



Pastor Lesli McGowan

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WELCOME ~Jason McDougall, Musical Director

PASS THE PEACE

OPENING HYMN - We Are Called (2172)

Verse 1

When we are called to sing your praise with hearts so filled with pain that we would rather sit and weep or stand up to complain, remind us, God, you understand the burdens that we bear; you, too, have walked the shadowed way and known our deep despair.

Verse 2

When we are called to sing your praise and cannot find our voice, because our losses leave us now no reason to rejoice, remind us, God, that you accept our sad laments in prayer; you, too, have walked the shadowed way and known our deep despair.

Verse 3

When we are called to sing your praise and life ahead looks grim, still give us faith and hope enough to break forth in a hymn, When we are called to sing your praise and life ahead looks grim, still give us faith and hope enough to break forth in a hymn,

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: People of God, who do you come to worship?

P: We come to worship the one true God.

L: How will you worship?

P: Not with words alone, but by living lives of justice and love.

L: Come, you who belong to God. Come, you who are foolish in the eyes of the world.

P: Come and abide in God's tent and in God's heart, now and forever.

OPENING INTRODUCTION ~Pastor Lesli McGowan

OPENING PRAYER (in unison)

Loving God, we come this morning seeking to abide in your presence. Open our minds to your spirit of wisdom, that we may know how to live as your people. Open our hearts to your spirit of truth, that we may love all your people with a love that speaks of justice, kindness, and radical grace. May this time of worship be authentic and pleasing to you. Amen.

SCRIPTURE (NRSV)

Psalm 15

Who can live in your tent, Lord? Who can dwell on your holy mountain? The person who lives free of blame, does what is right, and speaks the truth sincerely; who does no damage with their talk, does no harm to a friend, doesn't insult a neighbor; someone who despises those who act wickedly, but who honors those who honor the Lord; someone who keeps their promise even when it hurts; someone who doesn't lend money with interest, who won't accept a bribe against any innocent person. Whoever does these things will never stumble.

MESSAGE ~Pastor Lesli

SONG OF AFFIRMATION - Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling (348)

<p>Verse 1 <i>Softly and tenderly Jesus is calling, calling for you and for me; see, on the portals he's waiting and watching, watching for you and for me.</i></p> <div data-bbox="61 1318 797 1514" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Chorus: <i>Come home, come home; you who are weary, come home; earnestly, tenderly, Jesus is calling, calling, O sinner, come home!</i></p> </div>	<p>Verse 2 <i>Why should we tarry when Jesus is pleading, pleading for you and for me? Why should we linger and heed not his mercies, mercies for you and for me?</i></p>
<p>Verse 3 <i>Time is now fleeting, the moments are passing, passing from you and from me; shadows are gathering, deathbeds are coming, coming for you and for me.</i></p>	<p>Verse 4 <i>O for the wonderful love he has promised, promised for you and for me! Though we have sinned, he has mercy and pardon, pardon for you and for me.</i></p>

PRAYER CARDS

Place prayer cards in the offering plate.

If you are remote, please advise prior to the start of service.

OFFERING

Make checks payable to
SUMC and mail or drop off at 325 NE Maple Street, Pullman, Washington 99163

OFFERING RESPONSE - *Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus (349)*

Turn your eyes upon Jesus, look full in his wonderful face, (wonderful face), and the things of earth will grow strangely dim in the light of his glory and grace.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE ~Pastor Lesli

CLOSING PRAYER - Pastor Lesli

CLOSING HYMN - Micah 6:8

Verse 1:
He has shown thee O man
What is good and what the Lord requires of thee
He has shown thee O man
What is good and what the Lord requires of thee

Chorus:
But to do justly and to love mercy
And to walk humbly with thy God

Verse 2:
He has shown thee O man
What is good and what the Lord requires of thee
He has shown thee O man
What is good and what the Lord requires of thee

Verse 3
He has shown thee O man
What is good and what the Lord requires of thee
He has shown thee O man
What is good and what the Lord requires of thee

SENDING/BENEDICTION ~Pastor Lesli

SUMC EVENTS

- **Praise Band Rehearsals** every Sunday 10am
- SUMC is **hosting Family Promise Families**
 - **September 4 – 11**
 - **November 27 – December 4**

Volunteers are needed!

- Set up/Take down
- Evening and Overnight Hosts
- Call Pastor Lesli 509-332-5212
- The following items are needed for Family Promise clients. If you can donate, please bring it to church on Sunday and place it in the grocery cart in the Sanctuary. You may also drop off items at the church during office hours; Monday-Thursday 11a-3p. THANK YOU!
 - Batteries - AA and AAA
 - Trash Bags
 - All Purpose Cleaner
 - Laundry Detergent
 - Fabric Softener/dryer sheets
 - Dishwashing soap
 - Lysol/Disinfectant