

**WELCOME**

**Pastor Michael**

Lord Jesus, as you meet with us in worship, continue to fill us the awareness of your Spirit's presence, that in our thoughts, feelings, words, and actions, grant that we will always reflect your light in the places we live, the people we see, and the love that we show.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Mary Frances**

**CALL TO WORSHIP:**

**Stephen**

**"When the storms of life are raging, stand by me." Lord, hear my cry and rescue me!**

**"When the world is tossing me like a ship upon the sea." God who rules wind and water, stand by me. God stands with you in bright sunshine and deepest storm. God gently guides us to safety and peace. Thanks be to God. AMEN**

**OPENING PRAYER:**

**Pastor Michael**

**SCRIPTURE READING: *Romans 5:6a, 8b-15***

**Stephen**

*(Please read the following passage as written on the page)*

The righteousness based on faith says, "The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart" (that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); because, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved. For the Scripture says, "Everyone who believes in him will not be put to shame." For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; for the same Lord is Lord of all, bestowing his riches on all who call on him. For "everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved." How then will they call on him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching? And how are they to preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!"

**SPECIAL MUSIC:**

**"My Faith Looks Up to Thee"**

**Kristin Hammond**

**UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION:**

**Stephen**

**We have strayed, O God, from your will and your way.**

**We have turned on our family and friends for our own ends, we have taken advantage of others to suit our purposes;**

**we have skirted the truth to cover our tracks; we have**

**turn our eyes from you when it is convenient; we have**

**not loved one another as you loved us. Heal us, O God, and**

**we will be healed. Save us Lord Jesus, and we shall be saved.**

**Amen.**

**SILENT PRAYER**

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

**Stephen**

Here is proof that God's faithfulness never ends: that while we were yet sinners, God sent God's Son, Jesus Christ, to shed his blood for our sins, that we might not be cast down, but rise with Christ Jesus to everlasting life.

**GOSPEL LESSON**

**Matthew 14: 22-33**

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**SERMON:**

**"Nothing Is Impossible with God"**

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**JOYS AND CONCERNS**

**Mary Frances**

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**Pastor Michael**

## **LORD'S PRAYER**

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*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,  
the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.*

## **BENEDICTION**

**Pastor Michael**

## **SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

*We will be offering services via ZOOM every Sunday @ 11:30 until we can meet in person again.*