

8:30 a.m. Worship, October 18th, 2020
Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

Prelude

Thad Noland

Welcome

Pastor Chansin Esparza

Call to Worship

Come, let us worship and bow down in awe of God's steadfast love for us.

For God gives ear to our words; God listens to the sound of our cries.

Come, let us take refuge in the God of our salvation.

For God is our shield, our protection in times of trouble.

Come, let us rejoice and sing for joy!

For God is surely in this place!

Let us worship God!

Hymn "Brethren, We Have Met to Worship" (*tune: "Holy Manna"*)

Brethren, we have met to worship, and adore the Lord our God;

Will you pray with all your power, while we try to preach the word?

All is vain, unless the Spirit of the Holy One come down;

Brethren, pray, and holy manna will be showered all around.

Sisters, will you join and help us? Moses' sisters aided him;

Will you help the trembling mourners, who are struggling hard with sin?

Tell them all about the Savior, tell him that he will be found;

Sisters, pray, and holy manna will be showered all around.

Let us love our God supremely, let us love each other too;

Let us love and pray for sinners, till our God makes all things new.

Christ call us home to heaven, at his table we'll sit down.

Christ will gird himself and serve us with sweet manna all around.

Prayers of the Faith Community

Mark Hixon

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 temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Scripture

Deuteronomy 34:1-12

Pastor David McNitzky

Sermon

"The Mountain"

Special Musical Offering

"Well Done, Faithful Servants"

Sanctuary Choir Ensemble

Closing Hymn UMH #724 "On Jordan's Stormy Banks I Stand"

**On Jordan's stormy banks I stand, and cast a wishful eye
to Canaan's fair and happy land, where my possessions lie.**

Refrain: I am bound for the promised land,
I am bound for the promised land;
oh, who will come and go with me?
I am bound for the promised land.

**O'er all those wide extended plains shines one eternal day;
there God the Son forever reigns, and scatters night away.**

Refrain: I am bound for the promised land,
I am bound for the promised land;
oh, who will come and go with me?
I am bound for the promised land.

**No chilling winds or poisonous breath can reach that healthful shore;
sickness and sorrow, pain and death, are felt and feared no more.**

Refrain: I am bound for the promised land,
I am bound for the promised land;
oh, who will come and go with me?
I am bound for the promised land.

**When I shall reach that happy place, I'll be forever blest,
for I shall see my Father's face, and in his bosom rest.**

Refrain: I am bound for the promised land,
I am bound for the promised land;
oh, who will come and go with me?
I am bound for the promised land.

Benediction

Pastor David McNitzky

Postlude

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