

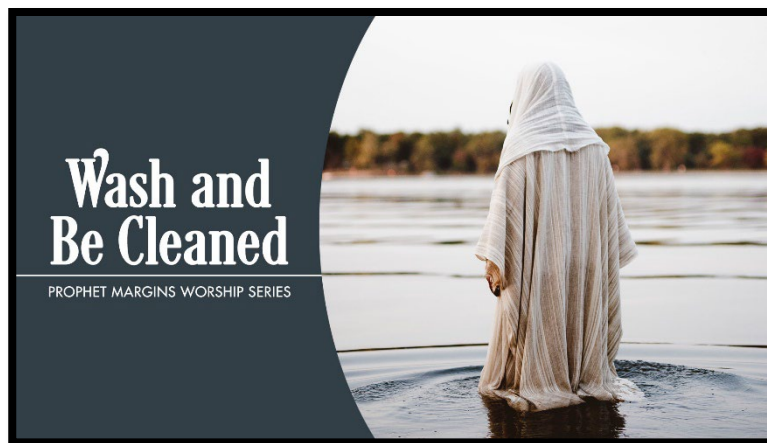
Community of Faith

United Methodist Church

July 3, 2022 | 8:30 AM

Cracked Pots Worship Series

Worship Guide



WELCOME

MUSIC OF PRAISE

Great Is the Lord TFWS 2022

(Refrain) 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.

(1, 3) 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.... is the Lord! *(Refrain)*

(2) 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. Great are you Lord.

Water, River, Spirit, Grace TFWS 2253

Water, River, Spirit, Grace,
sweep over me, sweep over me!
Recarve the depths your fingers traced,
in sculpting me in sculpting me.

OPENING PRAYER

*HYMN

Gather Us In TFWS 2236

Here in this place, new light is streaming, now is the darkness, vanished away,
see, in this space, our fears and our dreamings, brought here to you in the light of this day.
Gather us in, the lost and forsaken; gather us in, the blind and the lame;
call to us now, and we shall awaken, we shall arise at the sound of our name.

We are the young, our lives are a mystery; we are the old, who yearn for your face,
we have been sung throughout all of history, called to be light to the whole human race.
Gather us in, the rich and the haughty; gather us in, the proud and the strong;
give us a heart so meek and so lowly, give us the courage to enter the song.

Here we will take the wine and the water, here we will take the bread of new birth,

here you shall call your sons and your daughters, call us anew to be salt for the earth.

Give us to drink the wine of compassion, give us to eat, the bread that is you;
nourish us well, and teach us to fashion lives that are holy and hearts that are true.

Not in the dark of buildings confining, not in some heaven light years away,
but here in this space, the new light is shining, now is the kingdom, now is the day.

Gather us in, and hold us forever; gather us in, and make us your own;
gather us in, all peoples together, fire of love in our flesh and our bone.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of Grace and Glory,

We confess that we lose sight of our identities, finding our worth in our status,
our demographic, or even our location.

Forgive us of our idolatry

Forgive us for placing our worldly identities above your love for us.

Forgive us for when we get distracted by elaborate rituals, holding ourselves superior,
simply due to our place of birth.

You, O God, are the source of our identity.

You, O God, call us to love our neighbor.

You, O God, challenge us to learn from one another.

You, O God, tell us to be different!

May we swim in your healing waters,
resting in the fullness of being children of God. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

SCRIPTURE LESSON

2 Kings 5:1-14

Our text is about obedience and about submitting to authority, but it is also about recognizing the
voice of God in the voices of others. Naaman had little reason to listen to Elisha, except that he
listened to the voice of the refugee girl whom he made a servant in his house.

What does it take to hear the voice of God? To whom do we listen?

