, we hear you whisper "I am your hope" over all the other voices. Hear now this great news of hope and restoration:

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven! Glory to God! Amen.

*The Peace

As forgiven and reconciled people, let us now show one another signs of reconciliation and love. (*Wave to one another and remain in seats*)

First Scripture Lesson 1 Kings 19:13-21 Joanne Scholl

Mission Moment

Holy Land Christian Solidarity Cooperative George Ghanem

Open Altar, Open Heart

As "Call to Prayer" is sung, all are invited to come to the altar for morning prayer led by a Pastor.

Call to Prayer "We Sing of Your Glory"

Pastoral Prayer

*Gospel Lesson Matthew 13:24-30

Anthem "Redeemed" Pastor Kevin
Kristen Viszneki

Sermon "Hope, How to Grow It" Pastor Kevin

The Apostles' Creed UMH #881

Gloria Patri UMH #71

Giving of our Tithes, Offerings, and Connection Cards

Offertory "Seek Ye First"

*Doxology UMH #94

*Hymn TFWS #2281 "May You Run and Not Be Weary"

*Dismissal with Blessing

*Postlude "Come, Christians, Join to Sing" Terri Boykin

* Please stand if you are able.

COVID-19 Protocol Update

Given the rising cases of COVID-19 in Onslow County and in our immediate area, we are now recommending masks when in crowds and when working directly with unvaccinated children and youth. Let's continue to show neighborly love as we do all we can to welcome and protect the most vulnerable.