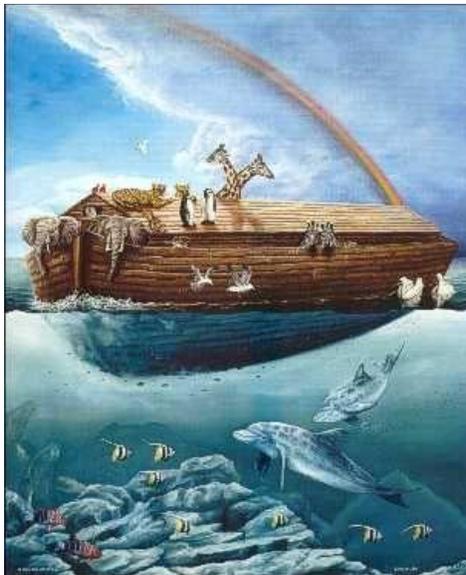


Coldspring United Methodist Church

Happy Father's Day

June 21, 2020

When Trouble Comes in Like a Flood



WE GATHER TO PRAISE THE LORD

Prelude

Greeting and Registration of Attendance

If you are our guest today either in person or on-line, please text HELLO to 936-298-5005. You will then be given the opportunity to tell us who you are.

*Call to Worship

Psalm 46:1-3, 7, CEB

God is our refuge and strength,

a help always near in times of great trouble.

That's why we won't be afraid when the world falls apart,

when the mountains crumble into the center of the sea,

when its waters roar and rage,

when the mountains shake because of its surging waves.

The LORD of heavenly forces is with us!

The God of Jacob is our place of safety.

*Hymn

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee

UMH No. 89

1 Joyful, joyful, we adore You,
God of glory, Lord of love;
Hearts unfold like flowers before thee,
Opening to the sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness;
Drive the dark of doubt away;
Giver of immortal gladness,
Fill us with the light of day!

2 All Your works with joy surround thee,
Earth and heaven reflect Your rays,
Stars and angels sing around thee,
Center of unbroken praise;
Field and forest, vale and mountain,
Flowery meadow, flashing sea,
Chanting bird and flowing fountain
Call us to rejoice in thee.

3 Thou art giving and forgiving,
Ever blessing, ever blest,
Well-spring of the joy of living,
Ocean-depth of happy rest!
Thou our Father, Christ our Brother,
All who live in love are thine;
Teach us how to love each other,
Lift us to the joy divine.

4 Mortals, join the mighty chorus,
Which the morning stars began;
Love divine is reigning o'er us,
Binding all within its span.
Ever singing, march we onward,
Victors in the midst of strife;
Joyful music leads us sunward
In the triumph song of life.

Father's Day Litany

Leader: For fathers everywhere, who have given us life and love, that we may show them respect and love.

People: Holy God, hear this prayer for our fathers.

Leader: For fathers who have lost a child through death, that their faith may give them hope, and their family and friends support and console them.

People: Holy God, hear this prayer for our fathers that mourn.

Leader: For men who may or may not have children of their own, but act like a father to someone in need of advice, support, nurturing, and love.

People: Holy God, hear this prayer for our father figures.

Leader: For step-fathers who have assumed that role with love and joy, who have loved the children of another as their own, and created a new family.

People: Holy God, hear this prayer for step-fathers.

Leader: For adoptive fathers, who have heard the call of God to lovingly step forward for those that need their care.

People: Holy God, hear this prayer for adoptive fathers.

Leader: For fathers who have been unable to be a source of strength, who have not responded to the needs of their children, and have not sustained their families.

People: Holy God, have mercy on absentee fathers.

Leader: For fathers who struggle with temptation, violence, or addiction. For those who do harm, and for those whom they have harmed.

People: Holy God, have mercy on fathers that struggle.

Leader: For new fathers, full of hope. For long-time fathers, full of wisdom. For the fathers yet to be, and fathers soon to be.

People: Holy God, hear our prayer for the fathers of your Church.

Leader: For those that have shaped our lives without claim of family or kinship. For those who have taught us, guided us, shaped us and molded us into servants of Christ our Lord.

People: Holy God, hear our prayer for the fathers of our faith. Amen

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

*The Gospel Reading

Matthew 7:21-27, CEB

²¹ "Not everybody who says to me, 'Lord, Lord,' will get into the kingdom of heaven. Only those who do the will of my Father who is in heaven will enter. ²² On the Judgment Day, many people will say to me, 'Lord, Lord, didn't we prophesy in your name and expel demons in your name and do lots of miracles in your name?' ²³ Then I'll tell them, 'I've never known you. Get away from me, you people who do wrong.'

