# Anthem: *There is a Balm in Gilead* Text: Traditional Spiritual

There is a balm in Gilead

To make the wounded whole;

There is a balm in Gilead to heal the sin-sick soul.

Sometimes I feel discouraged And think my work's in vain, But then the Holy Spirit Revives my soul again.

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If you cannot preach like Peter, If you cannot pray like Paul, You can tell the love of Jesus, And say, "He died for all."

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## Offertory: *No Time*Text: Traditional Camp Meeting Song

Rise, oh, fathers rise;
Let's go meet 'em in the skies.
We will hear the angels singing in that morning.
Oh, I really do believe that,
Just before the end of time,
We will hear the angels singing in that morning.

Rise, oh, mothers rise; Let's go meet 'em in the skies.

We will hear the angels singing in that morning. Oh, I really do believe that just before the end of time,

We will hear the angels singing in that morning.

No time to tarry here,
No time to wait for you.
No time to tarry here,
For I'm on my journey home.
No time to tarry here,
No time to wait for you.
No time to tarry here,
For I'm on my journey home.

Brothers, oh, fare ye well, brothers, oh fare ye well. Brothers, oh, fare ye well, for I'm on my journey home.

Sisters, oh, fare ye well, sisters, oh fare ye well. Sisters, oh, fare ye well, for I'm on my journey home.

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#### Our Covenant

As followers of Jesus Christ,
we commit ourselves to share in the worship and service of God,
to grow in the knowledge and expression of our faith,
to reach out with compassion to those in need,
to treat each other with love and understanding,
and to return to God a portion of God's gifts.

## SUNDAY WORSHIP IN THE NAVE Memorial Day Sunday May 29, 2022 ~ 10:00 am

Please silence your cell phones.
Please join us for Coffee Fellowship in the Lounge following the service.

WELCOME Dr. Mark L. Vincent

**GREETING OF PEACE** 

THE PRELUDE Going Home African American Spiritual Rhonda Kwiecien, Keyboard Musician Arr. by Joseph M. Martin

Going home, going home, I'm just going home.
Quiet-like, slip away,
I'll be going home.
It's not far, just close by:
Jesus is the Door.

Work all done, laid aside, Fear and grief no more. Friends are there, waiting now. He is waiting, too. See His smile! See His hand! He will lead me through.

THE CALL TO WORSHIP (read responsively)

Cindy Walsh

Leader: For you, O Lord, are most high over all the earth.

People: He guards the lives of His faithful. He rescues them from the hand of the

wicked.

Leader: Light dawns for the righteous and joy for the upright in heart.

People: Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous, and give thanks to His Holy name.

From Psalm 97

\*HYMN 265 Lord of All Hopefulness SLANE

#### \*THE PRAYER OF INVOCATION (unison)

O God, our Creator and loving Father, Your eye regards even the sparrow. You care for this world which You have made with compassion and with tenderness. Through Your loving Spirit, You seek to redeem Your lost creation and make it whole again. As You sent your Son, Jesus Christ, to be a servant, to bind up our brokenness and to heal our wounded spirits, grant that we might be receptive to His healing touch through Your Holy Spirit and be set free to love. We pray in Jesus' name as He taught us...

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

### \*THE GLORIA PATRI (Hymn 558)

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

> There is no Sunday School and PF today. Activity bags for younger children are available in the Narthex.

THE LESSON John 17:20-26 Cindy Walsh

ANTHEM There is a Balm in Gilead Arr. by Howard Helvey

Katelyn Peterson directs the FCC Choir

THE MESSAGE "Ups and Downs, but Always Up" Dr. Vincent

THE CALL TO PRAYER and TIME FOR SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER AND CHORAL RESPONSE

OFFERTORY No Time Arr. by Susan Brumfield

\*THE DOXOLOGY (Hymn 563)

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

\*HYMN 227 Breathe on Me, Breath of God

\*THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

THE POSTLUDE Recessional on Ein feste Burg

by Franklin D. Ashdown

**TRENTHAM** 

A nursery for infants and toddlers is available during the service.

The Chancel flowers are given by Cindy Walsh and Marianne King in memory of those who lost their lives serving their country.

## **Caring Corner**

As of May 26, 2022

In Our Prayers

Jim Benz is at the Lutheran Home for rehabilitation.

Born to Eternal Life
Ellen Devlin passed away May 16, 2022. Services are pending.

Sunday Worship Service Preview Children, Youth & Education ~ June 5, 2022

Tonia Wallner, Sermon Roxanne Trump-Miles, Junior Choir Director Rhonda Kwiecien, Keyboard Musician

<sup>\*</sup>Indicates where the congregation is asked to stand, if able.