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TRANSFORMING THE WORLD



July 6, 2025

Traditional Worship

8:15 am Sanctuary

**Please stand or lift your heart*

WELCOME

Rev. Jonathan Jonas



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OPENING PRAYER

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ALL: And also with you.

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LEADER: Let us pray:

ALL: Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden.

Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRELUDE

I Sing the Almighty Power of God
arr. Ellen Coman
Dr. Jenny Anderson, piano

*HYMN No. 617

I Come with Joy
DOVE OF PEACE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

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LEADER: And so have we. Amen.

*GLORIA PATRI No. 70

Glory Be to the Father
MEINEKE

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

ALL: Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that as the Scriptures are read and your Word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Corinthians 9:19-22 (NRSV)

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LEADER: All scripture is inspired by God.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

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ANTHEM

I Love to Tell the Story
arr. Dockery

Morning Glory Chorus; Dr. Dwight Dockery, conductor

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.
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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.
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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.
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***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH No. 889** Affirmation from 1 Timothy

LEADER: There is one God and there is one mediator, Christ
Jesus, who came as a ransom for all, to whom we testify.

ALL: This saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance:
That Jesus Christ came into the world to save sinners,
and was manifested in the flesh,
vindicated in the Spirit,
seen by angels,
proclaimed among the nations,
believed in throughout the world,
taken up in glory.
Great indeed is the mystery of the gospel. Amen.

TIME OF PRAYER

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

There is a Balm in Gilead
arr. Shelton Ridge Love

***DOXOLOGY No. 94** *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*
LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow
Praise God, all creatures here below.
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts.
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts.
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!
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CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation UMH 7
Confession and Pardon UMH 8
The Great Thanksgiving UMH 9
The Lord's Prayer UMH 10
Sharing the Bread and Cup
Thanksgiving Prayer UMH 11

***HYMN No. 581** *Lord, Whose Love Through Humble Service*
BEACH SPRING

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE** *Sent Forth by God's Blessing*
arr. Keith Kolander

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BRINGING OF THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

Emerson Rose, acolyte
Maggie Harris, acolyte

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OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Lord, You Give the Great Commission
arr. John F. Wilson

Chancel Choir; Dr. Dwight Dockery, conductor

Lord you give the great commission:
"Heal the sick and preach the word."

Lest the Church neglect its mission and the Gospel go unheard,
help us witness to your purpose with renewed integrity;
with the Spirit's gifts empower us for the work of ministry.

Lord, you call us to your service: "In my name baptize and teach."
That the world may trust your promise, life abundant meant for each,
give us all new fervor, draw us closer in community;
with the Spirit's gifts empower us for the work of ministry.

Lord, you show us love's true measure:
"Father, what they do, forgive."
Yet we hoard as private treasure all that you so freely give.
May your care and mercy lead us to a just society:
with the Spirit's gifts empower us for the work of ministry.

Lord, you bless with words assuring: "I am with you to the end."
Faith and hope and love restoring, may we serve as you intend,
and amid the cares that claim us hold in mind eternity;
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***BENEDICTION RESPONSE** *Go Forth for God*
harm. Winfred Douglas

Go forth for God, go to the world in peace;
be of good courage, armed with heavenly grace,
in God's good Spirit daily to increase,
till in the kingdom, we see face to face.
Go forth for God, go to the world in peace.

***POSTLUDE** *Fantasia*
Johann Krebs

Contemporary Worship

10:30 am | Asbury Hall

WELCOME MUSIC

The Band

Until the Whole World Hears
Casting Crowns

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Ralph Jeffers

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WORSHIP

My Jesus
Anne Wilson

Send Me
Bethel Music

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Rev. Sarah Slack

OFFERING

A Woman
Faithful

SCRIPTURE

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HOLY COMMUNION

Take to the World
Derek Webb

CLOSING WORSHIP

Do Something
Matthew West

BENEDICTION

THREE MORE OPPORTUNITIES

JULY 8TH
JULY 13TH
JULY 20TH

SUMMER
SERVICE &
SURPRISES

- PACK AND DELIVER MEALS
- ENJOY A KID FRIENDLY MEAL
- TAKE PART IN A HANDS-ON ACTIVITY

FOR CHILDREN 2ND GRADE-5TH GRADE

1stchurch.org/summer-service



VOLUNTEER TRAINING

July 9th & July 16th

Noon to 3:00 pm

Email Jill Pope at:
director@daybreakcare.org



Blessing of
the Backpacks

August 3rd

During all worship services

Children's Choirs



Children & Youth Choirs
Start up again on August 6th

We hope your child can be a part of 1st UMC's Music Ministries. Scan the QR codes or visit the website and let us know your child's interest in our music ministries.



1stchurch.org/music-at-1st



Youth Choirs

Before we can take the first step of our recovery,
we must first face and admit our

CELEBRATE
RECOVERY
JULY 9TH

DENIAL

Rev. Don Jones

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