

Good Shepherd United Methodist Church  
Sunday, July 5, 2020 10:30 am Order of Worship  
worship in the time of social distance

Prelude

Greeting/Announcements

Call to Worship: based on Matthew 11

Leader: The music is playing, and God is calling.

***People: We have come to sing and dance with God.***

Leader: The prayers are flowing, and Spirit is moving.

***People: Breathe on us, breath of God.***

Leader: Christ promises rest and renewal when we come to him.

***People: We are here, trusting this sacred promise.***

Opening Prayer

***Creator God, you have created us to walk with you.  
Help us walk with you in this time of worship,  
that we may be strengthened to walk with you  
all the days of our lives. As we come to you this day,  
bless us with your grace and your rest,  
that we may find renewal and the strength to serve  
with confidence and joy. Amen.***

Hymn: Be Thou My Vision #451

***Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;  
naught be all else to me, save that thou art.  
Thou my best thought, by day or by night,  
waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.***

***Be thou my wisdom, and thou my true word,  
I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord,  
thou and thou only, first in my heart,  
great God of heaven, my treasure thou art.***

***Great God of heaven, my victory won,  
may I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's Sun!  
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,  
still be my vision, O Ruler of all.***

Scripture: Genesis 22:1-14

Sermon: *Dancing to a Different Tune*

Rev. Stephen K. Perrine

Offertory

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Communion

Lord's Prayer

Hymn: Here I Am, Lord #593

*I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry.  
All who dwell in dark and sin my hand will save.  
I who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright.  
Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?  
Here I am Lord. Is it I Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.  
I will go Lord. If you lead me, I will hold your people in my heart.*

*I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my people's pain.  
I have wept for love of them. They turn away.  
I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love alone.  
I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send?  
Here I am Lord. Is it I Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.  
I will go Lord. If you lead me, I will hold your people in my heart.*

*I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame,  
I will set a feast for them. My hand will save.  
Finest bread I will provide till their hearts be satisfied.  
I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?  
Here I am Lord. Is it I Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.  
I will go Lord. If you lead me, I will hold your people in my heart.*

Benediction/Blessing

Postlude