



Connecting People • Igniting Hearts • Transforming Lives

Crossroads UMC Online Worship Order for 08-09-2020

Prelude

"People Need the Lord" FWS #2244

Words of Welcome

Morning Prayer

Heavenly Father, we live in a broken world, filled with fear, hatred, greed, illness, death and injustice. We do not know where to turn or how to survive.

O God, in mystery and silence you are present in our lives, bringing new life out of destruction, hope out of despair, growth out of difficulty, healing out of brokenness.

We thank you that you do not leave us alone but labor to make us whole. Help us to perceive your unseen hand in the unfolding of our lives and in the world around us. Let us daily attend to the gentle guidance of your Spirit, that we may know you, and the love and joy you give your people. Amen.

Song

"You Are Mine" FWS #2218 v 1,2,4

Reading from the New Testament

Romans 10:5-15 (NIV)

Moses writes this about the righteousness that is by the law: "The person who does these things will live by them." But the righteousness that is by faith says: "Do not say in your heart, 'Who will ascend into heaven?'" (that is, to bring Christ down)"or 'Who will descend into the deep?'" (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead). But what does it say? "The word is near you; it is in your mouth and in your heart," that is, the message concerning faith that we proclaim: If you declare with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your faith and are saved. As Scripture says, "Anyone who believes in him will never be put to shame." For there is no difference between Jew and Gentile—the same Lord is Lord of all and richly blesses all who call on him, for, "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved." How, then can they call on the one they have not believed? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them? And how can they preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news."

Sermon Series

Broken–Good News for Tough Times: "End of the Law" Guest Speaker

Prayer for Salvation

Dear God, I come to you in prayer, broken and suffering, asking for the forgiveness of my sins. I confess with my mouth and believe with my heart that Jesus is your Son; that he died on the Cross to wash away my sins; and rose from the dead so that I may have Eternal Life with you in heaven. I ask you right now to come in to my life and be my personal Lord and Savior. I thank you for your free gift of salvation. Heal my brokenness and fill me with your Holy Spirit and love. I praise you and will worship you all the days of my Life! In Jesus Name. Amen.

Song

"Since Jesus Came Into My Heart" FWS #2140 vs. 1 & 5

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, which 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 them that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, For ever and ever. Amen.

Announcements

Blessing

Upcoming Events:

Wed, Aug 12 – 6:30pm - Pastor Scott's Virtual Fellowship & Devotion

Sat, Aug 13 – 9-11am - Contactless School Supply Collection in church parking lot. Watch for list of most needed supplies coming soon! Monetary donations accepted.

Sun, Aug 16 – 9:30am - Worship online. Broken series on "God is In Control"