WITNESS TO THE WORD

Rev. Rob Vaughn

*OFFERING

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, THE GREAT THANKSGIVING & THE LORD'S PRAYER

GIVING OF THE BREAD & CUP

*BLESSING & DISMISSAL

Go Now in Peace

UMH 665

*Go now in peace, go now in peace,
may the love of God surround you,
everywhere, everywhere you.*



Announcements

Pastor's Discretionary Fund - The first Sunday of each month, a basket for donations to the *Pastor's Discretionary Fund* is available. Funds are used to provide gas, utility, and housing assistance for persons living on the financial margins. Your gifts have helped support parents with children having special dietary needs as well. Your generosity allows CoF to continue to offer concrete hope to our community.

Summer Children's Schedule - This **Sunday**, we will be on the summer break as it's family worship month; in **August** - classes resume August 7

UMM Breakfast Postponed until Sunday, August 7

Annual Conference – a United Methodist News Service summary of the VA Annual Conference can be found by [clicking here](#) or at www.umnews.org/en/news/2022-virginia-annual-conference

Financial Contributions - Offerings may be made online at the church website www.cofumc.org, by texting to 73256 and in the message, enter COFUMC or checks can be mailed to 13224 Franklin Farm Road, Herndon, VA 20171. The Pastor's Discretionary Fund can receive donations at any time online or in offering plate or baskets. Such funds support persons in more critical need in our community.

For United Methodist News - visit www.umnews.org, www.um-insight.net or www.umc.org

What's Happening this Week

SUNDAY (July 3)) Adult Sunday School 9:30AM
SUNDAY (July 3) Youth Group 10:30AM
SUNDAY (July 3) Christian Worship Assembly 1PM
MONDAY (July 4) Independence Day – Church Office Closed
MONDAY & TUESDAY AM – Food Prep @11AM
MONDAY-FRIDAY Oak Hill Preschool Camp
TUESDAY (July 5) Food Distribution 4:30-6PM
WEDNESDAY (July 6) Boy Scouts 7PM
SATURDAY (July 9) Court of Honor 2-5PM

Prayers

David Mezainis for job prospects

For our parents and families

Barney, father of Kelly Timanus (in MN)

Joel David's brother, Mike, for cancer surgery this week

Thanksgiving for Terri Orvis' visiting family from OK

Parents of Laura Babbitt (Nancy), Lara Fries (Shelby), Bane Vaughn (Betty Shamburger), Fred Mowery (Fred),

Chris Gohrband (Virginia), Mary Ann East (Jackie), Kim Fuller (Joanne)

For Friends & Neighbors

Peggy, friend of Bonnie Machado & Sandy Jones, for health during cancer diagnosis

Steve, close Scouting friend of Joel David, as he is in hospice

Ali Greenburg's work colleague, Tanya, upon the death of her mother

Monica for a good outcome to surgery

George (friend of Joel & Elaine David) in York PA as he prepares to host a Ukrainian family

For our state, nation, and world

People of Ukraine

Expressions of Christian Sympathy are extended

✠ To the family of Creg Smith who died June 24 at home after a brief time in hospice care.

Welcome

Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. (Matthew 10:40)

At Community of Faith, we believe each individual is of sacred worth and dignity as part of God's creation and as demonstrated by the life and ministry of Jesus Christ. We celebrate the beautiful diversity of all races, nationalities, and ethnicities. We welcome and affirm you whether you are rich or poor; love the Church, have never been to Church, or have been wounded by spiritual communities; gay, straight, or whatever your gender identity, expression, and sexual orientation may be; married or single; a person with children or without children; able-bodied, differently-abled, or challenged with mental or emotional health issues; certain of many things or full of questions. We vow to be a safe community truly open to everyone to grow in faith - God's love has no bounds.



Ministers - The Entire Congregation

*Lay Leaders – Jocelyn Gabriel & Ghazel Chilan | Music Director: Dr. Mary Ann East
Music Accompanist: Dr. Kelly Nam | Children's Coordinator – Kelli Timanus | Nursery Care – Ali Greenberg
Youth Director & Food Ministry Administrator: Hannah Godfrey | Office Manager – Di Hannum Beatty
District Superintendent – Sara Calvert | Bishop – Sharma Lewis*



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