# **PRELUDE** WELCOME AND GREETING **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## LITURGY OF REMBRANCE

Leader: On this Memorial Day we give you thanks for all who have sacrificed their lives on the field of battle for this nation's freedom.

All: You taught us that there is no greater love than a love that sacrifices life so another might live.

Leader: May the over one million, two hundred sixty thousand whose lives have been given inspire us to live lives worthy of their sacrifices -

All: With your love guiding our choices, that all might be free.

## REMEMBERING OUR FALLEN

Jack Carmichael Sqt. 1st Class Willard H. Hopkins George S. Lambert William Fore Middleton Charles Marshal Rhodes

(Members of the congregation are invited to speak the names of their friends and family members who died on military duty.)

#### "America the Beautiful" 696 Verse 1

O beautiful for spacious skies, for amber waves of grain; for purple mountains majesties above the fruited plain! America! America! God shed His grace on thee, and crown thy good with brotherhood from sea to shining sea.

#### Verse 3

O beautiful for patriot dream that that sees beyond the years thine alabaster cities gleam, undimmed by human tears America! America! God mend thine every flaw, confirm thy soul in selfcontrol, thy liberty in law.

# **CALL TO WORSHIP**

"Great Is the Lord" Refrain:

2022

Great is the Lord, he is holy and just; by his power we trust in his love. Great is the Lord, he is faithful and true; by his mercy he proves he is love.

## Verse 1

Great is the Lord and worthy of glory! Great is the Lord and worthy of praise. Great is the Lord; now lift up your voice, now lift up your voice: Great is the Lord! Great is the Lord!

## Refrain

# **OPENING PRAYER**

# A TIME TO SING

# "This Is My Father's World" Verse 1

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This is my Father's world and to my listening ears all nature sings and round me rings the music of the spheres. This is my Father's world: I rest me in the thought of rocks and trees, of skies and seas; his hand the wonders wrought.

## Verse 3

This is my Father's world. O let me ne'er forget that though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the ruler yet. This is my Father's world: why should my heart be sad? The Lord is King; let the heavens ring! God reigns; let the earth be glad!

# "Spirit of Faith, Come Down" Verse 1

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Spirit of faith, come down, reveal the things of God, and make to us the Godhead known and witness with the blood. 'Tis thine the blood to apply and give us eyes to see, who did for every sinner die hath surely died for me.

# **JOYS AND CONCERNS**

## **CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER**

# 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. Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

## **OFFERTORY**

# **DOXOLOGY**

# "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

# "The Apostles' Creed"

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator 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, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, is seated at the right hand of the Father, and will come again to judge the living 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.

**ANTHEM** 

"Think About His Love"

arr. McDonald

**TESTIMONY** 

Ashley Lee

# **SCRIPTURE READING**

Acts 13:1-3

**SERMON** "Methodist Mission in Honduras" Kenneth Ammons

## INVITATION TO COMMITMENT

"Have Thine Own Way, Lord"

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# Verse 1

Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way! Thou art the potter; I am the clay. Mold me and make me after thy will, while I am waiting yielded and still.

## Verse 4

Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way! Hold o'er my being absolute sway. Fill with thy Spirit till all shall see Christ only, always, living in me!

# **BENEDICTION**

"Gloria Patri"

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.

## **POSTLUDE**

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# PRAYER CONCERNS

If you have a prayer request, please share it during our Joys & Concerns or fill out a prayer request card and place it in the Offering plate. If you have a request during the week: please contact the church office 256-3632. In the evenings or on weekends call our Pastor, Rev. Brian Coplin. He may be reached by cell phone 318 614 5050 or send him an e-mail:rev.coplin@gmail.com.

Carrie Broussard Jiles Bowling

Our pastor and family

Brian, Monica, Jack & Anna Claire Coplin

Brianna Damron

# **Ted & Carolyn Dove and Family**

Charles Enterkin

Jason Fluitt (Vicki Simpson's son-in-law)

Ken & Mary Ellen Freeman

Seth Freeman

Susan Giblin

John & Betsy Godfrey

# **Family of Debbie Gunter**

Vicki Isgitt

Grace Kelsey

Bobbie Kratz

Dean Lambert

Shirley Lee

Renita Logan

Karen Lombard

Billie Lou Luster

Patsy McCormick

John Moses (Vicki Weaver's uncle)

Cheryl & Daniel Procell

Nancy Richard

Janice Rike

Rodney Roach

(Vicki Weaver's nephew)

Kevin Troquille

# **BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES**

Ray Spiller

John & Pam Curtis

# **OPPORTUNITIES FOR CONNECTION**

Sunday, May 29

8:30 a.m. - Coffee Time - FLC 9:00 a.m. - Sunday School 10:00 a.m. - Worship in Sanctuary

Monday, May 30

Church Office closed for Memorial Day

Tuesday, May 31

12:00 p.m. - Lion's Club

Wednesday, June 1

5:30 p.m. - Meal

6:00 p.m. - Adult Covenant Groups

6:00 p.m. - Youth TNT

6:00 p.m. - First Kids

7:00 p.m. - Choir Practice



#### **NOTE TO PARENTS**

All children are welcome in worship! We offer nursery care for children 0-5 years of age. Our nursery is located at the bottom of the front stairs. Additionally, our calm room and restroom with diaper changing table is available in the back of the sanctuary. For the security of our young ones in these areas, all exterior doors are locked after the worship service has begun. Entry will then be available with the assistance of our ushers at the front glass doors. Thank you.

## **May Nursery Volunteers**

May 1 - Elizabeth Pickett

May 8 - Vicki Isgitt

May 15 - Mary Ellen Freeman

May 22 - Cathy Troquille

May 29 - Carolyn Dove

## **GIVING**

In addition to our offertory, online giving is available through our website <a href="fumc-many.com">fumc-many.com</a> We can also receive gifts through <a href="feet">Text to Give</a>. To use this service, simply text "FUMCM" to 22525. Checks can be mailed to P.O. Box 1210 Many, LA 71449. Please call our church office for additional assistance at 318-256-3632. Thank you.



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