



MAIN STREET
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

June 23, 2024
Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

8:45am
Jubilee! Worship Service

Scripture

Mark 4: 35-41

Tim Hemphill

Sermon

“Why Are You Afraid?” Bob Langlais

*We are happy you have joined us for our Jubilee! Worship Service today!
Please sign the Connection Pad so that we may have a record of your presence.*

Today's Jubilee Worship Leaders:
Sarah Foster, Jubilee Band and NOW Band
Victoria Smathers, Director of Children's Ministries

Our Mission: *To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.*
Our Vision: *Fostering vital communities through love and life-changing experiences.*

Let's Worship Together!

Sundays

8:30am less-formal Traditional service in the Sanctuary
8:45am Jubilee Contemporary service in the Chapel
10:55am Traditional Worship service in the Sanctuary

Wednesdays (September-May)

5:30pm Oasis Mid-week Service in the Sanctuary

Thursdays

6:30pm NOW: Night of Worship contemporary service in the Chapel (1st & 3rd Thursdays)

Announcements

UPPER ROOM DEVOTIONAL BOOKS for July/August have arrived! Pick up your copy in the Sanctuary Narthex, at the “Member Pick-up Station” inside the Main Entrance to the Connections Building, or in the Chapel Narthex.

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY: the deadline for the Frank & Mary Palmer Scholarship (for upcoming college sophomore, juniors, and seniors) is **June 27**.

FAREWELL TO PASTOR MIKE—Pastor Mike’s last Sunday with us before his retirement will be on **June 30**. We will have a combined worship service at 10:30am with lots of great music from the Combined Choirs, Alpha & Omega Youth Choir with the NOW Band, and the Jubilee Praise Band! After the service, we will have a “Farewell Reception” in the Commons so that everyone will have an opportunity to speak with Pastor Mike and Rhonda and thank them for the six years of ministry that they have shared with us. As a gift from our church, we would like to present the Gehrings with a love offering, so we will be accepting donations in the church office through June 30.

GOLF BALL FUNDRAISER: For nearly two decades the Groce/Kirkman Sunday School Class has provided over \$20,000 of scholarships to Main Street Youth. Unfortunately, as age has taken its toll on our class, this is likely the last year the scholarships will be available. In order to build the fund to a reasonable level, Darrell Davis will have golf balls for purchase on Sunday between services. Curt Brown has provided the balls and Darrell has cleaned each one by hand (over twenty gallons). We are asking for a minimum donation of \$6.00 per dozen, however additional donations will be greatly appreciated. All proceeds will go to the scholarship fund. There is an excellent variety and most in very good condition. Even if you aren't a golfer, this would be a great gift to a friend and it will help fund our final year of these worthwhile scholarships. Checks can be made to the Groce/Kirkman Scholarship Fund.

JOB OPENING: We would like to hire a Church Organist/Pianist. The complete job description for this position can be found under “NEWS” at mainstreetumc.org or you can contact Tina Crew in the church office for more details.

CRISIS CONTROL Collection boxes are in the new main entrance for donations to Crisis Control’s Item of the Month. June’s item is condiments; other non-perishable food items can be donated as well. Items may be dropped off at any time during office hours (*8:30-4:00 Monday-Thursday and 8:30-noon on Friday*).

WEARING NAMETAGS is an act of hospitality—let’s focus on wearing our nametags to worship services throughout this summer as a way for our new pastor and other new MSUMC members to feel “at home”. Contact the church office if you need a new nametag!

UPCOMING SUMMER ACTIVITIES FOR KIDS: Register at www.mainstreetumc.org and click “signups” on the red stripe

- Vacation Bible School—This year’s theme is “SCUBA—Diving into Friendship with God”. VBS will be **July 22-25** from 6pm to 8:15pm for ages 3 years to 5th grade and there is no cost.
- Kids in Action Summer Service Camp—This year KIA will be **July 29 to July 31** from 9 am - 3 pm. Our kids have a service project in the morning and a fun activity in the afternoon! There are only 20 spots available so sign up soon! Registration is open to rising 2nd graders - rising 6th graders and the cost is \$80 per child.

BETHANY CAFÉ volunteers needed: Bethany Café provides a free meal to anyone in our community and is hosted each Saturday at local churches. Main Street UMC hosts Bethany Cafe on the 3rd Saturday of every month and lots of help is needed! Job descriptions and a sign-up form are available at mainstreetumc.org (*look for the “sign-ups” tab on the red stripe*).

