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Worship for August 30th 2020

13th Sunday After Pentecost

Welcome to Tahlequah United Methodist Church

Rev. Shana Dry

Thank you for joining us in worship today! Let us know in the comments line that you have joined us in worship.

To prepare for worship today, we invite you to light a candle, grab your Bible and some paper to take notes, and invite the Holy Spirit into your space. Now is the time to worship!

Hymn of Announcement

My Life is in You

TFWS #2032

My life is in You, Lord; My strength is in You, Lord; My hope is in You, Lord; In You, it's in You.

My life is in You, Lord; My strength is in You, Lord; My hope is in You, Lord; In You, it's in You.

I will praise You with all of my life, I will praise You with all of my strength;

With all of my life, with all of my strength. All of my hope is in You.

My life is in You, Lord; My strength is in You, Lord; My hope is in You, Lord; In You, it's in You.

My life is in You, Lord; My strength is in You, Lord; My hope is in You, Lord; In You, it's in You, in You.

Call to Worship

Liturgist

Liturgist: We come before God as equal in God's sight.

All: God knows us thoroughly and loves us completely.

Liturgist: None of us is perfect and without blemish.

All: Yet God has called us children and asked us to be compassionate and responsible in our caring and witness.

Liturgist: We are called to joyful obedience in God's realm.

All: Thanks be to God who trusts us and pours abundant love on us. AMEN.

Hymn of Response

Just As I Am Without One Plea

UMH 357

1. Just as I am, without one plea, but that thy blood was shed for me, and that thou bidst me come to thee,
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

3. Just as I am, though tossed about with many a conflict, many a doubt, fightings and fears within, without,
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

6. Just as I am, thy love unknown hath broken every barrier down; now, to be thine, yea, thine alone,
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

The Epistle Reading Romans 13:8-14

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Hymn of Response

Jesus Lover of My Soul

UMH 479

1. Jesus, lover of my soul, let me to thy bosom fly, while the nearer waters roll, while the tempest still is high. Hide me, O my Savior,
hide, till the storm of life is past; safe into the haven guide; O receive my soul at last.

4. Plenteous grace with thee is found, grace to cover all my sin; let the healing streams abound, make and keep me pure within.
Thou of life the fountain art, freely let me take of thee; spring thou up within my heart; rise to all eternity.

We Offer Our Prayers Together

Prayer of Confession

Liturgist

All: We can get caught up in selfish pursuits and completely over look the wonders of your creation, O God. All around us are majestic reminders of the beauty you offer to us. But we are weak and easily trapped into attitudes of indifference or destructive behavior. You have not given this world to us that we should destroy it, but rather that we should cherish it and make sure that all

receive from its bounty. Forgive our overwhelming greed and selfishness. Help us to let go of the petty desires for wealth, position, and power, and bring us into a ministry which proclaims your love and justice for all your people. These things we pray in the name of the Master Servant, Jesus Christ, our Lord. AMEN.

Words of Affirmation Based on Psalm 65

Liturgist

Liturgist: Hear the good news: when our transgressions prevail over us, God forgives. Blessed is everyone who dwells in God's house. We shall be satisfied with God.

Today we pray for....

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The Pastor will lift any prayers that have been made known to the office. You can submit a prayer request by going to <http://www.tahlequahumc.org/prayerrequest/> After each request the pastor will respond with Lord, Hear this prayer.

Please lift up the following names in prayer: The United Methodist Church, Our Bishop Jimmy Nunn, and Our District Superintendent: Rev. Terry Koehn, Our Pastors Matt Franks and Shana Dry, The NSU Wesley Foundation, Our Little Sprouts Preschool, All of our Local Schools, All of our Health Care Workers, Our Teachers, Support Staffs, and School Administration, All of those on the Front lines helping in the midst of the pandemic. All our Assisted Living Church Members.

