STITTSVILLE UNITED CHURCH Growing - Together - In Spirit Pentecost 3 June 21, 2020

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WE GATHER TO PRAISE GOD

Music to Prepare for Worship:

Invitation to Worship: (Psalm 84)

One: How lovely is your dwelling place, God of hosts! My soul longs, even faints for the courts of God;

All: my heart and my flesh cry for joy to the living God.

One: Even the sparrow finds a house, and the swallow a nest where she may lay her young,

All: at your altars, God of hosts, my sovereign, my God.

One: Happy are those who dwell in your house, ever singing your praise.

All: Happy are those whose strength is in you, who have set their heart on pilgrimage.

Hymn: "One More Step Along The World I Go" (vs. 1-4) #639

1 One more step along the world I go, one more step along the world I go, from the old things to the new, keep me travelling along with you:

Chorus: And it's from the old I travel to the new; keep me travelling along with you.

- 2 Round the corner of the world I turn, more and more about the world I learn; all the new things that I see you'll be looking at along with me:
- 3 As I travel through the bad and good, keep me travelling the way I should; where I see no way to go you'll be telling me the way, I know:

4 Give me courage when the world is rough, keep me loving though the world is tough, leap and sing in all I do, keep me travelling along with you:

Welcome & the Life and Ministry of Our Church

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD FOR US

Musical Offering: "The Climb" (Miley Cyrus) Sung by Sarah Daly, Allison Houston and Alanna Code.

Scripture: John 4:1-10 & Mark 10:32-34 & 46-48

Sermon: "The Way of Jesus."

WE RESPOND IN LOVE

Hymn: "Lord Jesus, You Shall Be My Song As I Journey" #641

1 Lord Jesus, you shall be my song as I journey,
I'll tell everybody about you wherever I go:
for our life and our peace and our love is yourself.
Lord Jesus, you shall be my song as I journey.

- Lord Jesus, I'll praise you as long as I journey.
 May all of my joy be a faithful reflection of you.
 May the earth and the sea and the sky join my song.
 Lord Jesus, I'll praise you as long as I journey.
- 3 As long as I live, Jesus, make me your servant to carry your cross and to share all your burdens and tears, for you saved me by giving your body and blood. As long as I live, Jesus, make me your servant.

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4 I fear in the dark and the doubt of my journey, but courage will come with the sound of your steps by my side; and with all of my brothers you saved by your love, we'll sing to your dawn at the end of our journey.

Call to Prayer: (Singing Bowl)

Prayers of Thanksgiving & for Healing and Transformation

The Lord's Prayer:

Minute for Mission: SUC - Walk With Me Pilgrimage

Invitation to Offer our Gifts:

Song of Dedication: "Spirit of the Living God" (vs. 2 #376)
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 GO FORTH IN SERVICE

Hymn: "Jesus Christ is Waiting"

#117

- 1 Jesus Christ is waiting, waiting in the streets; no one is his neighbour, all alone he eats.
 Listen, Lord Jesus, I am lonely too.
 Make me, friend or stranger, fit to wait on you.
- 2 Jesus Christ is raging, raging in the streets, where injustice spirals and real hope retreats. Listen, Lord Jesus, I am angry too. In the Kingdom's causes let me rage with you.

- 3 Jesus Christ is healing, healing in the streets; curing those who suffer, touching those he greets. Listen, Lord Jesus, I have pity too. Let my care be active, healing just like you.
- 4 Jesus Christ is dancing, dancing in the streets, where each sign of hatred he, with love, defeats. Listen, Lord Jesus, I should triumph too.
 On suspicion's graveyard let me dance with you.
- 5 Jesus Christ is calling, calling in the streets,
 'Who will join my journey? I will guide their feet.'
 Listen, Lord Jesus, let my fears be few.
 Walk one step before me; I will follow you.

Commissioning and Blessing:

Departing Song: "Walk With Me" (chorus 2x)
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:

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