VOLUNTEER SOUND TECHS are still needed to help with all of our worship services. No experience is required and training is available. Please contact the church office if you are interested.

THANK YOU for helping to care for our Sanctuary by not bringing in food or beverages.

SCRIPTURE READERS are needed for our Sunday Worship services. If you would like to be scheduled to read the scripture for worship during your preferred service, please reach out to Kathryn in the church office.

WEEKDAY VISITORS to the church should use the Tower Door entrance in the new Connections building; the Narthex door will be locked during the week (except for weekday Worship services).

PUBLICATION DEADLINES: *Main Street Connections Email* requests are due to the church office by 4:00pm on Tuesdays; Bulletin Announcements are due to the church office by noon on Tuesdays; and Newsletter Articles are due by noon on the FIRST Friday of every month.

Lyrics

Raise A Hallelujah

I raise a hallelujah in the presence of my enemies
I raise a hallelujah louder than the unbelief
I raise a hallelujah, my weapon is a melody
I raise a hallelujah, Heaven comes to fight for me

I'm gonna sing in the middle of the storm
Louder and louder, you're gonna hear my praises roar
Up from the ashes hope will arise
Death is defeated, the King is alive

I raise a hallelujah with everything inside of me

Holy Spirit

There's nothing worth more, that could ever come close
No thing can compare, You're our living hope
Your presence, Lord
I've tasted and seen
Of the sweetest of loves
Where my heart becomes free and my shame is undone
Your presence, Lord

Holy Spirit, You are welcome here
Come flood this place and fill the atmosphere
Your glory, God, is what our hearts long for
To be overcome by Your presence, Lord
Your presence, Lord

Shelter

The arrows fly ten thousand fall
Still You protect me through it all
The waters rise the oceans rage
Still You're the one the storm obeys

In the shelter of Your presence in the shadow of Your wings
I am safe, I am safe
I will onto Your promise You will not abandon me
I am safe, I am safe

Eye Of The Storm

Chorus: In the eye of the storm You remain in control
In the middle of the war You guard my soul
You alone are the anchor when my sails are torn
Your love surrounds me in the eye of the storm

When the solid ground is falling out from underneath my feet
Between the black skies and my red eyes I can barely see
When I realize I've been sold out by my friends and my family
I can feel the rain reminding me

Chorus

When my hopes and dreams are far from me & I'm running out of faith
I see the future I picture slowly fade away
And when the tears of pain and heartache are pouring down my face
I find my peace in Jesus' name

When the test comes in and the doctor says I've only got a few
months left
It's like a bitter pill I'm swallowin' I can barely take a breath

I raise a hallelujah, I will watch the darkness flee
I raise a hallelujah in the middle of the mystery
I raise a hallelujah; Fear, you lost your hold on me

Sing a little louder (x4)

Sing a little louder in the presence of my enemies
Sing a little louder, louder than the unbelief
Sing a little louder, my weapon is a melody
Sing a little louder, Heaven comes to fight for me (repeat)

I raise a hallelujah (x4)

There's nothing worth more, that could ever come close
No thing can compare, You're our living hope
Your presence, Lord
I've tasted and seen
Of the sweetest of loves
Where my heart becomes free and my shame is undone
Your presence, Lord

Holy Spirit, You are welcome here
Come flood this place and fill the atmosphere
Your glory, God, is what our hearts long for
To be overcome by Your presence, Lord
Your presence, Lord
Let us become more aware of Your presence
Let us experience the glory of Your goodness

To You I run when mountains shake
You are my shield my hiding place
Almighty God I will draw near
Your perfect love casts out all fear

There's nothing left to fear
There's nothing left to fear
I am safe, I am safe
I am safe, I am safe

And when addiction steals my baby girl and there's nothin' I can do
My only hope is to trust you, I trust You Lord
Chorus

Lord in the eye of the storm
I know You're watchin' me yeah
When the storm is ragin' (when the storm is ragin')
And my hope is gone (and my hope is gone Lord)
When my flesh is failin'
You're still holdin' on (oh)
When the storm is ragin' (when the storm is ragin')
And my hope is gone (and my hope is gone Lord)
When my flesh is failin'
You're still holdin' on (oh)
When the storm is ragin' (when the storm is ragin')
And my hope is gone (and my hope is gone Lord)
Even when my flesh is failin'
You're still holdin' on (oh)