

Our Service of Worship

6th Sunday after Pentecost

10:55 am

July 16, 2017

*We invite those who are able, to stand during these acts of worship

Gathering Music

Prelude

Aria
from Oboe Concerto

Marjorie Morgan, Organist

G.F. Handel
Arr. by Charles R. Cronham

Announcements

*Opening Chorus

I'm Goin' a Sing When the Spirit Says Sing

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Bringing In The Light of God

*Call to Worship

Singing is by God's design, not human in origin.

Music is perhaps the universal language of the Spirit.

John Wesley taught us how to sing in worship. He said EVERYONE should sing; no one should feel hindered about singing.

In fact he said if singing is a burden take it up, and you will find a blessing.

Then he said to sing lustily with good courage.

He warned against singing "as if one were half dead"

He insisted on singing "in time."

That means, staying together in beat—but being careful to not sing too slow, as that drawling encourages laziness.

And lastly he said to sing Spiritually.

We are to lift our voices for God's ears in order to please Him, and not to please any other creature.

Today we worship God in music and singing....

Glorious God, source of joy and righteousness, enable us as redeemed and forgiven children evermore to rejoice in singing your praises. Grant that as we sing with our lips, we believe with our hearts, and what we believe in our hearts we will practice in our lives, so that we will be doers of the Word and not hearers only. In Jesus Christ, Amen

*Hymn

O Worship the King (v1,2)

O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing (v1,2,5,6)

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Story for All Ages

Jesus Loves Me

Amy Rooks

Meditation on the Gift of Music

*Hymn

When In Our Music God Is Glorified (v1,2,5)

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Prayer

*Hymn Sing (congregation selections)

Offering

Special Music

Tim Schroeder

*Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn Sing (congregation selections)

*Closing Hymn

Sent Forth by God's Blessing (v2)

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*Benediction

*Postlude

Creation's Praise

Marjorie Morgan, Organist
Dennis Eliot

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Yoga class – Monday’s – 6:30pm; Saturday’s – 8:30am
Knitting – Tuesday’s – 2pm NO choir rehearsal month of JULY

Sunday, July 30 – 6pm
Hallelujah Night at Mt. Pleasant UMC

Our Presence Last Week

Worship last Sunday	79
Sunday school	12

Our Stewardship Last Week

General Fund 2017	\$1,025.00
Plate cash	132.25
Sunday school	6.00
Shoebox Ministry	20.00

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