

ANTHEM
SHOUT TO THE NORTH
BY MARTIN SMITH

***HYMN OF INVITATION**
THE CHURCH'S ONE FOUNDATION

#545, UMH, v. 1 & 2
WORDS BY SAMUEL J. STONE
MUSIC BY SAMUEL SEBASTIAN WESLEY
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1. The church's one foundation is Jesus Christ her Lord; she is his new creation by water and the Word. From heaven he came and sought her to be his holy bride; with his own blood he bought her, and for her life he died.
2. Elect from every nation, yet one o'er all the earth; her charter of salvation, one Lord, one faith, one birth; one holy name she blesses, partakes one holy food, and to one hope she presses, with every grace endued.

***BENEDICTION**

***SENDING FORTH**
GOD BE WITH YOU TILL WE MEET AGAIN

#672, UMH v. 1 & 2
WORDS BY JEREMIAH E. RANKIN
MUSIC BY WILLIAM G. TOMER
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1. God be with you till we meet again; by his counsels guide, uphold you, with his sheep securely fold you; God be with you till we meet again.
Refrain: Till we meet, till we meet, till we meet at Jesus' feet; till we meet, till we meet, God be with you till we meet again.
2. God be with you till we meet again; neath his wings securely hide you, daily manna still provide you; God be with you till we meet again. (Refrain)

POSTLUDE
ON JORDAN'S STORMY BANKS I STAND
BY SAMUEL STENNETT AND RIGDON MCINTOSH



**“Down Through the
Generations!”**
2 Timothy 1:3-10

September 10, 2023
Eleventh Sunday After Pentecost
Grandparents Sunday
Worship Service
Sanctuary & Online
10:00 AM



*Communion is available and the elements
have been blessed for anyone who would like
to partake after church service is completed.*

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

NURSERY IS PROVIDED (BIRTH - 4 YEARS OLD) IN THE EDUCATION BUILDING

PRELUDE
SOMETHING BEAUTIFUL
BY GLORIA AND WILLIAM GAITHER

WELCOME HOME!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP
SING OF THE LORD'S GOODNESS
BY ERNEST SANDS

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Congregation: This is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.

Leader: The hour is coming, and now is, when true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for such the Father seeks to worship him.

Congregation: Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise! Give thanks to him, bless his name!

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

LEANING ON THE EVERLASTING ARMS
#133, UMH
WORDS BY ELISHA A. HOFFMAN
MUSIC BY ANTHONY J. SHOWALTER
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1. What a fellowship, what a joy divine, leaning on the everlasting arms; what a blessedness, what a peace is mine, leaning on the everlasting arms.

Refrain: Leaning, leaning, safe and secure from all alarms; leaning, leaning, leaning on the everlasting arms.

2. O how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way, leaning on the everlasting arms; O how bright the path grows from day to day, leaning on the everlasting arms.

(Refrain)

3. What have I to dread, what have I to fear, leaning on the everlasting arms? I have blessed peace with my Lord so near, leaning on the everlasting arms.

(Refrain)

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

Congregation: I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried, the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

SHARING OF OUR JOYS & CONCERNS

CALL TO PRAYER
O GOD, OUR HELP IN AGES PAST

#117, UMH, v. 1 & 2
WORDS BY ISAAC WATTS
MUSIC ATTR. TO WILLIAM CROFT, HARM. BY W. H. MONK
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1. O God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come, our shelter from the stormy blast, and our eternal home!

2. Under the shadow of thy throne, still may we dwell secure; sufficient is thine arm alone, and our defense is sure.

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING PRAYER & RETURN OF GOD'S TITHES & GIFTS

***DOXOLOGY**

PRAISE GOD, FROM WHOM ALL BLESSINGS FLOW

#94, UMH
WORDS BY THOMAS KEN
MUSIC FROM *GEISTLICHE KIRCHENGESANGE*
ARR. BY RALPH VAUGHAN WILLIAMS
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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! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

DISMISSAL OF CHILDREN FOR CHILDREN'S CHURCH

CHILDREN FROM KINDERGARTEN TO 5TH GRADE MAY GO WITH CATHY SCOTT TO THE CONFERENCE ROOM

HYMN OF FAITH

FAITH OF OUR FATHERS

#710, UMH
WORDS BY FREDERICK W. FABER
MUSIC BY HENRI F. HEMY, ADAPT. BY JAMES G. WALTON
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1. Faith of our fathers, living still, in spite of dungeon, fire, and sword; O how our hearts beat high with joy whene'er we hear that glorious word!

Refrain: Faith of our fathers, holy faith! We will be true to thee till death.

2. Faith of our fathers, we will strive to win all nations unto thee; and through the truth that comes from God, we all shall then be truly free. (Refrain)

3. Faith of our fathers, we will love both friend and foe in all our strife; and preach thee, too, as love knows how by kindly words and virtuous life.

(Refrain)

SCRIPTURE READING

2 TIMOTHY 1:3-10

SERMON

"DOWN THROUGH THE GENERATIONS"

REV. LARAINÉ WAUGHTAL