

Traditional Service of Worship

13th Sunday after Pentecost

August 22, 2021

11:00 A.M.

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE

What a Friend We Have in Jesus

Wood

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*HYMN

Soldiers of Christ, Arise

No. 513

*CALL TO WORSHIP

(please join by reading the bold text)

Especially when the way forward looks challenging or intense,

Let us put on the whole armor of God.

When we are forced to confront obstacles or face the unknown

Let us clothe ourselves with the compassion and love of Christ

When we are tempted to shut down, back out, or simply turn away because the path ahead is too much,

Let us stand firm and be covered in the Good News of God's protection and peace.

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (APOSTLES' CREED)

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*GLORIA PATRI:

No. 70

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, World without end. Amen. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING:

John 10:11-16

LEADER: The Word of God for the people of God.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God!

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

After the children's message, students (3rd grade and younger) are invited to join Ms. Dakota on the playground for RiverKids.

ANTHEM

Take My Hand, Precious Lord

Jada Allen, Mezzo Soprano

Dorsey

PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on 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.

PRESENTATION OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

Offerings can be placed in the sanctuary offering plates, brought or mailed to the church office, or offered online (visit www.mywell.org/give/rpumc or use the QR code on the back.)

OFFERTORY

He Leadeth Me

Rich Lewis, Organ

Wood

*DOXOLOGY:

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him, all creatures here below.

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host.

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

No. 95

*HYMN OF ILLUMINATION

What a Friend We Have in Jesus

No. 526

SERMON & SCRIPTURE

Ephesians 6:10-20

"Into the Thick of It: Ready...Set..."

Rev. Emily Knight

*HYMN OF DEDICATION:

Standing On the Promises

No. 374

*THE BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

*CONGREGATION PLEASE STAND

**Riverside Park United Methodist Core Values
(i.e. Who are we? What will never ever change?)**

- Our common faith in Jesus Christ
- The love and grace we experience in God (Father, Son, and Holy Spirit)
- The Word of God (importance of learning and reading the Bible)
- Personal and spiritual growth through learning, gathering, and serving
- A Spirit of loving warmth and hospitality
- Our history and our roots
- The gift of generations
- Worshipping together as a community of faith
- The recognition that we are in process: the mission and process of God
- Our differences—and our willingness to wrestle with HOW we lovingly accept differences

Worship Attendance - August 15, 2021

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP - In Person	63
CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP - Online	65
TRADITIONAL WORSHIP - In Person	45
TRADITIONAL WORSHIP - Online	30
TOTAL WORSHIP	193

Serving in Worship Today

Greeters 9am: Tami, Frankie and Cooper Crowell and Tim Bush

Greeters 11am: Emily Rehberg, Harriet Thurgood, and Julianne Kirchain

What's Happening This Week?

TODAY

Contemporary Worship: 9 am

Sunday School: 10:10 am ~ McCord Bldg.

Traditional Worship: 11 am

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Free To Go Dinner: Wednesday at 5:30 pm

The flowers on the altar are given by Terrie Lee in memory of her son Clayton Lee.

Our wonderful CHANCEL CHOIR returns to worship next Sunday. Please be present to welcome them back.

Especially if this is your first Sunday or first time in a while,
Welcome
to Riverside Park United Methodist Church!

9am CONTEMPORARY SERVICE
13th Sunday of Pentecost

August 22, 2021

9:00 a.m.

Gather with Song

Awake My Soul - Hillsong Worship

Welcome! Greet one another in Christ!

Scripture: John 10:11-16

I Will Follow - Chris Tomlin

Kid's Message

Following the children's message, our littlest disciples (preschoolers through 2nd grade) are invited to the playground for RiverKids. They will return to the sanctuary just before worship ends.

Announcements

- 5th Sunday Offering for Children's Home
- Special Offering for Haiti
- Parent Check-In on August 29th at 3pm

Prayer for One Another and the World

Offer Gifts to God

I Am Not Alone - Kari Jobe

Proclaim God's Word

Ephesians 6:10-20

"Into the Thick of It: Ready...Set..."

Rev. Emily Knight

Benediction and Sending

Child of Love - We the Kingdom

If you would like more information...

visit our website: www.riversideparkumc.com

or call the church office: (904) 355-5491



We offer masks for any who need them

We respect distancing

We sanitize at every entrance

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Special offering today to support victims of the recent earthquake in Haiti.
United Methodist Committee On Relief Advance #982450

Chancel Choir rehearsals resume August 25th!
The choir is open to all and loves new members.

