

THE SOLO – *Come Follow Me*.....Althouse
THE SERMON

“A Way In the Wilderness”
Rev. Julie Perry

THE INVITATION

** THE HYMN 287

Take My Life, Lead Me, Lord LANGLEY

** THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION

THE GIVING OF OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY – *Ps. 47 Clap your hands,
shout with songs of joy*Lefébure-Wély

THE CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

THE BENEDICTION

** THE GREETING

** THE POSTLUDE – *Kyrie – Lord Have Mercy*Raison

** THOSE WHO ARE PHYSICALLY ABLE ARE INVITED TO STAND AT THESE POINTS IN THE SERVICE.

WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY

Rev. Julie Randels Perry, Guest Minister
Bob Badgett, Associate Minister for Education
Barbara Moore, Organist
Sanctuary Choir
Diane Mundell, Guest Director, Soloist
Laura Faye Groff and Katherine Wagoner, Worship Leaders
Sally Chewing, On-call Nurse

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WORSHIP OF GOD IN CHRIST
July 21, 2013
11:00 a.m.

THE GATHERING

THE PRELUDE – *Ps. 150 Praise him with trumpet, lute
and harp! Praise the Lord!*.....Handel

THE LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

The two candles on the communion table are lit to remind us of the oneness of Christ with God and the oneness of Christ with humankind.

THE OPENING OF THE BIBLE

We open the Bible to remind us that God speaks to the people through the Holy Word.

THE CALL TO WORSHIPbased on Psalm 66
Leader: Shout joyful praises to God, all the earth!

People: Sing about the glory of his name!

Leader: Tell the world how glorious he is.

People: Say to God, “How awesome are your deeds!

Leader: Everything on earth will worship you; they will sing your praises, shouting your name in glorious songs.”

People: Let us join with all creation and worship the Lord!

** THE HYMN 3 – *Worthy of Worship*JUDSON

** THE INVOCATION

THE WELCOME

At this time, please sign and pass the fellowship book located at the left end of the pew. When everyone has signed, return the book. Take this opportunity to note the names of the members and visitors seated on the same pew with you. Speak to them after the service.

THE HYMN 31 – *Praise Him, All Ye Little Children*..... BONNER

THE CHILDREN’S SERMON

(At the conclusion of the Children’s Sermon, all children, kindergarten through grade two, are invited to attend Children’s Church.)

THE ANTHEM – *Sing Unto God*.....G. Young

Sing unto God! Jesus Christ, our Savior
Christ our Lord, we sing unto Thee – Hallelujah, we sing unto Thee!
Hallelujah, sing halleluiah!

THE OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Isaiah 43:16-21

¹⁶ This is what the LORD says—he who made a way through the sea, a path through the mighty waters,¹⁷ who drew out the chariots and horses, the army and reinforcements together, and they lay there, never to rise again, extinguished, snuffed out like a wick:

¹⁸ “Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past. ¹⁹ See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it? I am making a way in the wilderness and streams in the wasteland. ²⁰ The wild animals honor me, the jackals and the owls, because I provide water in the wilderness and streams in the wasteland, to give drink to my people, my chosen, ²¹the people I formed for myself that they may proclaim my praise.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

** THE HYMN 20

Sing Praise to God Who Reigns AboveMIT FREUDEN ZART

THE LITANY

Leader: Come, Beloved, for the Great Giver has restored your fortunes –

People: Let us tell of abundance as we shout with joy!

Leader: Come, Growers, for the Creator has brought up rivers in the desert –

People: Let us declare our praise as we plant our fields!

Leader: Come, Pilgrims, for the Righteous One has set a path through the sea –

People: Let us rejoice as we make our journey!

Leader: Come, People of God, for the Holy One has done great things for us!

People: Come to this sanctuary, this house, this home, Holy Christ, and let us receive you with lavish welcome.

Leader: You are the Restorer of our fortunes, the Promise of new life –

People: We pour out our praise to you.

Leader: Fill this room with your Spirit: the sound of wind, the warmth of flame, the scent of perfume

People: And fill our hearts with your compassion, not just in this time and place, but in all times and in all places,

All: So that as we celebrate the great things you have done for us, we may also embody the love you give to all. Amen.

** THE HYMN – *Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me*PILOT
(see insert)

THE MORNING PRAYER

WELCOME TO UNIVERSITY BAPTIST CHURCH

We are blessed by your presence with us in worship, and trust that this hour will help to deepen your spiritual life. We look forward to meeting you personally at the close of the service.

BROADCAST SYSTEM FOR HEARING IMPAIRED

Our sanctuary is equipped with a broadcast system for the hearing impaired. Please contact one of the ushers to borrow a personal receiver.

LIVE RADIO BROADCAST

The worship service of our church is broadcast live every Sunday on WINA, 1070 AM.

WORSHIP HOUR CHILDCARE

Childcare is available during the worship service for birth through preschool on the ground level. See the ushers for information and directions. The Childcare workers today are Karen Minor, Jen Bates, Laura Faye and Carter Groff.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

We offer a "Children's Church" for K-2nd graders. Children start worship in the adult service with their parents and then, after the children's sermon, follow their leaders to Room 210. For parents who wish to have their children stay with them during worship, activity bulletins and crayons are available from the ushers. The Children's Church leaders today are Pam and Anna Dean.

WMU School Supplies Project

The WMU is collecting money to purchase school supplies for the low-income children at Woodbrook Elementary School. More than 50% of the children are in the free or reduced-price lunch program. This project is coordinated by Love INC in cooperation with city and county schools' Family Support Workers. Make checks payable to UBC and earmark "School Supplies."

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday, July 24

5:30 pm Pot-luck Supper
6:15 pm Called Church Conference – Receive Committee Reports

Thursday, July 25

1:00 pm Preschool/Children's Pool Party – home of Robby & Judy Gough

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