²⁴ "Everybody who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise builder who built a house on bedrock. ²⁵ The rain fell, the floods came, and the wind blew and beat against that house. It didn't fall because it was firmly set on bedrock. ²⁶ But everybody who hears these words of mine and doesn't put them into practice will be like a fool who built a house on sand. ²⁷ The rain fell, the floods came, and the wind blew and beat against that house. It fell and was completely destroyed."

The Children's Sermon

Pastor Dan Darby

"Building a Sturdy House"

Special Music

The Family Prayer Song, by Morris Chapman

Paula Darby and Andrew Main

6:11 In God's sight, the earth had become corrupt and was filled with violence. 12 God saw that the earth was corrupt, because all creatures behaved corruptly on the earth.

13 God said to Noah, "The end has come for all creatures, since they have filled the earth with violence. I am now about to destroy them along with the earth, 14 so make a wooden ark. Make the ark with nesting places and cover it inside and out with tar. 15 This is how you should make it: four hundred fifty feet long, seventy-five feet wide, and forty-five feet high. 16 Make a roof for the ark and complete it one foot from the top. Put a door in its side. In the hold below, make the second and third decks. 17 "I am now bringing the floodwaters over the earth to destroy everything under the sky that breathes. Everything on earth is about to take its last breath. 18 But I will set up my covenant with you. You will go into the ark together with your sons, your wife, and your sons' wives. 19 From all living things—from all creatures—you are to bring a pair, male and female, into the ark with you to keep them alive. 20 From each kind of bird, from each kind of livestock, and from each kind of everything that crawls on the ground—a pair from each will go in with you to stay alive. 21 Take some from every kind of food and stow it as food for you and for the animals."

22 Noah did everything exactly as God commanded him.

7: 12 It rained on the earth forty days and forty nights. 13 That same day Noah, with his sons Shem, Ham, and Japheth, Noah's wife, and his sons' three wives, went into the ark. 14 They and every kind of animal—every kind of livestock, every kind that crawls on the ground, every kind of bird— 15 they came to Noah and entered the ark, two of every creature that breathes. 16 Male and female of every creature went in, just as God had commanded him. Then the Lord closed the door behind them.

17 The flood remained on the earth for forty days. The waters rose, lifted the ark, and it rode high above the earth.

8: 13 In Noah's six hundred first year, on the first day of the first month, the waters dried up from the earth. Noah removed the ark's hatch and saw that the surface of the fertile land had dried up. 14 In the second month, on the twenty-seventh day, the earth was dry.

15 God spoke to Noah, 16 "Go out of the ark, you and your wife, your sons, and your sons' wives with you. 17 Bring out with you all the animals of every kind—birds, livestock, everything crawling on the ground—so that they may populate the earth, be fertile, and multiply on the earth." 18 So Noah went out of the ark with his sons, his wife, and his sons' wives. 19 All the animals, all the livestock, all the birds, and everything crawling on the ground, came out of the ark by their families.

9: 12 God said, "This is the symbol of the covenant that I am drawing up between me and you and every living thing with you, on behalf of every future generation. 13 I have placed my bow in the clouds; it will be the symbol of the covenant between me and the earth. 14 When I bring clouds over the earth and the bow appears in the clouds, 15 I will remember the covenant between me and you and every living being among all the creatures. Floodwaters will never again destroy all creatures. 16 The bow will be in the clouds, and upon seeing it I will remember the enduring covenant between God and every living being of all the earth's creatures." 17 God said to Noah, "This is the symbol of the covenant that I have set up between me and all creatures on earth."

Sermon

Pastor Dan Darby

"When Trouble Comes in Like a Flood"

OUR RESPONSES TO THE WORD

The Receiving of His Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory Prayer

Andrew Main

*The Doxology

UMH No. 95

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.

Joys and Concerns

Prayer Hymn

Faith of Our Fathers

UMH No. 710

**1. Faith of our fathers, living still,
in spite of dungeon, fire, and sword;
O how our hearts beat high with joy
whene'er we hear that glorious word!**

**Refrain: Faith of our fathers, holy faith!
We will be true to thee till death.**

**2. Faith of our fathers, we will strive
to win all nations unto thee;
and through the truth that comes from God,**

we all shall then be truly free.

