

Kern Memorial United Methodist Church

The Reverend Donna M. Hester, Pastor

May 16, 2021 (10:00 AM)

Seventh Sunday of Easter

Welcome

Prelude

Voluntary on *Lobe den Herren*

Hugh S. Livingston, Jr.

Greeting

Come, all who would bear witness to the risen Christ!
Christ is among us and empowers the church to proclaim the word.
Each of us has been given special talents needed in Christ's Church.
Whether our talents are large or small, we are the Church of our Lord!

Song

He Lives

Anthony Skinner/Chris McClarney/Jonathan

Smith

Verse 1

See the tomb where He laid
See the stone rolled away
He is risen He is risen He's alive
See His hands see His feet
Touch His scars and believe
He is risen He is risen He's alive
Oh He's alive

Chorus

He lives
All honor and power are His
All glory forever amen
Jesus (lives)
(Jesus lives)

Verse 2

Hear the shackles breaking free
Hear the song of the redeemed
He is moving He is moving He's alive
So take this freedom take this love
Can you feel it rising up
He is here He is here He's alive

Bridge

You took all our shame
Left it in the grave
We're forgiven we're forgiven
The work forever done
Only by the blood
It is finished it is finished

Ending

He is risen He is risen He's alive

Prayer

Lord's Prayer

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.

Presentation of Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Sentence

Let us testify to God's love by bringing our gifts

Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

Offertory Prayer

Song

Who You Say I am

Ben Fielding/Reuben Morgan

Verse 1

Who am I that the highest King
Would welcome me
I was lost but He brought me in
Oh His love for me
Oh His love for me

Chorus 1

Who the Son sets free
Oh is free indeed
I'm a child of God
Yes I am

Verse 2

Free at last
He has ransomed me
His grace runs deep
While I was a slave to sin
Jesus died for me
Yes He died for me

Chorus 2

In my Father's house
There's a place for me
I'm a child of God
Yes I am

Bridge

I am chosen not forsaken
I am who You say I am
You are for me not against me
I am who You say I am



Tag
(Oh) (Yes) I am who You say I am

Scripture Lesson Acts 1:15-17, 21-26 (CEB) Rev. Donna Hester

¹⁵ During this time, the family of believers was a company of about one hundred twenty persons. Peter stood among them and said, ¹⁶“Brothers and sisters, the scripture that the Holy Spirit announced beforehand through David had to be fulfilled. This was the scripture concerning Judas, who became a guide for those who arrested Jesus. ¹⁷This happened even though he was one of us and received a share of this ministry.”

²¹ “Therefore, we must select one of those who have accompanied us during the whole time the Lord Jesus lived among us, ²²beginning from the baptism of John until the day when Jesus was taken from us. This person must become along with us a witness to his resurrection.” ²³So they nominated two: Joseph called Barsabbas, who was also known as Justus, and Matthias.

²⁴ They prayed, “Lord, you know everyone’s deepest thoughts and desires. Show us clearly which one you have chosen from among these two ²⁵to take the place of this ministry and apostleship, from which Judas turned away to go to his own place.” ²⁶When they cast lots, the lot fell on Matthias. He was added to the eleven apostles.

Message “Moving On” Rev. Donna Hester

Prayer

Hymn *Wings of the Dawn* Linda A. Spencer

O Lord, you have searched me and known me;
You know when I sit and when I rise.
Where can I go from Your Spirit?
Where can I go from Your presence?

Refrain

If I rise on the wings of the dawn,
If I settle on the far side of the sea -
Even there Your hand will guide me,
Your right hand will hold me fast.

If I say, surely darkness will hide me,
And the light become dark all around me -
Not even dark is dark to you,
Night will shine like the day. (Refrain)

So I’ll praise You, praise You,
Lift up my voice and I’ll praise You, Lord.
Father, I praise You, praise You,
Praise you, Lord.

You created me within,
You knit me in my mother’s womb.
I praise You for I am fearfully made;
Your works are wonderful. (Refrain)

Blessing

Verse 1

Come let us worship our King
Come let us bow at His feet
He has done great things
See what our Savior has done
See how His love overcomes
He has done great things
He has done great things

Chorus

O Hero of Heaven You conquered the grave
You free every captive and break every chain
O God You have done great things
We dance in Your freedom awake and alive
O Jesus our Savior Your name lifted high
O God You have done great things

Verse 2

You've been faithful through every storm
You'll be faithful forevermore
You have done great things
And I know You will do it again
For Your promise is yes and amen
You will do great things
God You do great things

Bridge

Hallelujah God above it all
Hallelujah God unshakable
Hallelujah You have done great things
(REPEAT)
You've done great things

Ending

You have done great things
O God You do great things

Announcements

Sunday, May 16, 2021

8:30 am Christian Formation Class (Zoom)
10:05 am Faith Weavers Class (Fellowship Hall)
11:00 am Seekers Class (Zoom)
1:00 pm Church Council (Zoom)
2:30 pm Puppets (Zoom)

Monday, May 17, 2021

9:00 am Monday Morning Maintenance (Fellowship Hall)

Tuesday, May 18, 2021

7:00 pm Bequest Subcommittee (Zoom)

Wednesday, May 12, 2021

6:00 pm Youth Meeting (Fellowship Hall)

7:00 pm Choir (Zoom)

Thursday, May 13, 2021

8:00 am Prayer Partners (Zoom)

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