# Welcome to... Faith @ the Fair

# Sunday, July 15, 2012

#### **GATHERING MUSIC**

#### WELCOME & NEWS OF OUR FAITH COMMUNITY

#### **\*PASSING THE PEACE**

**OPENING PRAYER** (In Unison)

O good omnipotent God, who so cares for every one of us, as if you cared for each alone; and so for all, as if all were but one! Blessed are the ones who love you, and their friends in you and their enemies for you. I behold how some things pass away that others may replace them, but You never depart. O God, my Father, supremely good, Beauty of all things beautiful, to you will I entrust whatever I have received from you, so shall I loose nothing . You have made me for yourself, and my heart is restless until it rests in you.

<u>\*HYMN OF PRAISE</u> ...... "Amazing Grace" ... ... Bob Stephan Solo – Verse 1, Everyone – Verse 2 Solo – Verse 3, Everyone – Verse 6

SCRIPTURE READING ..... Psalm 103 (ESV)

ALL: Bless the LORD, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless his holy name!

Leader: Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits, who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from the pit, who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy, who satisfies you with good so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.



- ALL: The LORD works righteousness and justice for all who are oppressed. He made known his ways to Moses, his acts to the people of Israel. The LORD is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.
- Leader: He will not always chide, nor will he keep his anger forever.
- ALL: He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities. For as high as the heavens

are above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him; as far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us.

- Leader: As a father shows compassion to his children, so the LORD shows compassion to those who fear him.
- ALL: For he knows our frame; he remembers that we are dust.
- Leader: As for man, his days are like grass; he flourishes like a flower of the field; for the wind passes over it, and it is gone, and its place knows it no more.
- ALL: But the steadfast love of the LORD is from everlasting to everlasting on those who fear him, and his righteousness to children's children, to those who keep his covenant and remember to do his commandments.
- Leader: The LORD has established his throne in the heavens, and his kingdom rules over all.
- ALL: Bless the LORD, O you his angels, you mighty ones who do his word, obeying the voice of his word!

Leader: Bless the LORD, all his hosts, his ministers, who do his will!

ALL: Bless the LORD, all his works, in all places of his dominion.

Leader: Bless the LORD, O my soul!

Leader: This is the Word of God for the People of God ALL: THANKS BE TO GOD

SPECIAL MUSIC ..... "Just Over in the Glory Land" ... ... Faith Men's Ouartet with Al Judd

# PRAYERS OF OUR CHURCH, COMMUNITY & WORLD

# THE LORD'S PRAYER (In Unison)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come, thy will be done in 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.

#### WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

SPECIAL MUSIC ...... "Have A Little Talk with Jesus" ... ... Faith Men's Ouartet with Al Judd

## **DOXOLOGY**

# **PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

CLOSING HYMN ..... "Just a Closer Walk with Thee" ... Jim Kozan

## **SENDING FORTH**

**EXIT MUSIC** 



Special Thanks to:

- Jim Kozan, Bob Stephan, Jane Fyre, the Faith Men's Quartet • and Al Judd for sharing their musical talent.
- Our youth and everyone else involved in this service. ٠
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# **THANK YOU FOR JOINING US TODAY!**

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## Join us...

Sunday Worship: 9:30 a.m. Fellowship: 10:30 a.m. Children's Church: during Worship \* \* \* \* \*

Sunday School, Confirmation & Youth Group meet regularly Sept. through May.

MESSAGE ...... Rev. Victor Waters