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ONLINE / REMOTE Worship Service, March 22, 2020

WELCOME

PRELUDE	“He Never Said a Mumbalin’ Word” (UMH 291) lyrics on page 3	Page
CALL TO WORSHIP, (bold print, respond in unison) by C.Scott		Megan Blizzard
Leader: We’ve got a crown up in God’s kingdom.	People: Ain’t that good news!	
Leader: We can lay down the burdens of this world.	People: Jesus bore the cross for us.	
Leader: He’s my Savior up in the Kingdom.	People: Ain’t that good news?	
Leader: God will provide all we need.	People: And that’s good news!	
OPENING HYMN	“Jesus, Thine All-Victorious Love” lyrics on page 2	UMH 422
OPENING PRAYER		Megan Blizzard
<p>We praise you, O God, for your faithfulness through the ages. You are with us during the dawn and the setting sun of each day. Comfort us during times of distress. As Jesus was sent to fulfill your promise, now fill us with your Spirit and bless our worship in Christ’s name. Amen.</p>		
CHILDREN’S TIME		
CALL TO CONFESSION, ASSURANCE OF PARDON, by C.Scott		
<p>Pastor: Forgive us, Lord, when we, like the soldiers, have mocked Him by our silence and indifference in the face of need and pain.</p> <p>People: Simon was given the cross of Jesus to carry. Forgive us, Lord, when we are reluctant to take up our cross to bring hope and healing to a world in need of transformation.</p> <p>Pastor: Spread the good news that has been given to you that others may choose the right path and God will forgive you. Thanks be to God.</p>		
ENTRANCE INTO PRAYER	“Standing in the Need of Prayer”	Giamanco
COMMUNITY PRAYER / LORD’S PRAYER		Megan Blizzard
MIDDLE HYMN	“Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone” lyrics on page 2	UMH 424
GOD’S WORD IS READ	Matthew 27:27-37	Jon Bowman
GOD’S WORD IS SHARED	“Ain’t-a Dat Good New?”	Pastor Malcolm Stranathan
REFLECTION / OFFERTORY TIME	“Jesus Paid It All!” lyrics on page 2	Kristian Stanfill
<p>Please mail God’s tithes and your offering to the church office at the address at the top of this service or click here and set up a one-time electronic deposit (also available on the front page of our website, www.wumcmd.org).</p>		
Offertory Prayer		
HYMN	“Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed” lyrics on page 2	UMH 359
SENDING FORTH		
POSTLUDE	“I’m Just a Poor Wayfarin’ Stranger”	Page

OPENING HYMN

422 JESUS, THINE ALL-VICTORIOUS LOVE

1. Jesus, thine all-victorious love shed in my heart abroad; then shall my feet no longer rove, rooted and fixed in God.
2. O that in me the sacred fire might now begin to glow; burn up the dross of base desire and make the mountains flow!
3. O that it now from heaven might fall and all my sins consume! Come, Holy Ghost, for thee I call, Spirit of burning, come!
4. Refining fire, go through my heart, illuminate my soul; scatter thy life through every part and sanctify the whole.

MIDDLE HYMN

424 MUST JESUS BEAR THE CROSS ALONE

1. Must Jesus bear the cross alone, and all the world go free? No, there's a cross for everyone, and there's a cross for me.
2. How happy are the saints above, who once went sorrowing here! But now they taste unmingled love, and joy without a tear.
3. The consecrated cross I'll bear till death shall set me free; and then go home my crown to wear, for there's a crown for me.

REFLECTION HYMN

Title: JESUS PAID IT ALL

Artist/Album: Kristian Stanfill

I hear the Savior say
Thy strength indeed is small
Child of weakness watch and pray
Find in me thine all in all

Jesus paid it all
All to him I owe
Sin had left a crimson stain
He washed it white as snow

Lord now indeed I find
Thy power and thine alone
Can change the lepers spots
And melt the heart of stone

Jesus paid it all
All to him I owe
Sin had left a crimson stain
He washed it white as snow

It's washed away! All my sin! And all my shame!

And when before the throne
I stand in him complete
Jesus died my soul to save
My lips shall still repeat

Jesus paid it all
All to him I owe
Sin had left a crimson stain
He washed it white as snow
Sin had left a crimson stain
He washed it white as snow

Oh praise the one who paid my debt and raised this
life up from the dead (x6)

Jesus paid it all
All to him I owe
Sin had left a crimson stain
He washed it white as snow

