PRELUDE WELCOME AND GREETING ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

"There's Something About That Name"

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Jesus, Jesus, Jesus! There's just something about that name! Master, Savior, Jesus! Like the fragrance after the rain. Jesus, Jesus, Jesus! Let all heaven and earth proclaim: Kings and kingdoms will all pass away, but there's something about that name!

OPENING PRAYER

A TIME TO SING

"Jesus Is All the World to Me" Verse 1

Jesus is all the world to me, my life, my all; he is my strength from day to day, with out 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.

Verse 4

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.

"His Eye Is on the Sparrow" 2146 Verse 1

Why should I feel discouraged? Why should the shadows come? Why should my heart be lonely and long for heaven and home, when Jesus is my portion my constant friend is he: His eye is on the sparrow, and I know he watches me; his eye is on the sparrow and I know he watches me. I sing because I'm free, for his eye is on the sparrow and I know he watches 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.

ANTHEM Soloist: Gabby Ford

SCRIPTURE READING

James 3: 1-12

SERMON "(un)Just Words" Rev. Brian Coplin

INVITATION TO COMMITMENT

"Take My Life, and Let It Be" Verse 1

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Take my life and let it be consecrated, Lord, to thee. Take my moments and my days; let them flow in ceaseless praise. Take my hands and let them move at the impulse of thy love. Take my feet and let them be swift and beautiful for thee.

Verse 2

Take my voice and let me sing always, only for my King. Take my lips and let them be filled with messages from thee. Take my silver and my gold; not a mite would I withhold. Take my intellect and use every power thou shalt choose.

Verse 3

Take my will and make it thine; it shall be no longer mine. Take my heart, it is thine own; it shall be thy royal throne. Take my love, my Lord, I pour at thy feet its treasure store. Take myself and I will be ever, only, all for thee.

CONFIRMATION

Brothers and sisters in Christ: Through the Sacrament of Baptism we are initiated into Christ's holy Church. We are incorporated into God's mighty acts of salvation and given new birth through water and the Spirit. All this is God's gift, offered to us without price.

Through confirmation, and through the reaffirmation of our faith, we renew the covenant declared at our baptism, acknowledge what God is doing for us, and affirm our commitment to Christ's holy Church...

Do you, as Christ's body, the Church, reaffirm both your rejection of sin and your commitment to Christ?

I do.

Will you nurture one another in the Christian faith and life and include these persons now before you in your care?

With God's help we will proclaim the good news and live according to the example of Christ. We will surround Georgia with a community of love and forgiveness, that she may grow in her trust of God, and be found faithful in her service to others. We will pray for her, that she may be a true disciple who walks in the way that leads to life.

Let us join together in professing the Christian faith as contained in the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments.

Do you believe in God the Father?

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Do you believe in Jesus Christ?

I believe 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

Members of the household of God, I commend Georgia to your love and care. Do all in your power to increase her faith, confirm her hope, and perfect her in love.

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.

BENEDICTION

"Gloria Patri"

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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

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

Norman Booker III

Jiles Bowling

Linda Christian (Janet Elam's cousin)

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

Laurie Gentry

John & Betsy Godfrey

Vicki Isgitt

Grace Kelsey

Bobbie Kratz Renita Logan

Karen Lombard

Billie Lou Luster

Dille Lou Luste

Patsy McCormick

Mary Ann McDaniel (Kristie Smith's mother)

John Moses (Vicki Weaver's uncle)

Janice Rike

Rodney Roach

(Vicki Weaver's nephew)

Norma Rose

Thad Smith

Kevin Troquille

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Gail Thomas

OPPORTUNITIES FOR CONNECTION

Sunday, July 17

8:30 a.m. - Coffee Time - FLC 9:00 a.m. - Sunday School

10:00 a.m. - Worship in Sanctuary

5:30 p.m. - VBS

Monday, July 18

5:30 p.m. - VBS

Tuesday, July 19

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

5:30 p.m. - VBS

Wednesday, July 20

5:30 p.m. - VBS

Thursday, July 21

5:30 p.m. - VBS

Friday, July 22

Church Office Closed



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.

July Nursery Volunteers

July 3 - Cathy Troquille

July 10- Mary Ellen Freeman

July 17- Vicki Isgitt

July 24- Carolyn Dove

July 31- Elizabeth Pickett

GIVING

In addition to our offertory, online giving is available through our website fumc-many.com We can also receive gifts through Text to Give. 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.



July 17-21

Registration Forms available narthex, church office, website: fumc-many.com



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Sabine Prevention Alliance (SPA) and its
Community Partners are hosting a
community forum for the prevention of
substance abuse in Sabine Parish on
Saturday, July 23, 2022 from
9:00 am - 3:00 pm.
at First United Methodist Church-Many
Fellowship Hall
Lunch provided!

This event will provide an opportunity to:

- Get professional training and information on key factors affecting youth and families
- Meet and interact with others throughout the parish from areas such as:

education, healthcare, law enforcement/legal, faith-based organizations, youth serving agencies, 12 step groups, CADA, municipal governments.

- Learn about existing groups, organizations, and resources
- Build relationships and support
- Create our vision to fight addiction where we live, work, play and worship