



**Worship Bulletin**  
**10 am and 5 pm**  
**February 5, 2023**

## **HERNDON UMC NEWS**

UPWARD NEEDS YOU ON SATURDAYS – Sign up to referee, run the scoreboard, or the concession stand. Get to know families in our community and support this wonderful program. The next date is 2/4. Sign up in the app (Serve >> Sign up here!), at [bit.ly/HerndonUMCNeeds](https://bit.ly/HerndonUMCNeeds), or on the clipboard in the Welcome Center.

HELP NEEDED AT THE CLOSET 2/18 – Sign up at [bit.ly/HerndonUMCNeeds](https://bit.ly/HerndonUMCNeeds) (Scroll through to see the opportunities) or contact Bill Arey for more information at [thecloset@herndonumc.org](mailto:thecloset@herndonumc.org)

MEN'S RETREAT – The annual men's retreat is scheduled for 3/3-4 at the Claggett Center in Adamstown MD. Contact [mensevents@herndonumc.org](mailto:mensevents@herndonumc.org) for more information.

ASH WEDNESDAY 2/22 – There will be a Fellowship dinner at 6 pm followed by the Ash Wednesday worship service in Doe Fellowship Hall. Save the date!

IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO SIGN UP TO TRAVEL TO THE HOLY LAND – Join Pastor Jonathan in touring the Holy Land, 4/18-27. Discover some of the most well-known Biblical sites such as the Sea of Galilee, Nazareth, Capernaum, Jericho, Jerusalem, and much more! Contact [jonathan@herndonumc.org](mailto:jonathan@herndonumc.org) to learn more.

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PRESCHOOL ENROLLMENT OPEN NOW – Herndon UMC Preschool enrollment at [herndonumcpreschool.com](https://herndonumcpreschool.com). Register by 1/31. Herndon UMC families get priority in enrollment.

LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE – Looking forward to the first session on Wednesday, 2/8, at 7pm. The group will discuss the 9 Ways We Connect with God. If you are interested in joining please sign up in the app or email [office@herndonumc.org](mailto:office@herndonumc.org).

GROUP INFORMATION – Learn more about all the groups at Herndon UMC in the app (Connect >> All Open Groups >> View the list.) or at [https://bit.ly/Herndon\\_Groups](https://bit.ly/Herndon_Groups). You can browse, filter, or search the list. Need help? Talk to a staff member.

More at [herndonumc.org/news](https://herndonumc.org/news).

## **Worship—10 AM**

**Gathering Music** | *Prelude Op. 29.* | G. Pierné | played by Luis Gonzalez

**Welcome** | JoAnn Batteiger

**Opening Reflection** Adapted from Ministry Matters | JoAnn Batteiger

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**All: But Jonah refused until God called a second time.**

God is persistent. God believes in those whom God has called.

**All: Lord, give us the courage to follow you all of our lives. Amen.**

**Opening Song** | *Great is Thy Faithfulness* | UMH 140

[Verse 1]

Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father,  
there is no shadow of turning with thee.

Thou changest not, thy compassions, they fail not;  
as thou hast been, thou forever wilt be.

[Refrain]

Great is thy faithfulness!

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Morning by morning new mercies I see;  
all I have needed thy hand hath provided.

Great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

[Verse 2]

Summer and winter and springtime and harvest,  
sun, moon, and stars in their courses above  
join with all nature in manifold witness  
to thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love.

[Refrain]

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[Verse 3]

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,  
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strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,  
blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!

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### **Opening Prayer** | Rev. Scott Bach-Hansen

Gracious Lord, the love that gives love,  
You are higher than the highest star;  
You are deeper than the deepest sea;  
You cherish us as your own family;  
You embrace us as your own child;  
You rule over us as your own subjects;  
You welcome us as your dearest friend.  
Let all the world worship you on this day. Amen.

### **Passing of the Peace** | Rev. Scott Bach-Hansen

**Traveling Music** | Tune of *Jesus Loves Me*

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But God still watched him day by day.  
Jonah prayed inside a whale.  
And God's forgiveness never failed.  
God will forgive us.  
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The Bible tells us so.

**Children's Message** | Mallory Hopper

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**Scripture** | Jonah 1:1-17 | Ruth Page

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headed for Tarshish. He paid the fare and went on board, joining those going to Tarshish—as far away from God as he could get.

But God sent a huge storm at sea, the waves towering.

The ship was about to break into pieces. The sailors were terrified. They called out in desperation to their gods. They threw everything they were carrying overboard to lighten the ship. Meanwhile, Jonah had gone down into the hold of the ship to take a nap. He was sound asleep. The captain came to him and said, “What’s this? Sleeping! Get up! Pray to your god! Maybe your god will see we’re in trouble and rescue us.”

Then the sailors said to one another, “Let’s get to the bottom of this. Let’s draw straws to identify the culprit on this ship who’s responsible for this disaster.”

So they drew straws. Jonah got the short straw.

Then they grilled him: “Confess. Why this disaster? What is your work? Where do you come from? What country? What family?”

He told them, “I’m a Hebrew. I worship God, the God of heaven who made sea and land.”

At that, the men were frightened, really frightened, and said, “What on earth have you done!” As Jonah talked, the sailors realized that he was running away from God.

They said to him, “What are we going to do with you—to get rid of this storm?” By this time the sea was wild, totally out of control.

Jonah said, "Throw me overboard, into the sea. Then the storm will stop. It's all my fault. I'm the cause of the storm. Get rid of me and you'll get rid of the storm."

But no. The men tried rowing back to shore. They made no headway. The storm only got worse and worse, wild and raging.

Then they prayed to God, "O God! Don't let us drown because of this man's life, and don't blame us for his death. You are God. Do what you think is best."

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The sailors were impressed, no longer terrified by the sea, but in awe of God. They worshiped God, offered a sacrifice, and made vows.

Then God assigned a huge fish to swallow Jonah. Jonah was in the fish's belly three days and nights.

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**All: Thanks be to God!**

**Message** | Rev. Jonathan Page

**Invitation to Giving** | JoAnn Batteiger

**Choir Anthem** | *Even Here* | by Mark A. Miller | Wesley Choir, Carrie Thompson (Soloist)

**Doxology** | UMH #95

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.  
Amen.

**Offertory Prayer** | Rev. Scott Bach-Hansen

**Communion** | Rev. Jonathan Page, Rev. Scott Bach-Hansen

**Musical Reflection** | *We Will Run* | Lisa Gungor

Create in me a clean heart, a clean heart  
For I have turned my face from You  
Save us from our ways oh God, oh God  
For we have turned away from You  
Lord have mercy

We will run to you, we will run to you  
Turning from our sin we return to You  
Father heal your world, make all things new  
Make all things new

Your love and mercy build and shape us  
Break down and recreate us now  
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**Post Communion Prayer | The Lord's Prayer | Rev. Jonathan Page**

**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. Amen.**

**Closing Song | *The Summons* | FWS 2130**

Will you come and follow me  
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And never be the same?  
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Will you use the faith you've found  
To reshape the world around,  
Through my sight and touch and sound  
In you and you in me?

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In your company I'll go  
Where your love and footsteps show.  
Thus I'll move and live and grow  
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**Announcements** | JoAnn Batteiger

**Benediction** | Rev. Jonathan Page

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**Postlude | Leaving Music | *Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Son of God* | J.S. Bach** | played by Luis Gonzalez

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Melissa Chavez

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**Closing Hymn** | *The Summons* | FWS 2130 | Led by Elsie Blough and Melissa Chavez

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