

June 12, 2022

Fueled by the Spirit

Life Lessons from the Journeys of Paul

GATHERING MUSIC

CALL TO WORSHIP...LUKE 10:1-2 (NRSV)

After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go.

He said to them, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.

OPENING HYMN #532 *Gather Us In*

TIME OF HONESTY

Leader: Almighty God,
you poured your Spirit upon gathered disciples
creating bold tongues, open ears,
and a new community of faith.

All: **We confess that we hold back the force of your Spirit among us.
We do not listen for your word of grace,
or speak the good news of your love,
or live as a people made one in Christ.**

Leader: Kyrie Eleison. Have mercy on us, O God.
Transform our timid lives by the power of your Spirit,
and fill us with a flaming desire to be your faithful people,
doing your will for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

SONG OF RESPONSE *Kyrie Eleison*

(You are invited to the Baptismal font to touch the waters of
God's presence of love and grace.)

PRAYER OF THE DAY

WELCOME/LIFE IN COMMUNITY

June 19 - Father's Day - Bibles for Haiti

June 21 at 7pm - LIRS Prayer Vigil <https://www.lirs.org/speakup>

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SCRIPTURE READING... ACTS 13-14 (NRSV)

Leader: Now in the church at Antioch there were prophets and teachers: Barnabas, Simeon who was called Niger, Lucius of Cyrene, Manaen a member of the court of Herod the ruler, and Saul. While they were worshipping the Lord and fasting, the Holy Spirit said, 'Set apart for me Barnabas and Saul for the work to which I have called them.' Then after fasting and praying they laid their hands on them and sent them off.

So, being sent out by the Holy Spirit, they went down to Seleucia; and from there they sailed to Cyprus. When they arrived at Salamis, they proclaimed the word of God in the synagogues of the Jews. And they had John also to assist them. When they had gone through the whole island as far as Paphos, they met a certain magician, a Jewish false prophet, named Bar-Jesus.

Pastor: The next sabbath almost the whole city gathered to hear the word of the Lord. But when the Jews saw the crowds, they were filled with jealousy; and blaspheming, they contradicted what was spoken by Paul. Then both Paul and Barnabas spoke out boldly, saying, 'It was necessary that the word of God should be spoken first to you. Since you reject it and judge yourselves to be unworthy of eternal life, we are now turning to the Gentiles. For so the Lord has commanded us, saying,

"I have set you to be a light for
the Gentiles,
so that you may bring salvation to the
ends of the earth." '

When the Gentiles heard this, they were glad and praised the word of the Lord; and as many as had been destined for eternal life became believers. Thus the word of the Lord spread throughout the region. But the Jews incited the devout women of high standing and the leading men of the city, and stirred up persecution against Paul and Barnabas, and drove them out of their region. So they shook the dust off their feet in protest against them, and went to Iconium. And the disciples were filled with joy and with the Holy Spirit.

Leader: The same thing occurred in Iconium, where Paul and Barnabas went into the Jewish synagogue and spoke in such a way that a great number of both Jews and Greeks became believers. But the unbelieving Jews stirred up the Gentiles and poisoned their minds against the brothers. So they remained for a long time, speaking boldly for the Lord, who testified to the word of his grace by granting signs and wonders to be done through them. But the residents of the city were divided; some sided with the Jews, and some with the apostles. And when an attempt was made by both Gentiles and Jews, with their rulers, to maltreat them and to stone them, the apostles learned of

it and fled to Lystra and Derbe, cities of Lycaonia, and to the surrounding country;

Pastor: Then they passed through Pisidia and came to Pamphylia. When they had spoken the word in Perga, they went down to Attalia. From there they sailed back to Antioch, where they had been commended to the grace of God for the work that they had completed.