CLOSING HYMN

359 ALAS! AND DID MY SAVIOR BLEED

1. Alas! and did my Savior bleed, and did my Sovereign die?
Would he devote that sacred head for sinners such as I?
At the cross, at the cross, where I first saw the light, and
the burden of my heart rolled away; it was there by faith
I received my sight, and now I am happy all the day.
2. Was it for crimes that I have done, he groaned upon the
tree? Amazing pity! Grace unknown! And love beyond
degree! At the cross, at the cross, where I first saw the
light, and the burden of my heart rolled away; it was
there by faith I received my sight, and now I am happy
all the day.
3. Well might the sun in darkness hide, and shut its glories
in, when God, the mighty maker, died for his own
creature's sin. At the cross, at the cross, where I first
saw the light, and the burden of my heart rolled away; it
was there by faith I received my sight, and now I am
happy all the day.
4. Thus might I hide my blushing face while his dear cross
appears; dissolve my heart in thankfulness, and melt
thine eyes to tears. At the cross, at the cross, where I
first saw the light, and the burden of my heart rolled
away; it was there by faith I received my sight, and now I
am happy all the day.
5. But drops of tears can ne'er repay the debt of love I
owe. Here, Lord, I give myself away; 'tis all that I can do.
At the cross, at the cross, where I first saw the light, and
the burden of my heart rolled away; it was there by faith
I received my sight, and now I am happy all the day.

LOOKING AHEAD.....

Our Bishop directed all churches remain closed through March 29. Beyond that date, we will monitor conditions and follow direction from Bishop Easterling, Governor Hogan, and President Trump.

BULLETIN PRAYER LIST

Our Church Family

Longterm:

Ian MacLean-Blevins
Robert Shaeffer
Chris Clise

Jerry Rosier
Grace Justice
Christy Swartzbaugh
John Carbaugh
Dave Taylor

Those in Mourning

The Dorwart-Hershberger Family on the death of Anne's father, Tom.
The Kimble and Marinko Families on the death of Eric (nephew of Jeff & Marjie Klmble).

Our General Board of Global Missionaries

Nan McCurdy, Miguel Miarena (Puebla Mexico),
Matthew and Jennifer Wilke (Tanzania), Chin Cho (Mongolia)

Our Family and Friends

3/13-3/20 requests:

Bella Wilhide—granddaughter of friend of Peg Hepler

3/6-3/12 requests:

Tim & Lisa Frock—son/dau-in-law of Louise Miller
Lisa Twilley—by Jennifer Dorr

2/28-3/5 requests:

Jennifer Kirby—daughter-in-law of Ed & Mary Etta
Nancy George—friend of June & Don Hicks
Jon Getchell—family member of June & Don Hicks
Susan Carey—sister of Conni Highfield

2/21-2/27 requests:

Sharon Klein—sister of Tom Flinn
Margie Kiracofe—by Sally Stair
Kim Avarella—by Jennifer Dorr
Jessica Ward—by Amy Sharpnack
Pat Brehm—friend of Mary Louise Poole

2/7-2/20 requests:

Jeannie Nuzum—aunt of Cathy Flinn

1/31-2/6 requests:

Doris Layman—grandmother of Lisa Bowman
Paul Jorgenson—son-in-law of Ray Mercer
Peggy McMahan—sister of Gayle Dix

1/24-1/30 requests:

Tim Yeagle—nephew of Helen Miller

Those in Military Service

Jason Marusiak, Fort Riley, KS
(son-in-law of The Flinns)

Sgt David Perez, 3rd Ranger Battalion, Afghanistan
(son-in-law of Kim Cascio)

Cpt. Dan Myers, Army, Afghanistan
Cpt. Sally Myers, Army, Fort Drum, NY
(nephew/niece of Susan & John Harbold),

Stefanie Sadowski-Gray, Air Force, Bolling AFB
(Sadowskis' daughter)

Tracie Meyers, Navy, The Gulf
(daughter of Jan Halman-Miller)

REQUESTING PRAYER

[Please click here to submit a prayer request.](#)

If you wish to speak with a pastor, please call the church office and select option 4 for Pastor Malcolm, or option 5 for Reverend Ken.

[Click here to email Pastor Malcolm.](#)

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REACH tasks & coordinator, month of: MARCH

OUR MISSION: To reach out to those within our congregation who are reaching out to us in need of help.

Are you a church member in need of:

- Funeral Lite Fare
- Meals following recovery or mourning

Please contact REACH, directly for help:

Peg Hepler
410-236-4174

PRELUDE

291 HE NEVER SAID A MUMBALIN' WORD

1. They crucified my Lord, and he never said a mumbalin' word; they crucified my Lord, and he never said a mumbalin' word, not a word, (not a word) not a word, (not a word) not a word. (Not a mumbalin' word)
2. They nailed him to the tree, and he never said a mumbalin' word; they nailed him to the tree, and he never said a mumbalin' word, not a word, (not a word) not a word, (not a word) not a word. (Not a mumbalin' word)
3. They pierced him in the side, and he never said a mumbalin' word; they pierced him in the side, and he never said a mumbalin' word, not a word, (not a word) not a word, (not a word) not a word. (Not a mumbalin' word)
4. His blood came trickling down, and he never said a mumbalin' word; his blood came trickling down, and he never said a mumbalin' word, not a word, (not a word) not a word, (not a word) not a word. (Not a mumbalin' word)
5. He hung his head and died, and he never said a mumbalin' word; he hung his head and died, and he never said a mumbalin' word, not a word, (not a word) not a word, (not a word) not a word. (Not a mumbalin' word)

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