**Refrain: Faith of our fathers, holy faith!
We will be true to thee till death.**

**3. Faith of our fathers, we will love
both friend and foe in all our strife;
and preach thee, too, as love knows how
by kindly words and virtuous life.**

**Refrain: Faith of our fathers, holy faith!
We will be true to thee till death.**

The Morning Prayer
The Lord's Prayer

*Hymn of Invitation

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

UMH No. 140

1. "Great is Thy faithfulness," O God my Father,
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;
Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not;
As Thou hast been, Thou forever wilt be.

Refrain: Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy
faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see;
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided; Great is
Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

2. Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest,
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above,
Join with all nature in manifold witness
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.

Refrain: Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy
faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see;
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided; Great is Thy
faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

3. Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!

Refrain: Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy
faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see;
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided; Great is Thy
faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

*Announcements

*Our Vision Statement

*We will be the
reflection of Jesus Christ, without barriers*

*Benediction

*Postlude

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DATE OF RAFFLE DRAWING: SATURDAY, JUNE 27, 2020

Prayer Concerns

(Please remember the following in your prayers.)

Judy Bennett	Vickie Lovings
Holly Benson	Jenny & Steven Mac Donald
Brand Blanton	Tammy Michelli
Todd Boese	Etan Mirwis
Pam Bolton	Justin Murphy
Wayne Brignac	Betty McConnell
Tommy Cervanka	Marylyn McDonald
Toby Clark	Kara Ogg
Tye Clark	Olatunde Oniya
Jackie Cleveland	Ed Patton
Jamie Cole	Edward Pavey
Clifton Cooper	Margaret & Chuck Pennington
Mary Ann Courvelle	Jessie Rae
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Lawrence Dirden	Leslie Renfro
Anne Erlich	Donna Rice
Eleanor Ferguson	Gene Roeseler
Don Goodman	Elizabeth Ross
Rod Goodwin	Sylvia Sellers
Mark Guthrie	Dan Shivers
Stephanie Hall	Donna Smith Family
Sharon Harrison	Judy Swanson
Michelle Henry	Truitt Thomson
DeeAnn Hoffner	Peter Twidal
Suzi Walter-Jackson	Baylee Windt
Glenna Jakush	Linda Winkelmann
Perry Key	Jade Wilson
Kenneth Lew	Savannah Wright
Those on the Front Lines Fighting COVID-19/U.S.A.	

Special Project

So far, we have received about \$7600 for or digital sound fund. That means that we only lack \$400 of meeting our total goal of \$8000. Thank you for helping us meet our goal! The updates include:

- Replacing major components of our antiquated analogue sound system with modern digital components. The old system needs repair and it seems wise to replace it rather than repairing it.
- Purchase of a switcher to allow for independent operation of the TV monitors in the sanctuary. This will allow us to put one thing on the front monitors and another thing on the back monitor, or two different things on the front monitors.
- A new wireless system for the pastor's microphone for the fellowship hall. The current system occasionally drops words.
- Chancel area lighting for the sanctuary like the stage lighting in the fellowship hall. This should

help eliminate dark shadows on the faces of worship leaders and help make a better video presentation for our livestream worship services.

The total cost of these improvement is about \$8000. If you would like to make a special donation to help support this project, please mail your check to the church and mark it "Digital Sound Fund" or go to our website, click on "On-line Giving," and make a gift to "Digital Sound Fund." When we have sufficient funds, we will order and install the equipment. Thank you for your generosity and your second-mile gifts to the church to enable this project!

CHURCH CALENDAR

June 21– June 28, 2020

SUN	8:30 a.m.	Outdoor Worship Service
	9:45 a.m.	Zoom Sunday School Adults Young Adult/Tyson/UYMF Sunday School In Classroom
	11:00 a.m.	Worship Service Sanctuary/ Livestream Worship Service
MON.		<i>Newsletter Deadline</i>
WED.	6:00 p.m.	Zoom Youth Meeting YouTube Video
	7:05 p.m.	Facebook Live Community Prayer Gathering
SAT.		<i>C.A.S.A Quilt Raffle Drawing</i>
SUN'	8:30 a.m.	Outdoor Worship Service
	9:45 a.m.	Zoom Sunday School Adults Young Adult/Tyson/UYMF Sunday School In Classroom
	11:00 a.m.	Worship Service Sanctuary/ Livestream Worship Service

1st Time Visitors

Text HELLO to 936-298-5005

Sunday School Update:

The Tyson class will begin meeting both by zoom and in their classroom beginning Sunday, June 21 at 9:45 a.m. Class members and guests are invited to either tune in at home or come to the classroom. The Young Adult class is meeting in person in their classroom, and the youth are meeting in the youth room.