

Kingston Springs United Methodist Church

February 13, 2022

Greeting and Announcements Rev. Kelli Hamilton

Prelude Jesus, Lover of My Soul Stephan Dudash

Introit Come and Fill Our Hearts Choir

Call to Worship Vicki Sanders

Blessed are those who trust - in God!

We come in trust, to be grounded in God's love.

Blessed are those who hope - in God!

We come in hope, trusting in the One who gives us life.

Blessed are those who delight - in God's Word!

We come to hear God speak, hoping for healing and joy.

Hymn Only Trust Him UMH 337

Come, every soul by sin oppressed,
there's mercy with the Lord;
and he will surely give you rest,
by trusting in his Word.

Refrain:

Only trust him, only trust him,
only trust him now.

He will save you, he will save you,
he will save you now.

For Jesus shed his precious blood
rich blessings to bestow;
plunge now into the crimson flood
that washes bright as snow. (Refrain)

Yes, Jesus is the truth, the way
that leads you into rest;
believe in him without delay,
and you are fully blest. (Refrain)

Come then and join this holy band,
and on to glory go,
to dwell in that celestial land
where joys immortal flow. (Refrain)

Anthem Song of Hope Choir

Prayers of the People: Joys and Concerns
Leader: Lord, in your mercy, People: **Hear our prayers.**

Children's Message Rev. Kelli Hamilton

Scripture Reading Luke 6:17-26 Vicki Sanders

Sermon Pay Attention Rev. Kelli Hamilton

Offertory Prayer Vicki Sanders

Offertory Jesus, Lover of My Soul Choir

Doxology UMH 95

Prayer of Confession

Lord, we confess that we do not love you with our whole hearts and we do not love our neighbor as ourselves.

We seek the blessing of others

rather than the blessing of your grace.

We seek comfort in wealth

rather than a generosity which reflects Christ.

We live as rulers of our own kingdoms

rather than children in yours.

Have mercy on us. Humble us.

Make us hungry again for life with you. Amen.

Words of Assurance

Jesus says:

Blessed are you who are poor,
for yours is the Kingdom of God.

Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled.

Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh.

Blessed are you who know you're not enough,
for God's grace is
sufficient for you.

Your sins are forgiven.

Thanks be to God.

The Great Thanksgiving

UMH 15

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere...

and so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven,
we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ...

...as we proclaim the mystery of death:

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here...

...all honor and glory is yours, now and forever. Amen

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.

Prayer after Receiving

Hymn

How Firm a Foundation

UMH 529

How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord,
is laid for your faith in his excellent word!
What more can he say than to you he hath said,
to you who for refuge to Jesus have fled?

"Fear not, I am with thee, O be not dismayed,
for I am thy God and will still give thee aid;
I'll strengthen and help thee, and cause thee to stand
upheld by my righteous, omnipotent hand.

"When through the deep waters I call thee to go,
the rivers of woe shall not thee overflow;
for I will be with thee, thy troubles to bless,
and sanctify to thee thy deepest distress.

"When through fiery trials thy pathways shall lie,
my grace, all-sufficient, shall be thy supply;
the flame shall not hurt thee; I only design
thy dross to consume, and thy gold to refine.

"The soul that on Jesus still leans for repose,
I will not, I will not desert to its foes;
that soul, though all hell should endeavor to shake,
I'll never, no, never, no, never forsake."

Commission and Blessing

Rev. Kelli Hamilton

Benedictory Song

Day by day, day by day,
O dear Lord, three things I pray:
To see Thee more clearly,
Love Thee more dearly,
Follow Thee more nearly,
Day by day (repeat)
(End) Day by day—day by day by day by day.

Call to Worship written by Thom Shuman
as posted on Lectionary Liturgies.
Offering Prayer written by Rev. Kelli Hamilton. Prayer of
Confession, and Words of Assurance written by Jacob Traeger.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING - TUESDAY, FEB. 15, 6:30p

SAFE SANCTUARY TRAINING - SUNDAY, FEB. 20

Following the morning worship service, we will have training in our Safe Sanctuary Policy for all volunteers who serve with children and youth in our church ministries.

CALEB EARP & LAUREN HOLLOHAN BABY SHOWER - FEB. 27

Join us in showering Caleb and Lauren as they prepare for the arrival of their baby boy. We'll gather in the Fellowship Hall after the worship service. They are registered at Target and Amazon.

MONTHLY GIVING

Through January, it takes \$14,286 to run the church and its programs.
Through January, the church has received \$17,239 from all sources.