

~Page United Methodist Church~

Our Mission: To Make Disciples of Jesus Christ for the Transformation of the World!

Our Vision: Loving, Feeding, Praying, Serving!

July 23, 2017

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

* Please stand as you are able.

GATHERING MUSIC

RINGING OF THE HOUR AND LIGHTING OF THE SANCTUARY

OPENING PRAYER: **Steadfast God, teach us your way and your truth.**

Root us in you alone, help us to grow in grace and love, that we may fulfill our role and our work in the reign of Jesus Christ. Amen. *(Revised Common Lectionary Prayers)*

GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP: Jeffrey Vaughan

LEADER: In the midst of the congregation I will praise you.

ALL: Rejoice in the Lord, O your righteous, and give thanks to God's holy name!

LEADER: I will extol you, my God and King, and bless your name for ever and ever.

ALL: Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised, and God's greatness is unsearchable. Let us worship God!

(The Book of Worship #451)

*HYMN: *O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing* Red Hymnal #57

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

OFFERING, OFFERTORY PRAYER

*DOXOLOGY: *(In Unison)* **Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, praise him all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.** *(Red Hymnal #95)*

CHILDREN'S TIME

JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

*HYMN: *Nothing But the Blood* Red Hymnal #362

1st SCRIPTURE LESSON: Isaiah 40:28-31 Jeffrey Vaughan

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.

All: **Thanks be to God**

2nd SCRIPTURE LESSON: John 12:20-33

SERMON Christ Glorified Walt Gordon

*HYMN: *Just a Closer Walk with Thee* Black Hymnal #2158
You are always welcome to come to the altar and pray during our last hymn.

*BENEDICTION

*RECESSIONAL: *Spirit of the Living God* Red Hymnal #393

Today's Altar Flowers are given by Mary Jane and Harry Hedlund in memory of their parents!

Special thanks to Walt Gordon for preaching today and to Jeffrey Vaughan for leading worship today!

Large-print hymnals are available. If you would like one, please let an usher know.

Isaiah 40:28-31 New International Version (NIV)

28 Do you not know?

Have you not heard?

The LORD is the everlasting God,
the Creator of the ends of the earth.

He will not grow tired or weary,
and his understanding no one can fathom.

²⁹ He gives strength to the weary
and increases the power of the weak.

³⁰ Even youths grow tired and weary,
and young men stumble and fall;

³¹ but those who hope in the LORD
will renew their strength.

They will soar on wings like eagles;
they will run and not grow weary,
they will walk and not be faint.

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