

Prelude
Greeting and Announcements
Call to Worship

“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus” 349
Turn your eyes upon Jesus, look full in his wonderful face, and the things of earth will grow strangely dim in the light of his glory and grace.

Opening Prayer
A Time to Sing

“It Is Well With My Soul” 377
Verse 1
When peace, like a river, attendeth my way, when sorrows like sea billows roll; whatever my lot, thou has taught me to say, It is well, it is well, with my soul.

Refrain: It is well, with my soul, it is well, it is well, with my soul.

Verse 2
Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come, let this blest assurance control, that Christ has regarded my helpless estate, and hath shed His own blood for my soul.
Refrain

Verse 3
My sin, oh, the bliss of this glorious thought! My sin, not in part but the whole, is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more, praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!
Refrain

Verse 4
And Lord, haste the day when my faith shall be sight, the clouds be rolled back as a scroll; the trump shall resound, and the Lord shall descend, even so, it is well with my soul.
Refrain

“The Lily of the Valley” 2062
Verse 1
I have found a friend in Jesus, he’s everything to me, he’s the fairest of ten thousand to my soul; the Lily of the Valley, in him alone I see all I need to cleanse and make me fully whole. In sorrow he’s my comfort, in trouble he’s my stay, he tells me every care on him to roll.

Refrain:
He’s the Lily of the Valley, the bright and Morning Star, he’s the fairest of ten thousand to my soul.

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.

Anthem “I Raise a Hallelujah” Soloist: Sarah Erwin

Scripture Luke 22:39-46

Sermon Bro. Chad Ford

Invitation to Commitment

“Come as You Are”
Come out of sadness from wherever you've been Come broken hearted, let the rescue begin Come find your mercy, Oh, sinner come kneel Earth has no sorrow that heaven can't heal, earth has no sorrow that heaven can't heal

Chorus
So lay down your burdens, lay down your shame
All who are broken, lift up your face
Oh wanderer come home, you're not too far
So lay down your hurt, lay down your heart
Come as you are

There's hope for the hopeless and all those who've strayed
Come sit at the table, come taste the grace There's rest for the weary, rest that endures Earth has no sorrow that heaven can't cure, earth has no sorrow that heaven can't cure

Chorus
There's joy for the morning, Oh sinner be still Earth has no sorrow that heaven can't heal Earth has no sorrow that heaven can't heal

Chorus - Come as you are, come as you are, come as you are

“The Apostles’ Creed” 881
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.

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.

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

Prayer Concerns

To keep our Prayer List current, we plan to RE-SET it at the beginning of every month. If you know someone who needs to be placed on or remain on the prayer list for another month, please call the church office at 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.

Sandra Bishop
Zelma Broussard
Monica Coplin
Juliane Boudreaux
David Cox (Linda Boudreaux’s brother)
Jason Fluitt
Glen Graham
Joyce Hay
Bobbie Kratz
Judy Boudreaux Jones(Chuck Boudreaux’s sister)
Renee Fremaux Laster
Sharla Meyers(Vicki Simpson’s friend’s daughter)
Buck Phillips (Carolyn Gates’ brother-in-law)
Joe Troha

Birthdays and Anniversaries

Bob Nolen
Zelma Broussard

Opportunities for the Week

Sunday, October 22
8:30 a.m. - Coffee Time - FLC
9:00 a.m. - Sunday School
10:00 a.m. - Worship in Sanctuary

Monday, October 23
6:00 p.m. - Boy Scouts -FLC
Tuesday, October 24
12:00 p.m. - Lions Club
Wednesday, October 25
5:30 p.m. - Pre K - 4th grade
5:30 p.m. - Youth - FLC
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.

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.

Monthly Financial Update	
Amount Needed Monthly:	\$19,648.00
Received Month to Date:	\$ 9,281.00
Received Last Month:	\$10,487.00

Save the Date!

Sunday, October 29
11:00 a.m. - Church Conference

Potluck Lunch immediately following the Church Conference.
Brisket, Twice Baked Potatoes, and drinks will be furnished.
Please bring your favorite side dish and/or dessert.

All Saints Sunday

If you have a loved one that has passed away since last All Saints Sunday (Nov. 6, 2022) please call the church office to add to our list.

Thank you.



First United Methodist Church
Many, Louisiana

October 22, 2023

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Minister Emeritus:	Rev. Ray Spiller
Choir Director:	Carole Troha
Accompanist:	Patsy McCormick
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