

**Centenary United Methodist Church**  
Our Mission: “Love God, Serve Others”  
Traditional Service  
Third Sunday after Pentecost  
June 13, 2021  
Liturgical color; Green

**PRELUDE** Clair de Lune Edna Schmidt

**INTROIT**

If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just, and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.  
**Thanks be to God. AMEN.**

**GREETINGS/ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**\*OPENNG HYMN** “We Gather Together” **131**

**\*OPENING PRAYER** *(unison)*

**Lord Jesus Christ, you are the way of peace, come into the brokenness of our lives. Help us to be willing to bow before you in true repentance, and to bow to one another in real forgiveness. Help us, O Lord, with your prefect Love, which casts out our fear, and bind us together in unity, which you share with the Father and Holy Spirit. AMEN.**

**\*THE PASSING OF PEACE**

**PRAYER RESPONSE** “Blessed Be the Tie That Binds”

**\*WORDS OF PRAISE**

Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous! Delight in praise, O you upright.

**Let all the earth fear the Lord. For the Lord speaks, and it came to be, the Lord commanded, and it stood forth.**

The counsel of the Lord stands for ever. Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord’ the people whom the Lord has chosen as a heritage! The Lord looks down from heaven, and sees all peoples.

**A king is not saved by his great army; a worrier is not delivered by his great strength. The warhorse is a vain hope for victory, and despite its great might it cannot save.**

Behold, the eye of the Lord is on those who are faithful and hope for God’s steadfast love to deliver their soul from death.

**Let your steadfast love, O Lord; be upon us, we hope in you. AMEN.**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE;** Joys and Concerns

**THE LORD’S PRAYER** *(unison)*

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is 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, the power and the glory, forever; AMEN.**

**CHILDREN’S MESSAGE**

**OFFERTORY**

**\*DOXOLOGY** *(Sung to the tune of 95)*

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him, above ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost; AMEN.**

**\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING** *(unison)*

**God of love, we give you thanks with our whole hearts; before the gods we sing your praise; we bow down toward your holy temple and give thanks to your name for your steadfast lone and faithfulness. AMEN.**

**SCRIPTURE**

First Lesson 1<sup>st</sup> Samuel 16:6-13  
Second Lesson 2<sup>nd</sup> Corinthians 5:14-21

**\*GOSPEL READING** Mark 4:26-34

**PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION** *(unison)*

**We confess that upright is the word of the Lord, whose work is done in faithfulness. The Lord loves righteousness and justice; the earth is of the steadfast love of the Lord. By the word of the Lord the heavens were made, and all their host by the breath of God’s mouth. AMEN.**

**PREPARATORY HYMN** “Victory In Jesus” **370**

**SERMON** “What Is from the Heart?”

**\*CLOSING HYMN** “This Is My Song” **437**

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*POSTLUDE** Holy Ground Edna Schmidt

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*The TV broadcast is from Don and Lyn Scheiding in honor of Frank and Ruby Krueger's wedding anniversary.*

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- Thanks for being here! At this time refreshments will not be served.
- The 11:00 AM service is broadcast live on Spectrum channel 181 and re-broadcast Sunday evening at 7:00 PM on 181 and on KWBE the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month. It is available on YouTube and Facebook Live and via live streaming on your computer. See the church website.
- The nursery is CLOSED until further notice.
- Children's activity bags in the back of the sanctuary are not available at this time.
- Sunday school is offered for pre-school thru senior high during the school year at 10:00 AM. The Adult class meets year-round.

## PRAYER CENTER

**Stephanie Smith, Eileen Shirk, Donna Acton, Bob Dye, Linda Dockery,  
Charles Higgins, Karen Hansen**

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608 Elk Street  
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Welcome to Worship!**

**And now these three remains: faith, hope and love.  
But the greatest of these is love.**



## REFLECTION FOR THE WEEK

“Show me your faith without your works,  
and I will show you my faith  
by my works,” by “What I do.”