



Jesus said...

**“DO NOT FEAR,
ONLY BELIEVE.”**

MARK 5:36

THE UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF BLAIRSVILLE

*“a community of believers, called by God, led by the Holy Spirit
to know Christ and to make Christ known”*

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THE UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF BLAIRSVILLE

June 27, 2021 ~ 10:00 AM

THE ORDER OF SERVICE

Words of Greeting

Rev. Timothy Monroe

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Sharing of Opportunities, Joys and Concerns

PREPARATION FOR THE WORD OF GOD

Prelude

“Reach Out to Jesus”

By Ralph Carmichael

Organ and Piano Duet

Call to Worship (*Psalm 30*)

Jean Heberling, Liturgist

Leader: I will extol you, O Lord, for you have drawn me up,
and did not let my foes rejoice over me.

**People: O Lord my God, I cried to you for help,
and you have healed me.**

Leader: O Lord, you brought up my soul from Sheol,
restored me to life from among those
gone down to the Pit.

**People: Sing praises to the Lord, O you his faithful ones,
and give thanks to his holy name.**

Leader: For his anger is but for a moment;
his favor is for a lifetime.

**People: Weeping may linger for the night,
but joy comes with the morning.**

Leader: You have turned my mourning into dancing;
you have taken off my sackcloth
and clothed me with joy,

**People: So that my soul may praise you and not be silent.
O Lord my God, I will give thanks to you forever.**

*Hymn # 50

“Great Is the Lord”

*Prayer of Confession

Holy, triune God, we confess that we have not lived for your glory. We follow the crowds around you but fail to grasp the good news you offer. We weep at the power of death but laugh at your promise of new life. Forgive us, God of grace. Heal us of all doubt and despair and give us the gift of faith by which you make us whole; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

*Assurance of Forgiveness

*Gloria Patri

*Sharing of the Peace

DECLARATION OF THE WORD OF GOD

New Testament Lesson

II Corinthians 8:7-15

Special Music

“The Gift of Love”

Arr. Hopson

Betsy Holby, flute

Gospel Lesson

Mark 5:21-43

Sermon

Rev. Timothy Monroe

RESPONSE TO THE WORD OF GOD

*Affirmation of Faith

(A Brief Statement of Faith)

We trust in Jesus Christ, fully human, fully God. Jesus proclaimed the reign of God: preaching good news to the poor and release to the captives, teaching by word and deed and blessing the children, healing the sick and binding up the brokenhearted, eating with outcasts, forgiving sinners, and calling all to repent and believe the gospel. Unjustly condemned for blasphemy and sedition, Jesus was crucified, suffering the depths of human pain and giving his life for the sins of the world. God raised this Jesus from the dead, vindicating his sinless life, breaking the power of sin and evil, delivering us from death to life eternal.

*Hymn Insert

“He Touched Me”

Prayers of the People & the Lord’s Prayer (“...debts...and debtors...”)

*Hymn # 500

“Precious Lord, Take My Hand”

*Benediction

*Postlude

(*All who are able, please stand)

THE WORSHIP ASSISTANTS for this morning’s service are Liturgist, Jean Heberling; Organist, Marilyn Neal; Director of Music, Cindy Borbonus; Special Music, Betsy Holby; Ushers, Pat and Janeen Swope; Audio/Visual, Elizabeth and Abigail Bruner; Streaming, John Bruner.

THE FLOWER ARRANGEMENT in worship this morning is given to the glory of God and in memory of loved ones by Mary Gorslene.

THE CHRISTIAN EDUCATION COMMITTEE will meet Tuesday, June 29th at 6:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. For more information, please see Mary Gorslene

MANDATED REPORTER TRAINING is being offered through the Kiskiminetas Presbytery. A certificate will be issued upon completion of the workshop. The training will be offered by ZOOM, Tuesday, June 29th at 1:00 p.m. or at 6:30 p.m. Please register at bit.ly/kiski6291 for the 1:00 time or bit.ly/kiski6296 for the 6:30 time. Workbooks and certificates will be sent via USPS after the course.

CORRECTION last Sunday’s flower arrangement was given in loving memory of Delmont Gressley by Ruie and Randy Gressley.

SUMMER SPECIAL MUSIC SCHEDULED:

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| Today | Betsy Holby | August 1 | Blairsville Brass |
| July 4 | Matthew Cyphert | August 8 | Organ/Piano Duet |
| July 11 | Nightengals | August 15 | Adam Loucks |
| July 18 | Abigail Bruner | August 22 | Karen Kerin |
| July 25 | Angela Lyons | August 29 | Organ/Piano Duet |

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE:

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| Sunday | 10:00 a.m. | Worship |
| Monday | 9:00 a.m. | Grannies meet in Fellowship Hall |
| | 6:30 p.m. | Boy Scouts meet in Fellowship Hall |
| Tuesday | 6:00 p.m. | Christian Education Committee Meeting |
| Thursday | 2:00 p.m. | Stitching Group |
| Friday | 4:00 p.m. | Sanctuary reserved |
| Saturday | 12:30 p.m. | Sanctuary and Fellowship Hall reserved |
| Sunday | 10:00 a.m. | Worship <i>Independence Day</i> |

Great Is the Lord

Great is the Lord, He is holy and just
By His power we trust in His love.
Great is the Lord, He is faithful and true
By His mercy He proves He is love.

Great is the Lord and worthy of glory!
Great is the Lord and worthy of praise!
Great is the Lord,
Now lift up your voice,
Now lift up your voice;
Great is the Lord!

Great are You Lord and worthy of glory!
Great are You Lord and worthy of praise!
Great are You Lord, I lift up my voice
I lift up my voice, Great are You Lord.

Deborah D. Smith | Michael W. Smith

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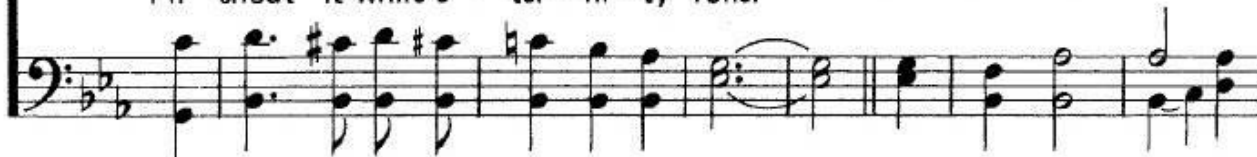
1. Shack-led by a heav - y bur - den, 'Neath a load of
2. Since I met this bless - ed Sav - ior, Since He cleansed and



guilt and shame— Then the hand of Je - sus touched me,
made me whole, I will nev - er cease to praise Him—



And now I am no long - er the same. He touched me, O He
I'll shout it while e - ter - ni - ty rolls.



touched me, And O the joy that floods my soul! Some-thing



happened, and now I know He touched me and made me whole.



WITNESS AND TESTIMONY

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Precious Lord, Take My Hand

Precious Lord, take my hand,
Lead me on, let me stand,
I am tired, I am weak, I am worn;
Through the storm, through the night,
Lead me on to the light:
Take my hand, precious Lord,
Lead me home.

When my way grows drear,
Precious Lord, linger near,
When my life is almost gone;
Hear my cry, hear my call,
Hold my hand lest I fall:
Take my hand, precious Lord,
Lead me home.

When the darkness appears
And the night draws near,
And the day is past and gone,
At the river I stand,
Guide my feet, hold my hand:
Take my hand, precious Lord,
Lead me home.

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