

Worship Guide

June 27, 2021: The 5th Sunday after Pentecost



GREETING AND INTRODUCTION

God's love is steadfast!
Draw close to Christ.
Reach out to touch Jesus.
Find healing and peace in his love.

OPENING HYMN: O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing #57UMH vv. 1-5

*1 O for a thousand tongues to sing
my great Redeemer's praise,
the glories of my God and King,
the triumphs of his grace!*

*2 My gracious Master and my God,
assist me to proclaim,
to spread thro' all the earth abroad
the honors of your name.*

*3 Jesus! the name that charms our fears,
that bids our sorrows cease,
'tis music in the sinner's ears,
'tis life and health and peace.*

*4 He breaks the power of cancelled sin,
he sets the prisoner free;
his blood can make the foulest clean;
his blood availed for me.*

*5 To God all glory, praise, and love
be now and ever given
by saints below and saints above,
the Church in earth and heaven.*

OPENING PRAYER

Healing and Healer God, call us to rise in faith this day. Strengthen us to walk into the light of your healing and hope. Inspire us to trust your promises, and celebrate the power of your steadfast love. In the healing name of Christ we pray, AMEN.

SCRIPTURE

Gospel reading Mark 5:21-43

Message: Getting in Touch with Jesus

Pastor Jen

SONG BEFORE & AFTER TIME OF PRAYER: *Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying.
Lord, listen to your children praying, Lord, send your Spirit in this place
Lord, listen to your children praying, Send us love, send us power, send us grace .*

PASTORAL PRAYER

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (after each time of silence, we'll finish with the words "Lord in your mercy" and you are invited to respond, "**Hear our prayer.**")

Together let us pray:

For the people of this congregation....

For those who suffer and those in trouble....

For the concerns of this local community....

For the world, it's peoples, and it's leaders....

For the Church universal- it's leaders, it's members, and it's mission....

In communion with the saints...

THE 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.

OFFERING

This is an opportunity to share the goodness that has been given to you. Consider sending an offering to PO Box 630, Skowhegan, ME 04976. You are also invited to support an organization or church in our local community that is making a positive difference in people's lives.

CLOSING HYMN: Come Thou Font of Every Blessing #400 UMH

*1. Come, thou Fount of every blessing, tune my heart to sing thy grace;
streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise.
Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above.
Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it, mount of thy redeeming love.*

*2. Here I raise mine Ebenezer; hither by thy help I'm come;
and I hope, by thy good pleasure, safely to arrive at home.
Jesus sought me when a stranger, wandering from the fold of God;
he, to rescue me from danger, interposed his precious blood.*

*3. O to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be!
Let thy goodness, like a fetter, bind my wandering heart to thee.
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it, prone to leave the God I love;
here's my heart, O take and seal it, seal it for thy courts above.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BENEDICTION

The new HEARTS AND HANDS THRIFT SHOP

Co-Mangers: James Barto and Ila Libby

Hours of Operation: Wednesdays 9 AM to 12 PM

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| Cookware | Lamps |
| Silverware | Home Décor |
| Dishes | Picture Frames |
| Jewelry | CDs/DVDs/VHS |
| Children's Toys | |

***The Thrift Shop will not take: shoes, electric appliances, no large furniture, couches, recliners, etc.

We will receive books for the Take a Book/Leave a Book CUP Café initiative.

***Call James @ 207-858-0257 to arrange drop off donations or for more information

CLOTHING CLOSET

The Clothing Closet is open on Wednesdays 9 AM to NOON and 5 PM to 7 PM



Free
Classes for Adults

Cooking Matters in Skowhegan

For: Adults (Must be 18 or Older)

Where: Skowhegan Centenary Methodist Church
113 Dr. Mann Road, Skowhegan

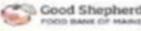
When: Wednesdays July 7th – August 11th
1:00 PM – 3:00 PM (Six, two-hour sessions)

Topics:

- Healthy delicious, affordable meals
- Learn how to shop smarter
- Plus take a bag of groceries home!

Class size is limited to ten adults, register by Monday, July 5th

Register: <https://tinyurl.com/CMA-Class-Enrollment-Form>
Or contact Cheryl. ccurtis@rfgh.net, (207) 696-0951



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