

“Are You Hungry?” Sermon Series

He is my strength from day to day, without Him I would fall.
When I am sad, to Him I go, no other one can cheer me so;
When I am sad He makes me glad, He’s my Friend.

Jesus is all the world to me, and true to Him I’ll be;
Oh, how could I this Friend deny, when He’s so true to me?
Following Him I know I’m right, He watches o’er me day and night;
Following Him, by day and night, He’s my Friend.

Jesus is all the world to me, I want no better friend;
I trust Him now, I’ll trust Him when Life’s fleeting days shall end.
Beautiful life with such a Friend; beautiful life that has no end;
Eternal life, eternal joy, He’s my Friend.

*Sending Forth

*Musical Gift “Hyfrydol”

arr. Scott



AUGUST SERMONS

What do we do when we want more from God? Where do we turn?
What are we expecting Him to provide? Eating and drinking at
God's table can change us—eternally. A place is set for you at his table,
won't you join the feast?

August 1: “Are You Hungry?” John 6:1-21, Exodus 16:2-4, 9-15
August 8: “Bread of Life”, John 6:35, 41-51, 1 Kings 19:4-8
August 15: “You Are What You Eat”, John 6:51-58, /Proverbs 9:1-6
August 22: “Soul Food”, John 6:56-69, Joshua 24:1-2a, 14-18

Need someone to talk to? Contact Pastor Miriam. Central also offers
Stephen Ministers—lay Christian friends trained to help through times of
crisis. The pastor can get you in touch with one.



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Love God
Love others
Serve the world

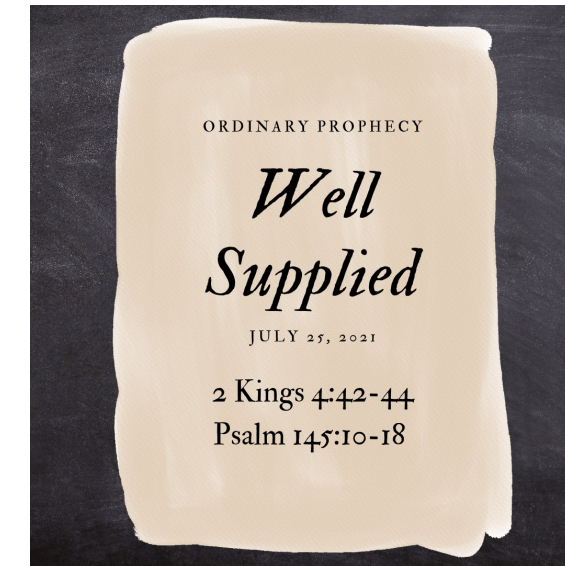


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Sunday School – 9:30 AM

Worship – 10:30 AM



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July 25, 2021

Ninth Sunday after Pentecost
10:30 AM

Please silence electronic devices.

*Stand at these points, as you're comfortable.

Musical Gift “Praise Unending”

Scott

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

The Lord is gracious and merciful,
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.
The Lord is good to all,
his compassion is over all his creation.
We give thanks to the Lord this day!
His kingdom is glorious and everlasting.
May we worship in spirit and in truth this morning!
Amen.

*Hymn #64 “Blessed Assurance”

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!
Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.

Chorus

*This is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long;
This is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long.*

Perfect submission, perfect delight,
Visions of rapture now burst on my sight;
Angels descending, bring from above
Echoes of mercy, whispers of love.

Bible Reading for August 1

1 John 6:1-21

How do you respond when you are unsatisfied? When you want more? If it's at a meal, sometimes we can ask for second servings. But what about when it's spiritual? In this week's scripture lesson, the people Jesus feeds end up with more than enough, and so do the disciples who are wondering if Jesus is who he says he is. What about in our lives? How has God offered more when you were hungry?

July Financials

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| Needed Weekly | \$15,559 |
| Received July 18 | \$12,430 |
| Needed for July | \$62,235 |
| Received for July | \$46,544 |

Last Week's Attendance

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| In-person: | 135 |
| Online: | 43 |

Music Director: Susan Thompson

Organist: Virginia Paul

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Call to Worship Courtesy of Ministry Matters

Chorus

Perfect submission, all is at rest,
I in my Savior am happy and blest;
Watching and waiting, looking above,
Filled with His Goodness, lost in His Love.