Names given to the office for prayer: Pat & Don Brock, Barbara Chambers, Maddie Cochran, Shana Dry, Duffy Dry, Drucilla Hackworth, The Kavanaghs, Sandi Lanham, Ellen Mathews, Paula & Lee Rippetoe, Louene and Bob Scarsdale, Don Stucky, Monika Mann, John & Debbie Jensen, The Prewitt Family, Cleo Hixon, Peggy Cotton, Steve & Cindy Ullom, Pat Bushyhead, Pat and Vera Freeman, Kristen Brown, David Morrison, Kyle Rozell,

Our Military: Robert Isaacson, Dee Mayne Bullock Seminary Student: Cody Robinson

Pastoral Prayer followed by The Lord's Prayer can be found on the UMH 895

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ALL: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Musical Prayer

Spirit of The Living God

UMH 393

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.
Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

We Make Our Offering Together

Mission Moment

Rev. Matt Franks

Offertory Prayer

Liturgist

All: Loving God, we are gathered together to listen to your Word and to witness to its' truths. We give joyously today and dedicate this offering to your work. We are inspired to share your glorious love with our brothers and sisters in Christ. Increase our talents and offerings so that your name is exalted with unending praise. Blessed is your name! Amen. ~David S. Bell

Hymn of Response Glory Be To The Father

UMH 70

We Hear The Word Proclaim

Sermon Series: The Wesley Challenge: 21 Days To A More Authentic Faith:
What Did I learn in these 21 days? By Rev. Shana Dry
Scripture Base: Luke 18:9-14 (Common English Bible)

We Respond To The Word

Sermon Notes

To find all 21 Questions the questions go to www.tahlequahumc.org under this week's Worship Info.

Song of Commitment

Give Us Clean Hands

Charlie Hall

Verse

We bow our hearts, we bend our knees
 Oh Spirit come and make us humble
 We turn our eyes from evil things
 Oh Lord we cast down our idols

Chorus

Give us clean hands
 Give us pure hearts
 Let us not lift our souls to an other
 (Repeat)

Bridge

O God, let us be A generation that seeks
 That seeks Your face O God of Jacob (Repeat)

Service of Holy Communion

The Great Thanksgiving:

We invite you to join us for come and receive Holy Communion under the West Portico Doors from 11-12:00 p.m.

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Pastor: It is right, and a good and joyful thing,
 always and everywhere to give thanks to you,
 Almighty God, creator of heaven and earth.

**All: We praise you for all who labor for the common good
 and for those whose service is unappreciated.**

**We thank you for children whose play is the work of
 learning to live in the world.**

We thank you for disciples who are obedient

to the promptings of your Spirit in all their relationships.

**We thank you for your yearning mercy that waits for us to
 make all our hours and days participation in your healing
 and blessing of the earth and all peoples.**

Pastor: You made us in your image
 and set us in a lush garden as caretakers.
 When we chose to have it all to ourselves,
 you turned our freedom to the toil for survival.
 When we cried out in our misery,
 you delivered us from captivity and made covenant to be our
 sovereign God. By the prophets you called us to return to you
 and delight in good food without price. You confronted us
 with the waste of laboring apart from you, and you asked us,
 "Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread,
 and your labor for that which does not satisfy? ... Incline your
 ear, and come to me; listen, so that you may live."

And so, with your people on earth and all the company of
 heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

**All: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
 heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ.
 Anointed with your Spirit,
 his food was to do your will and to complete it.
 He took the common things of daily life,
 blessed them, and broke and shared them
 so that all were satisfied.
 He told those who followed him,
 "Do not work for the food that perishes,
 but for the food that endures for eternal life."
 He confronted the powers of greed and evil
 at the cost of his life, but you triumphed over death
 and placed him at your right hand to intercede for his
 disciples until the feast of eternal life.
 By water and the Spirit he calls us to continue his work
 until we and all peoples feast at his heavenly banquet.
 And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus
 Christ, we offer ourselves to live daily
 as a holy and living sacrifice,
 in union with Christ's offering for us,
 as we proclaim the mystery of faith.
All: Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.
 Pour out your Holy Spirit.....

All: Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving Prayer I
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We Are Sent Out To Serve

Announcements

by Rev. Matt Franks

Check our Connect, Serve and Grow for all the upcoming info.

Benediction

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Leader: You have been called to serve the Lord with gladness. Go from this place knowing that God's blessings have been poured on you so that you may be a blessing to others. Be at peace and bring the good news of God's love and peace to all whom you meet. AMEN.

Closing Chorus

"The Lord Bless and Keep You"

TFWS #2280

The Lord bless and keep you, the Lord make his face to shine on you and be gracious, gracious.
The Lord bless and keep you, the Lord lift his countenance on you and give peace, give you peace. Amen.

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