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# The Service of Worship Eleventh Sunday After Pentecost

August 13, 2023 11:00 a.m.

**Prelude** 

**Lighting of the Altar Candles** 

**Ringing of the Church Bells** 

Choral Introit Trinity Pickers

#### Words of Welcome and Announcements and Signing of Registration Pads

#### \*Call to Worship

**Leader** Jesus is calling you today. Listen! Hear his call in your hearts.

People He calls us out of the safety of our ordered lives and invites us to join Him in the adventure of

faith.

**Leader** Don't be afraid. Take the step.

People But it feels so risky.

**Leader** Come, reach out to the Lord; Jesus is reaching out to you.

People Lord, grasp our hands and our hearts. Heal and strengthen us with your love. Let us worship

God together.

\*Hymn Stand By Me #512

#### **Opening Prayer** (in Unison)

Gracious God, we gather once again to offer You praise and thanksgiving for Your unfailing love and faithfulness, shown most clearly through Your son, Jesus Christ. Thank you for rescuing us from the stormy seas of life. Grant in us the faith to step out of the places in our lives where we are so cautious and anxious that we miss the joy that comes from the kingdom-living Jesus taught. Help us to walk on water – strong in our faith and keeping our eyes on Christ. In his holy name, we pray, Amen.

Special Music Trinity Pickers

Pastoral Prayer Rev McDonald

#### The Lord's Prayer (in unison)

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.

Special Music Trinity Pickers

#### **Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings**

#### Offertory Prayer (unison)

Gracious God, You call us to let go of the things we cling to and step out in faith, trusting in Your love and provision. Give us courage to step out boldly, and sufficient faith to follow without fear. Take our lives and our gifts. Use them to accomplish more than we could possibly imagine. We give you thanks in the holy name of Jesus. Amen.

Special Music Jeff Thompson

\*Doxology #95

\*Hymn Precious Lord, Take My Hand #474

Scripture Matthew 14: 22-33

Special Music Jeff Thompson

Message Trusting God Through the Storm Rev McDonald

\*Hymn <u>Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus</u> #462

### **Schedule of Our Opportunities**

**Today** 9:00a.m. Heart of Worship in the Social Hall

11:00a.m. Worship in the Sanctuary

Service broadcast on wfbr1590.weebly.com/ or 1590

AM/Facebook Live Stream

**Looking Ahead** 

Aug 18<sup>th</sup> 7-8:30 p.m. Mission Concert – Social Hall

<sup>\*</sup>Benediction

<sup>\*</sup>Postlude

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Sign-up to volunteer to help make 10,000 meals for Rise Against Hunger on Sept 16th. Register at <a href="www.gbumcRAH.org">www.gbumcRAH.org</a>



## Harmonizing for a Hunger-Free World: Benefit Concert on August 18, 2023

Join us for a benefit concert to help end hunger in our communities and worldwide! The concert will be held on Friday, August 18, 2023, from 7 - 9:30 pm at the Church Social Hall. The concert features **Sparks & McCoy**, Kim Eaton, **Back in the Saddle Duo** - Pete Mentch & Marilyn Dicus Jacob, and **Kevin Chroniger** providing a variety of music genres for all ages.

**Seating is limited**, so you must reserve your free tickets at <u>GBUMChurchRSVP.org</u>. All proceeds from the concert will benefit the Glen Church's Mission Projects for Rise Against Hunger, and CROP Hunger Walk.

Donations will be accepted at the concert, or you may **eGive** to Missions or you can put it in the offering plate or mail to the church.

The concert is a great opportunity to enjoy great music, support a good cause, and make new friends.