#### 8:30 AM in the Sanctuary

## **Traditional Worship**

## **Gathering Music to Prepare Our Hearts for Worship**

"I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light" - Hayes
"How Great Thou Art" - Hayes
Carol Heagy, piano

Welcome to Worship

Call to Worship (see center pane)

\*TFWS 2002 "I Will Call Upon the Lord"

Opening Prayer (see center pane)

\*UMH 144 "This Is My Father's World"

\*UMH 881 "The Apostles' Creed"

Prayer for Insight and Understanding Carol Sterner

Scripture Lesson Psalm 9:1-14

Ministry of Music "Then Sings My Soul" arr. Duren Chancel Choir with soloists—Owen Rynex and Luke Forshey

Presentation of Tithes, Offerings and Lives

A Call to Stewardship Pastor Josh

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Offertory: "Assurance" J. Raney
\*Doxology UMH 95

\*UMH 130 "God Will Take Care of You"

Scripture Lesson Ezekiel 24:3-14

Sermon "Judgement and Hope: The Time is Coming" Pastor Josh

Our Response in Prayer

(concluding with The Lord's Prayer printed on center pane)

\*UMH 77 "How Great Thou Art"

\*Blessing and Dismissal

\*Postlude "Rejoice, the Lord is King" T. Cornell

#### \*Call to Worship:

Pastor Josh

Pastor: The time is coming— when God will not remain silent, when the fire beneath the pot will burn hot, and all that has been hidden will come to light.

Congregation: We come before the God who sees and knows, who purifies and restores what has been corrupted.

Pastor: The time is coming— when judgment and mercy meet, when God's refining fire will cleanse and renew His people.

Congregation: We come not to hide from the flame, but to be made whole by the One who redeems through fire.

Pastor: The time is coming— when the Lord will act, and all will know that He is God.

All: So we gather in awe and hope, trusting the God who burns away impurity, and brings forth new life. The time is coming— and the time is now.

### **Opening Prayer:**

Holy and righteous God, You are the One who sees clearly, who looks beneath the surface of our lives and exposes what lies within. You are the refiner's fire—burning away what is false, cleansing what has been corrupted, and calling Your people to holiness.

We confess that we often resist Your fire. We want Your comfort without Your correction, Your blessing without Your refining. But today, Lord, we open ourselves to You. We ask You to purify our hearts, to stir what has grown cold, and to renew our passion for Your will and Your way.

May this time of worship draw us nearer to Your truth. May Your Spirit move among us with grace and power. And may we leave this place changed—ready to live as people who know that the time is coming, and the time is now.

In the name of Jesus Christ, our hope and our redemption, we pray. Amen.

#### 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 sins,
as we forgive those who sin 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

#### 10:30 AM in the Christian Life Center

## Contemporary Worship

"At His Feet" Praise Band Owen Rynex, Worship Leader

> Welcome to Worship Pastor Josh

Passing of the Peace

Songs
Highlands (Song of Ascent)
O Praise the Name

Scripture Lessons, Missy Stafford, Reading Psalm 9:1-14

### <u>Offering</u>

Offertory Songs
The B-I-B-L-E,
He's Got the Whole World in His Hands
This Little Light of Mine
Rainbow Junction Children's Choir

## Children's Message

Scripture Lesson Ezekiel 24:3-14

Sermon

"Judgement and Hope: The Time is Coming" Pastor Josh

Our Response in Prayer (concluding with The Lord's Prayer-printed on center pane)

Closing Song
You Deserve It All

Blessing and Dismissal Pastor Josh

For your convenience, the words to all songs, scriptures and responses will be projected on the big screen above the stage.

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# Welcome to Zion Church

Whether you are a first time guest, a new resident, seeking a church, or just visiting the area, we're glad you took the time to join us for worship. We are a United Methodist congregation with a mission of transforming lives by connecting hearts and homes to Christ. We'd love to have you join us on our journey of faith.



A bright and safe nursery is available for your child through age 4 if needed during worship and the Sunday school/Discipleship Hour.



## Remember our Sisters and Brothers in Your Prayers

Maggie Hengst, Family of Cara Slusser, Anderson and Mummert Families-family of Kelly Anderson, Cindy Y, Kritt Heim, Family of Bradley Myers, Gerald Laughman, Phyllis Frey, Emily, Frank Forbes, Cheri Stine, Tom Shaffer, Linda, Clarence M, Kim Fry, Mayetta Becker, Betsy B, Christopher S, Kevin Weimer, Janice Smith, People of USA, All recovering from earthquakes, flooding, fires; loss of loved ones & homes. First Responders, US Military.

The **Worship Folders** are given to the Glory of God and in celebration of our granddaughter, McKenna Grace Wege's, 2nd birthday and are presented by Gary & Sandy Taylor.



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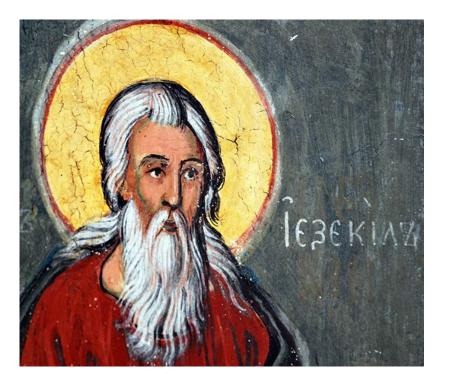
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### **Sermon Notes**



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