

\*HYMN OF PRAISE

*One Day Jesus Climbed a Mountain*

Tune: W ZLOBIE LEZY ("Infant Holy, Infant Lowly"); Text; Carolyn Winfrey Gillette

**One day Jesus climbed a mountain to a place of prayer and rest. Peter, James and John went with him to that lonely wilderness. In a moment so amazing, Jesus shone with brightness blazing, wrapped in glory, heaven-blessed.**

**Words could not contain the wonder of that most amazing sight. Jesus' face was bright with splendor and his clothes were dazzling white. There appeared two others with him; Moses and Elijah met him on that lonely mountain height.**

**Jesus talked there with the prophet and the bearer of the Law. When his three disciples saw it, they were filled with joy and awe. Peter told him, "Let us stay here. We can worship God and pray here." Then a cloud came over all.**

**From that cloud a voice was saying, "This is my beloved son." And the voice said, "Listen to him!" — to God's faithful chosen one. While their plans were filled with glory, Christ was living out the story of his prayer, "Thy will be done."**

**Jesus took them down the mountain to a world of pain and loss. For he knew what lay before him; he must journey to the cross. In his serving, in his healing, God was there, by grace revealing wondrous love comes at a cost.**

\*APOSTLES' CREED | The United Methodist Hymnal 881  
**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 arose 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.**

\*GLORIA PATRI | The United Methodist Hymnal 70  
**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.**

## PRAYER & PRAISE

THANKSGIVINGS | CONCERNS

CONGREGATIONAL CALL TO PRAYER

*Come and Find the Quiet Center* | The Faith We Sing 2128 | verse 1

Tune: BEACH SPRING; Text: Shirley Erena Murry; Music: attributed to B.F. White

**Come and find the quiet center in the crowded life we lead, Find the room for hope to enter, find the frame where we are freed: Clear the chaos and the clutter, clear our eyes that we can see All the things that really matter, be at peace, and simply be.**

INTERCESSORY PRAYER

†THE LORD'S PRAYER | The United Methodist Hymnal 895

OFFERTORY

*Be Thou My Vision* | Chancel Choir | Alice Parker and Robert Shaw

†*Adagio* | Leon Boellmann | Dr. Bob Knupp, organ

\*DOXOLOGY

*Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow* | United Methodist Hymnal 94

Text: Thomas Ken; Music: Geistliche Kirchengesänge; Tune: LASST UNS ERFREUEN

*(Children are invited to the Chancel Area during the Doxology.)*

**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!**

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

## PROCLAMATION OF GOD'S WORD

CHILDREN'S MOMENT | Rev. Elizabeth Henry

†ANTHEM

*Be Thou My Vision* | Chancel Choir | Alice Parker and Robert Shaw

\*GOSPEL LESSON | Matthew 17:1-8 | NRSV

Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and his brother John and led them up a high mountain, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly there appeared to them Moses and Elijah, talking with him. Then Peter said to Jesus, "Lord, it is good for us to be here; if you wish, I will make three dwellings here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." While he was still speaking, suddenly a bright cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud a voice said, "This is my Son, the Beloved; with him I am well pleased; listen to him!" When the disciples heard this, they fell to the ground and were overcome by fear.

But Jesus came and touched them, saying, "Get up and do not be afraid." And when they looked up, they saw no one except Jesus himself alone.

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

SERMON

*The Interrupting Voice* | *JESUS, THE LORD, PART 3* | Rev. Cary Stockett

RESPONSE TO THE WORD | *Psalm 116 adapted*

The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love.

**He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor require of us according to our iniquities.**

What shall I render to the Lord for all his bounty to me?

**I will lift up the cup of salvation and call on the name of the Lord.**

Interrupting God, we are slow to recognize that it is your mercy when you disturb us, and your grace when you disrupt us. Though we are often willfully hard of hearing, please break in upon our confusion, and tell us the truth all over again.

## EUCCHARIST 8:30 A.M

\*THE PEACE

Because we have peace with God through Jesus Christ, we stand and share this peace with one another.