SONG OF RESPONSE *Holy Spirit Rain Down*

MESSAGE Pr. Tom Grevlos

MESSAGE SONG #705 vss 1, 3 & 4 ***God of Grace and God of Glory***

NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THANK OFFERING

- To make a gift online to the mission and ministry of Shepherd of the Hills, use this link: shephills.org/give.
- By mail, send to 3525 Bee Caves Rd, Austin, TX 78746
- Scan the QR Code with your camera phone to give now.



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OFFERING SONG

GIVE THANKS

PRAYER OF THANKS

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

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;
lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power,
and the glory, forever and ever.
Amen.

COMMUNION INVITATION

*As we celebrate this sacrament, all are invited to receive the Risen
presence of Jesus.*

*God is really present—in bread and wine—forgiving sins and
promising new life.*

*Bread/wafer— “The body of Christ given for you”;
Wine— “The blood of Christ shed for you.”*

COMMUNION MUSIC *Lead Me, Guide Me*

COMMUNION BLESSING & PRAYER

BENEDICTION

COMMISSIONING SONG

#798 vss 1-2, 4-5 ***Will You Come and Follow Me***

COMMISSIONING

Leader: Empowered by the Holy Spirit, let us go out into the
mission field of this time and place to love and serve the
Lord...

All: Thanks be to God...and We Will!

POSTLUDE *Now Thank We All Our God* Karg-Elert

PRAYERS

We pray for Sandy Nielsen, Rodney Varner, Tom Lueders,
Walter and Stacia DeBill, and Janice Pinckard.

We pray for family and friends of Shepherd members:
Stirling Johnson, granddaughter of Sylvia & Curtis Johnson.

We pray for peace and comfort for Doe Smith and family upon the death of her husband, Jamie Smith. We entrust Jamie to God's unending love. May the light of Christ shine upon Doe and her family as they trust in the resurrection promise. (Doe is a longtime and beloved teacher at Butterfly Preschool.)

We give thanks for the life and witness of Tom Smith, who now rests with you in eternal peace. Give comfort to all who mourn, especially Kathie and children Heather, Nathan, and Holly. Help us all to trust in your promise of resurrection in Jesus Christ.

We pray for the victims of the shooting at Robb Elementary School in Uvalde--the 19 children and 2 teachers whose innocent lives were taken in violence. We pray for their families who grieve. We pray for the survivors who witnessed such horror. We pray that you will bring comfort to all who mourn. We pray for our state and national leaders to effect solutions to this tragic pattern. We pray for ourselves, that we may not grow numb to news of violence but rather work to end it and its causes.

We pray for the people of Ukraine and all who find themselves in the midst of war, gripped by fear and uncertainty. Send your peace.

We pray for our global ministry partners: Rev. Karen Castillo in Guatemala; Iglesia Luterana Augustina Virgen del Rosario, Aurora 8 de Octubre, Guatemala. We pray for Malcolm and Joy Henderson and the ministry of CHARIS in Haiti.

We pray for our local ministries: Mariposa Family Learning Center, Bread For All and Upbring Ministries.

We pray for our faith community, that we may be a church without walls and live out loud...faithfully!

**Prayers for family and friends are listed for 2 weeks, unless we are notified otherwise.*

WORSHIP TEAM

Pastors Pr. Tom Grevlos, Pr. Lauren Dow Wegner

Director of Worship/Arts Kevin McClure

Altar Care (8:15) Elnora and Ken McDonald;
(10:45) Carmen Adams-Schulz

Assisting Minister (8:15) Larry Wikelius; (10:45) Steve Schulz

AV Bill Dawson, Jamie Nichols, and Peter Forsberg

Food For Fellowship Judy and Bob Haugen

Hosts (10:45) The Robertson Family and Virginia Bosman

Admin Ministry Coordinator Amanda Forsberg

Campus Operations Dave Wegner

Creative Media Dabney Gomes

Director of Youth Ministry Joel Timmons

Executive Director Bill Dawson

Finance Controller Kevin Marlow

HAVE A BLESSED WEEK!

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