

IN-PERSON WORSHIP
Southern Pines United Methodist Church

6 June 2021

2nd Sunday after Pentecost

8:30 in the morning

- WE GATHER- *We are welcomed and called to worship*

People of God, enter this place with thanksgiving and praise,
for the Lord is good.
Come and rejoice, sing glory to God,
for the Lord is good.
Remember, the steadfast love of God endures forever,
for the Lord is good.

Verse 1 **"Cornerstone"**
My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness
I dare not trust the sweetest frame
But wholly trust in Jesus' Name

Chorus
Christ alone cornerstone
Weak made strong in the Savior's love
Through the storm He is Lord
Lord of all

Verse 2
When darkness seems to hide His face
I rest on His unchanging grace
In every high and stormy gale
My anchor holds within the veil (chorus)

Verse 3
When He shall come with trumpet sound
Oh may I then in Him be found
Dressed in His righteousness alone
Faultless stand before the throne

Sermon Scripture from 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1

"Do Not Lose Heart"

Prayer Concerns & *Invitation to Communion*

Prayer of Confession

Gracious God, we often forget that you are the ruler of our lives. Instead, we turn our attention elsewhere. We want what others have. We allow the concerns of the world to weigh us down. We become distracted by the activities around us. We forget to keep our focus on you. Forgive us. Strengthen our faith, that we may see your presence in our lives. Remind us again that you are the Lord of our lives-the one who loves us completely, the one who offers us abundant forgiveness, the one who never leaves our side. In your holy name we pray. Amen.

Words of Assurance

Brothers and sisters, do not lose heart. We are being renewed day by day through the grace of Christ extended to us.

Thanks be to God!

The Great Thanksgiving & The Lord's Prayer

Prayer after Communion

Lord God, in deep gratitude for this moment, this meal, these people, we give ourselves to you. Take us out to live as changed people because we have shared the living bread and cannot remain the same. Ask much of us, expect much from us, enable much by us, encourage many through us. So, Lord, may we live to your glory, both as inhabitants of earth and citizens of the commonwealth of heaven. Amen.

"I Give You My Heart"

This is my desire To honor You
Lord with all my heart
I worship You All I have within me
I give You praise All that I adore is in You

Lord I give You my heart I give You my soul
I live for You alone Ev'ry breath that I take
Ev'ry moment I'm awake Lord have Your way in me

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