Chorus

*Affirmation of Faith *Apostle's Creed*

**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.**

**universal*

*Greeting

Cokesbury Hymn Sing

#75 “We’re Marching to Zion” (v. 1,2,4)

Come, we that love the Lord, and let our joys be known,
Join in a song with sweet accord, join in a song with sweet accord,
And thus surround the throne, and thus surround the throne.

Chorus

*We’re marching to Zion, beautiful, beautiful Zion;
We’re marching upward to Zion, the beautiful city of God.*

Let those refuse to sing who never knew our God;
But children of the heav’nly King, but children of the heav’nly King,
May speak their joys abroad, may speak their joys abroad.

Chorus

Then let our songs abound, and every tear be dry;
We’re marching thro’ Immanuel’s ground, we’re marching thro’ Immanuel’s ground,
To fairer worlds on high, to fairer worlds on high.

Chorus

#143 “Rescue The Perishing” (v. 1,3,4)

Rescue the perishing, care for the dying,
Snatch them in pity from sin and the grave;
Weep o’er the erring one, lift up the fallen,
Tell them of Jesus the mighty to save

Chorus

*Rescue the perishing, care for the dying;
Jesus is merciful, Jesus will save.*

Down in the human heart, crushed by the tempter,
Feelings lie buried that grace can restore;
Touched by a loving heart, wakened by kindness,
Chords that are broken will vibrate once more.

Chorus

Rescue the perishing, duty demands it;
Strength for thy labor the Lord will provide;
Back to the narrow way patiently win them;
Tell the poor wand’rer a Savior has died.

Chorus

#153 “Love, Mercy and Grace”

‘Twas Love that gave at greatest cost
A Life, that mine should not be lost.
The Love that died in deep despair
My debt fully satisfied there.

Chorus

*It was Love that took my place on the cross of Calvary;
It was grace redeeming grace, that paid my ransom full and free.
Over sin, without, within, I have the victory,
Thro’ grace, marvelous grace, that lives in me.*

The love that freely all forgives
In fullness now within me lives;
Thro’ every trial this I see;
His grace is sufficient for me.

Chorus

God’s love, His mercy and His grace
Combine to raise a fallen race;
His hand is ready, ere we call,
Held out with forgiveness for all

Chorus

#233 “Love Lifted Me”

I was sinking deep in sin, far from the peaceful shore,
Very deeply stained within, sinking to rise no more;
But the Master of the sea heard my despairing cry,
From the waters lifted me, now safe am I.

Chorus

*Love lifted me!... Love lifted me!...
When nothing else could help, Love lifted me.*

Repeat

All my heart to Him I give, ever to Him I’ll cling,
In His blessed presence live, ever His praises sing.
Love so mighty and so true merits my soul’s best songs;
Faithful, loving service, too, to Him belongs.

Chorus

Souls in danger, look above, Jesus completely saves;
He will lift you by His love out of the angry waves.
He’s the Master of the sea, billows His will obey;
He your Savior wants to be-be saved today.

Chorus

Prayers of the People

**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 for ever. Amen.**

Children’s Message

Debbie Looney

Special Music “The Unclouded Day”

Arr. Hamby

Bible Reading — 2 Kings 4:42-44

——[Prayer]

**Lord, open our hearts and minds
by the power of your Holy Spirit,
that, as the Scriptures are read and your Word proclaimed,
we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.**

A man came from Baal-shalishah, bringing food from the first fruits to the man of God: twenty loaves of barley and fresh ears of grain in his sack. Elisha said, "Give it to the people and let them eat."

But his servant said, "How can I set this before a hundred people?" So he repeated, "Give it to the people and let them eat, for thus says the LORD, 'They shall eat and have some left.'"

He set it before them, they ate, and had some left, according to the word of the LORD.

The word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

Message — “Well Supplied”

Rev. Miriam Smith

Closing Hymn #111 “Jesus Is All the World to Me” (vs. 1,3,4)

Jesus is all the world to me, my life, my joy, my all;