Contact John Larsen for more information
j.larsen@riversideparkumc.com

5th Sunday Special Offering: August 29th

Florida United Methodist Children's Home



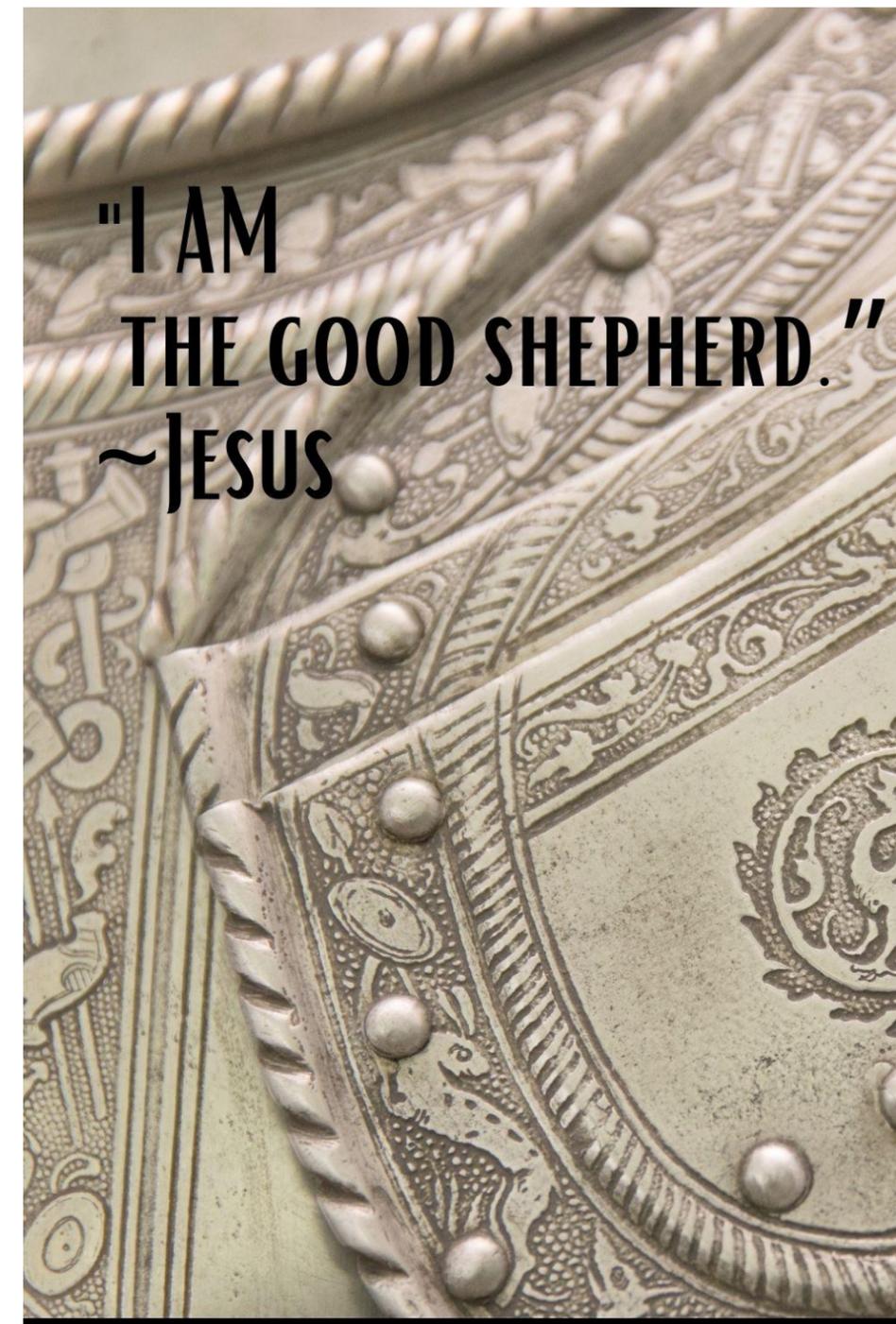
PARENT CHECK-IN:
SUNDAY, AUGUST 29TH @ 3PM
EMAIL [KIDS@RIVERSIDEPARKUMC.COM](mailto:kids@riversideparkumc.com)
FOR THE ZOOM LINK



COLLEGE AND YOUNG ADULT FALL BOOK READING

Mondays at 7:30 p.m.
Sept. 13 - Oct. 25
via Zoom

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