

**PLEASE LET US KNOW...** If you or someone you know is ill or in the hospital, let the church office know so that we can help in their healing process through our prayers, visits, etc. Thank you!

**THE ROSES ON THE ALTAR ARE GIVEN BY SUSAN SWEZEY** to the Glory of God and in memory of her husband Gordon Swezey.

**PRAYER CONCERNS:** Doug Nemeth (son of Dot & Zollie Nemeth), John Chwastyk, Mary Raro, John & Catharine Carty, Pati Anne Feeley (daughter-in-law of Jan & Jack Feeley), Nancy Gager (Paul Gager's sister), Emmy Cahilly (11 yr. old niece of Shelly & Greg Kinkaid), Madison Luyber - her parents, Julie and Tony (friends of the Bewleys), Dan LaFon, Donna Lasoski, Walter Colby (brother-in-law of Jan & Jack Feeley), Jon King (Lisa Kulp's brother), Linda Wanagas' friend Bern and her father Thomas Alessio, Heather Oman (niece of The Youse/Mack Family), Richard Thompson (brother of Doris Gager), Joe DeCesare (friend of Joyce Scheyhing), Bill (father-in-law of Sandra Handel's son), Jim & Sherry Heller and family (son of Carol Heller).

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**WORSHIP SCHEDULE**

**9:00 A.M. Contemporary Worship in the Sanctuary**

**11:00 A.M. Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary**

**Both services are live streamed on Facebook and YouTube**

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*"A community of faith committed to sharing the love of Jesus Christ  
with a hurting world through words and actions."*



June 27, 2021

11:00 A.M.

**PRELUDE**

Marching to Zion

arr. Parker

**WELCOME**

Robin Webb, Worship Leader

**\*OPENING HYMN 133**

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Welcome this day to a time of rest.

**People: We come, bearing burdens and cares.**

Leader: Place your lives in the loving hands of God.

**People: May God heal our spirits and strengthen us.**

Leader: Trust in God who is always with you.

**People: Lord, this day we come to you in faith**

**and trust for your healing mercies. Amen.**

**OPENING PRAYER (in unison) -** Lord of love and mercy, we come to you this day, at the beginning of the summer season. This should be a time of relaxation and restoration, but our spirits still carry the burdens of the past year. Please give to us your healing love. Strengthen us. We offer our cares and our prayers to you in Jesus' Name. Amen.

**\*RESPONSIVE READING 848**

**Psalms 130**

Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord! Lord, hear my voice!

**Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my supplications!**

If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand?

**But there is forgiveness with you, that you may be worshiped.**

I wait for the Lord, my soul waits, in the Lord's word I hope;

**my soul waits for the Lord more than those who watch for the morning,  
more than those who watch for the morning.**

O Israel, hope in the Lord! For with the Lord there is steadfast love,  
with the Lord is plenteous redemption.

**And the Lord will redeem Israel from all iniquities.**

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 881**      The Apostles' Creed

**\*GLORIA PATRI 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.

**CALL TO PRAYER 394**

Something Beautiful *(by Gloria Gaither)*

Something beautiful, something good; all my confusion he understood;

all I had to offer him was brokenness and strife, but he made something beautiful of my life.

*(1971 William J. Gaither)*

**PASTORAL 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. 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 forever. Amen.

**MINISTRY OF MUSIC**

They Shall Soar Like Eagles

Manzo

Adult Choir

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**CELEBRATING OUR GIFTS FOR MISSION AND MINISTRY** – We welcome all who are worshiping with us this morning. Please fill out the blue Attendance Card including any special prayer requests you may have and place them in the offering basket.

**HYMN OF PREPARATION 534**

Be Still My Soul

**SCRIPTURE READINGS**

**Isaiah 40:28-31 (Responsive)**

<sup>28</sup>Don't you know? Haven't you heard? The Lord is the everlasting God, the creator of the ends of the earth. He doesn't grow tired or weary. His understanding is beyond human reach,

<sup>29</sup>**giving power to the tired and reviving the exhausted.**

<sup>30</sup>Youths will become tired and weary, young men will certainly stumble;

<sup>31</sup>**but those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength; they will fly up on wings like eagles; they will run and not be tired; they will walk and not be weary.**

**Matthew 11:25-30** – <sup>25</sup>At that time Jesus said, "I praise you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because you've hidden these things from the wise and intelligent and have shown them to babies. <sup>26</sup>Indeed, Father, this brings you happiness. <sup>27</sup>"My Father has handed all things over to me. No one knows the Son except the Father. And nobody knows the Father except the Son and anyone to whom the Son wants to reveal him. <sup>28</sup>"Come to me, all you who are struggling hard and carrying heavy loads, and I will give you rest. <sup>29</sup>Put on my yoke, and learn from me. I'm gentle and humble. And you will find rest for yourselves. <sup>30</sup>My yoke is easy to bear, and my burden is light."

**MESSAGE:**

Weary?

Rev. Hector Burgos,  
District Superintendent

**CLOSING HYMN 480**

O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*POSTLUDE**

**\*The People Stand**