TUMC Worshiping Together September 12, 2021

Song

Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing - Chris Rice (worship song with lyrics) - YouTube

Call to Worship:

Let the nations be glad and sing for joy. May God guide all the nations upon the Earth. Let all the peoples praise you, O God, let all the peoples praise you. The earth has brought forth its increase, may God bless us. Let all the peoples praise you, O God, let all the peoples praise you.

Joys and Concerns (please send me your joys and concerns for prayer)

- We continue to ask prayers for Rachel's friend Janet Olmsted's health struggle.
- Prayers for millions after Hurricane Ida. Prayers for the lives lost, the devastation that remains, and the work remaining to rebuild.
- Prayers for Emergency and Rescue workers.
- Prayers for those affected by the severe Covid Outbreaks.
- Prayers for those facing turmoil and death in Afghanistan, especially women and girls. And prayers for those unable to flee the country.
- All those who have returned to in-person school amid Covid-19 Delta.
- Please keep Hal Filiar-Aguilera in your thoughts and prayers Monday 9/13, he is having an angiogram.

Prayer

Most gracious and life-giving God, we ask your blessing upon us. We adore you whose name is love, whose nature is compassion, whose presence is joy, whose word is truth, whose spirit is goodness, whose holiness is beauty, whose sill is peace, whose knowledge is wisdom. Unto you be all honor and glory, we pray through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Song "<u>The Lord's Prayer</u>" Kathy Niguidula

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 tempation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Song I Lift My Eyes Up (cover) - YouTube TUMC Praise Team

Scripture Reading: Proverbs 8: 22-36

"The LORD brought me forth as the first of creative works, before God's deeds of old; ²³ I was formed long ages ago, before the very beginning, when the world came to be. ²⁴ When there were no watery depths, when there were no springs overflowing with water; ²⁵ before the mountains were settled in place, before the hills, I was given birth, ²⁶ before God made the world or its fields or any of the dust of the earth.

²⁷ I was there when God set the heavens in place, I was there when the horizon on the face of the deep was marked out. ²⁸ When the clouds above were established and God securely fixed the fountains of the deep,²⁹ and gave the sea its boundary so the waters would not overstep God's command, and when the foundations of the earth were marked out, I was there. ³⁰ Then I was constantly at God's side. I was filled with delight day after day, rejoicing always in presence of God, and ³¹ rejoicing in the whole world and delighting in humanity.

³² "Now then, my children, listen to me; blessed are those who keep my ways.

³³ Listen to my instruction and be wise; do not disregard it.³⁴ Blessed are those who listen to me, watching daily at my doors, waiting at my doorway.³⁵ For those who find me find life and receive favor from the LORD.³⁶ But those who fail to find me harm themselves; all who hate me love death."

Song "Mighty to Save" (cover) - YouTube TUMC Praise Team

Children's Time Rev Amy Overton-Harris

Sermon Rev. Amy Overton-Harris

Doxology

Offering time

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Prayer of Thanksgiving

Gracious God, we thank you the ways in which Jesus led us in compassion for the helpless and harassed crowds. That he sent out his disciples with words of hope and deeds of love. We see the same depths of human need today. Send us out with compassion, wisdom and love. We trust in you for our courage and strength for the journey. Amen.

Song Spirit of the Living God (cover) - YouTube TUMC Praise Team

Benediction:

Go out into the world in peace; Hold on to what is good; Return no one wrong for wrong; Strengthen the fainthearted; Support the weak, and help the suffering; Honor all people, love and serve the Lord, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen

> <u>Sending Song</u>: "<u>Step by Step</u>" Hal Filiar-Aguilera, Aaron Altemose