



SONGS
THAT CHANGED
THE WORLD

CHRIST

United Methodist Church

Being and Making Disciples Of Jesus Christ

Sunday, May 1, 2022

400 Penman Road, Neptune Beach, FL 32266

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Order of Worship

** Please rise in body or spirit*

CHIMES

PRELUDE

WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*** CALL TO WORSHIP**

*** OPENING HYMN** "All Creatures of Our God and King" #62

*** PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

*** ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

*** PASSING THE PEACE**

*** HYMN FOR ILLUMINATION** "Spirit of the Living God" #393

SCRIPTURE READING Revelation 5:11-14 (NIV)

SERMON "I Can Only Imagine" Rev. Dr. Nelson Cowan

PASTORAL PRAYER

OFFERING

MESSAGE IN THE MUSIC "I Can Only Imagine" MercyMe
Soloist, Beth Gustafson

*** DOXOLOGY #95**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

*** GIVING OF THE BREAD AND CUP**

*** CLOSING HYMN** "I Stand Amazed in Your Presence" Hymn #371

*** BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE "Majesty" by Carol Tornquist (Lindita Kosova)

Announcements

We have adjusted our masking policy for all in-person events at church—

Due to the decreasing number of COVID cases and hospitalizations we will be moving to a “mask optional” policy until further notice.

Children—While children of all ages are always welcome in our worship service, we offer childcare for infants through age 3. Upon exiting the main sanctuary doors, the nursery is the first room on the right.

Songs that Changed the World—Today, we kick off a new worship series titled, “Songs that Changed the World.” Thank you to everyone who shared their favorite songs in our recent online poll.

Vacation Bible School—VBS will be July 11-15! We are still in need of several volunteers to make this wonderful event for the children in our community to happen. Please contact Hanna Thomas 904-612-7286 to volunteer.

Day Trippers—Join us for a trip to Kingsley Plantation. The trip will be on Friday, May 20. We will leave the church at 10:30am to catch the 11am ferry. Be at the church at 10:15am if you want to carpool. We will take the ferry across the St Johns River to the Sand Dollar restaurant for an early lunch then we will drive to the Kingsley Plantation, former home of Zephaniah Kingsley, a slave owner and planter. Admission is free. The ferry is approximately \$8 per car.

This Week at Christ UMC

Sunday, May 1

- 9:00am Heavenly Hash
- 10:15am Worship In Person & Online
- 10:30am Adventure Kids
- 6:00pm RampUp Worship

Monday, May 2

- 6:30 pm Bible Study
- 7:00pm Boy Scouts

Tuesday, May 3

- 3:00pm Feed the Hungry

Wednesday, May 4

- 10:00am UMW Meeting
- 10:00am Preschool Chapel
- 6:00pm Choir Practice
- 6:00pm Youth Group

Thursday, May 5

- 10:00am Christ Quilters
- 5:00pm Chess Club

Sunday, May 8

- 9:00am Heavenly Hash
- 10:15am Worship In Person & Online
- 10:30am Adventure Kids
- 6:00pm RampUp Worship

PRAYER NEEDS

—Our Church Family—

Jane Mezza | Christine Mezza | Sven Sloth
Fred and Carol Boyd | John Jenkins

—Our Family and Friends—

Marianne Diaz, friend of Kathy Scott | Wayne Vanduien, friend of Jim Morgan

—Homebound—

Mae Jones | Gayl Bechler | Eleanor Krouse | Mary Ann Belisario | Gary Kirkland | Marilyn Porterfield
Tanya Roche | Jackie Fairbairn | Nell Webster | Helen Rose | Roy & Claudia Dickson

—Our Pastor—

Rev. Dr. Nelson Cowan

—Our Partners—

Christ UMC Preschool | Mayport Coastal Sciences Middle School

—Our Monthly Mission Highlight—

DLC Nurse and Learn

—Our Community, Nation and World Leaders—

Medical Personnel | Police | Firefighters | First Responders | Military Members

—Our Family Members Serving our Nation—

Kurt Astroth—Navy | Charles Berry—Navy | Seth Buswell—Coast Guard
Brandon Goodner, son-in-law of the Pauza's—Army | Whitney Heer—Navy
Vincent LaGrasso, nephew of Fred & Carol Boyd—Navy
Jeff Ransom, son of Jim & Anne Ransom—Navy | Christopher Sherrill, son of Virginia Sherrill—USAR
Kelly Spencer, niece of Mike and Becky Chambers—Army
Michael Weaver, grandson of Nancy Russell—Navy

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