*(The people may offer one another signs of reconciliation and love.)*

*All persons who are seeking God through the person of Jesus Christ are invited to come to the table of Christ, regardless of church affiliation.*

*Let all be assured that this is the table of Christ, and not of any church or denomination. Our Lord welcomes you!*

\*THE GREAT THANKSGIVING | The United Methodist Hymnal 13

THE LORD'S PRAYER | The United Methodist Hymnal 895

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Because there is one loaf, we, who are many, are one body; for we all partake of the one loaf. The bread which we break is a sharing in the body of Christ. And the cup over which we give thanks is a sharing in the blood of Christ.

SHARING OF THE BREAD AND CUP

*(Gluten free wafers are available at the center serving station.)*

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Lord, you have set us free to live in peace as you promised.  
For these eyes of ours have seen the Savior,  
whom you have prepared for all nations of the world to see!  
Blessing and honor and glory are yours,  
now and forever. Amen.

SENDING FORTH

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

\*CLOSING HYMN

Shine, Jesus, Shine | The Faith We Sing 2173

Tune: SHINE JESUS SHINE; Text: Graham Kendrick; Music: Graham Kendrick

\*BENEDICTION

\*†CHORAL BENEDICTION

The Peace of God | Chancel Choir | John Rutter

\*POSTLUDE

Allegro | Leon Boellmann | Dr. Bob Knupp, organ

The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Lee Joyner by Cathy, Catherine, Thomas and Alex.

WELCOME!

We are glad to be in worship together today! Please take time to complete the pew pad, sharing with us your name and contact information. Anyone wishing to join is invited to come forward during the closing hymn.

SE HABLA ESPANOL:

Españolas boletines y dispositivos de traducción están disponibles en la entrada inferior del Santuario de norte.

HEARING LOOPS

Hearing loops are installed in Lower Sanctuary.  
Listening devices available for non T-coil or hearing aids.

LIVE BROADCAST, LIVESTREAM, ARCHIVED SERMONS

The 11:00 a.m. Sunday worship service is broadcast live on WAPT. Also, livestream is available for the 11:00 a.m. service or watch past recordings of our services at [www.livestream.com/gallowayumc](http://www.livestream.com/gallowayumc)

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READERS:  
8:30 a.m.  
Cynthia Parker  
Hugh Parker

SERVERS:  
8:30 a.m.  
Ed Gieger  
Carole Gieger  
Cynthia Parker  
Hugh Parker

JULY USHERS:  
8:30 a.m.  
Jim McIntyre  
Brenda McIntyre  
Will Parker

11:00 a.m.  
Jim Rosenblatt  
Garry Brown  
Yancy Burns  
Jaye Germany  
Earle Burkley  
Bruce Bartling  
Don Parsons

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RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS— CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE:

We give thanks for all that God has already given you, and we welcome you in Christian love. As members together with you in the body of Christ and in this congregation of The United Methodist Church, we renew our covenant faithfully to participate in the ministries of the church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.

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Our Mission:

To extend the Love of God;  
the Grace of Jesus Christ;  
and the Power of the Holy Spirit.



A STEPHEN MINISTRY CONGREGATION

EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

The liturgical color is red, symbolizing the fire of the Holy Spirit.

JULY 15, 2018

8:30 A.M SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE  
11:00 A.M. SERVICE OF WORD

AN ORDER OF SUNDAY WORSHIP

\*please stand in body/spirit  
†indicates 11:00 a.m. only

CALL TO WORSHIP

PRELUDE

Prelude | Leon Boellmann | Dr. Bob Knupp, organ

\*CHIMING OF THE TRINITY (please stand in body/spirit)

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

We are the congregation of Jesus the Lord.

**We bring differences of culture, creed, and country.**

Some of us are new in the faith;  
others have known Christ from earliest memory.

**Together we kneel at the foot of the cross,**

celebrating the diversity of our human family and  
the unity of our call to love and justice,

**because we are one in Christ.**