#### STITTSVILLE UNITED CHURCH Growing - Together - In Spirit Trinity Sunday June 7, 2020 (All music and prayers from voices United and More Voices used with permission under license #16965, LicenSing Online.)

#### WE UNITE IN PRAISE GOD

Music to Prepare for Worship:

Invitation to Worship:

All: Let us worship the Creator, our source of life and love. Let us worship Christ, our model of faith and service. Let us worship the Spirit, who renews us by inspiring wind and fire.

Let us worship God in faith, hope and joy.

Hymn: "I Feel the Winds of God Today"

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Welcome & the Life and Ministry of Our Church

# WE HEAR GOD'S WORD FOR US

**Musical Offering:** "Eternal Father, Strong to Save" (Naval Hymn) (VU #<u>659</u> sung by Doug and Wendy Hall)

Scripture: Luke 8:22-25 Acts 27:13-26

Hymn: "You Never Saw Old Galilee" (vs. 1-5) #673

Sermon: "Weathering The Storm."

# WE RESPOND IN LOVE

Hymn: "You Never Saw Old Galilee" (vs. 6 & 7)

Call to Prayer: (Singing Bowl)

**Prayers for Healing and Transformation** 

The Lord's Prayer:

Invitation to Offer and Receive God's Gifts:

Song of Dedication: "Spirit of the Living God" (vs. 2 #<u>376</u>) Spirit of the living God, move among us all; make us one in heart and mind, make us one in love: humble, caring, selfless, sharing. Spirit of the living God, fill our lives with love! Amen.

Prayer of Dedication:

## WE SHARE IN COMMUNION

### Prayer of Great Thanksgiving:

- One: The Lord be with you.
- All: And also with you.
- One: Lift up your hearts.
- All: We lift them up to the Lord.
- One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- All: It is right to give God thanks and praise.
- One: O Eternal Our God, we give thanks that from the very beginning, your Spirit breathed life and love into all creation. Through the ages people have opened their hearts to your Spirit, have cherished your gift of life and have shared your love. Even in the face of the darkness which stifles your Spirit, threatens life, and resists love, there were those who believed that One would come who would embody and proclaim abundant life. We give thanks that in Jesus the Christ your self-giving, world changing love has been revealed, that he came to bring justice and compassion, healing and peace to our hurting and broken world. And so we join our voices with the faithful through the ages to offer you our praises as we sing:

#### All: #<u>932</u> Holy, holy, holy are you, God of power and might; heaven and earth are filled with your glory. Hosanna in the highest! Blessed is the one who comes in your name. Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest!

One: O God we are grateful that to those bound by fear and despair Jesus offers the invitation to come and find rest and peace by joining in community at the banquet of life and love you spread before us. May we embrace his good news that justice and healing are here for all. Today we come to this feast of life knowing that Jesus' vision is not yet fully here. There are many without bread. There are those still oppressed. There are some who continue to abuse power. There are people who feel unworthy. This bread and cup remind us we that we are nourished by the love Christ embraced and shared. Send your Spirit among us God and on these gifts that we might be reawakened to your life among us now and always. Amen.

#### **Receiving the Bread and Cup:**

(We each partake of the bread and cup.)

#### **Prayer Following Communion:**

We offer you our thanks, O God, that through sharing this bread and cup, we have been reminded of your love for us in Jesus Christ, and of our unity with all of your people around the world. May the sharing of this meal be a sign of our faith, that you journey with us and all people, even through the difficult times, that your love can remove any barrier within and among us, and that you call us to strive to bring the peace of Christ to all of our relationships and to all the world. Amen.

### WE GO FORTH IN SERVICE

Hymn: "Will Your Anchor Hold"

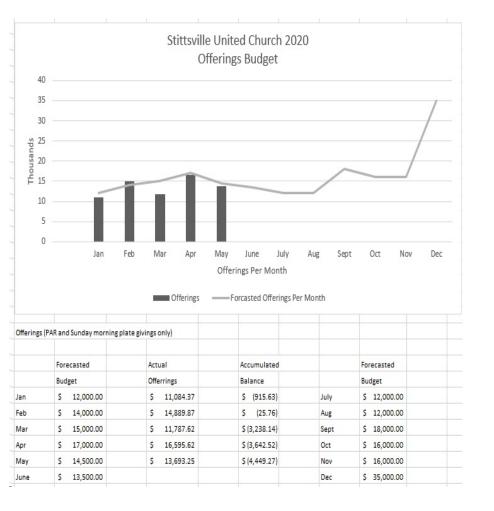
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Departing Song: "Walk With Me" (chorus) Walk with me, I will walk with you and build the land that God has planned where love shines through.

Music To Inspire Us As We Go:

#### **Monthly Offering Chart**

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