



**CENTER BRUNSWICK
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

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June 9th, 2024
Third Sunday after Pentecost
GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

PRELUDE: Open the Eyes of My Heart

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

QUIET HYMN: Be Still, My Soul #534

SILENT PRAYER

CHOIR INTROIT: Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying

***HYMN: Grace Alone** #2162

CENTERING FOR WORSHIP

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: In the times of trouble, when all seemed hopeless, I cried out to God.

P: God heard my pleas and answered me.

L: When I felt lost and alone, I looked for God.

P: God found me and brought me home.

L: When my life was filled with joy and blessing, I danced and praised God.

P: God danced and rejoiced with me. Thanks be to God. Amen!

*** PRAYER OF INVOCATION**

We sing your praise and worship, Almighty God, for you bring forth life in every corner of creation. Help us to honor you not only with our lips but with our lives. Remake us according to your designs, to live in the image of Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

Anthem: Draw the Circle Wide

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

SCRIPTURE LESSON

2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1

Mark 3:20-35

***HYMN: Wounded World That Cries for Healing**

#2177

THE WORD OF GOD EXPLORED

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GRATEFUL RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD

OFFERTORY

***DOXOLOGY**

***DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERING**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND PASTOR

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 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.

***HYMN: We Shall Overcome**

#533 (vs 1-4)

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE: He Is Exalted

**Indicates standing if that is comfortable for you.*

Center Brunswick Birthdays & Anniversaries

9—April Snow

10—Michelle Godfrey

13—Marjorie Derrick

14--Donald & Irene Cushman--anniv

14—Stacey Fallova

15--Mason Michael Fallova

Heavenly Creator, we gather this morning with those who love You.

That we might sing Your praises and share Your love with one another, you have shown Your faithfulness to us daily.

In ways that we do not always recognize, we gather today to thank You for Your constant watch-care over us. Help us to entrust our lives to You and Your purposes as we pray in the Name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

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Come into God's presence with thanksgiving and praise. Come offer the strength of your soul and the generosity of your spirit so that all may know that Christ is our sibling and that we are God's family. All are welcome here. As siblings of Christ, let us give joyfully so that all of God's family may find hope and strength through the blessings we share this day.

<https://tithe.ly/give?c=1464479>

Generous God, our lives are renewed as we remember your goodness. We know there is much work to be done, far more than we ever imagined. You have made us in your image and placed in our hearts the memory of your love-made flesh in Jesus Christ. That memory calls us to give and to embrace your world. We ask that you bless these gifts so that they can be used for the work you have set before us, for we place our lives and trust in you. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.