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January 3, 2021 | Sunday Worship

PRELUDE

Worthy, You Are Worthy - Don Moen

OPENING HYMN (words on next page & on-screen) All Creatures of Our God and King – LASST UNS ERFREUEN

WELCOME AND OPPORTUNITIES

Dr. Steve Sumerel

MISSIONS MOMENT

Ms. Amy Kemp

MORNING PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

Dr. Sumerel

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, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

CENTERING HYMN (words on next page & on-screen)

Jesus Is All the World to Me – Will Thompson

SERMON TEXT

Job 1:1-3

SERMON We Are Job – Dr. Sumerel

PASTORAL BENEDICTION

CLOSING HYMN (words on next page & on-screen)

My Faith Has Found a Resting Place – Lidie Edmunds

POSTLUDE The Solid Rock – BENEDICTION

OPENING HYMN: All Creatures of Our God and King – LASST UNS ERFREUEN

All creatures of our God and King, lift up your voice and with us sing Alleluia, Alleluia! Thou burning sun with golden beam, Thou silver moon with softer gleam,

O praise Him! O praise Him! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

And all ye ones of tender heart, forgiving others, take your part, O sing ye! Alleluia! Ye who long pain and sorrow bear, Praise God and on Him cast your care,

CENTERING HYMN: Jesus Is All the World to Me – Will Thompson

Jesus is all the world to me, my life, my joy, my all; He is my strength from day to day, without Him I would fall: When I am sad, to Him I go; no other one can cheer me so; When I am sad, He makes me glad; He's my friend.

Jesus is all the world to me, my friend in trials sore; I go to Him for blessings, and He gives, them o'er and o'er; He sends the sunshine and the rain, he sends the harvest's golden grain; Sunshine and rain, harvest of grain; He's my friend.

CLOSING HYMN: My Faith Has Found a Resting Place – Lidie Edmunds

My faith has found a resting place, not in device nor creed; I trust the Everliving One, His wounds for me shall plead. I need no other argument, I need no other plea, It is enough that Jesus died, and that He died for me.

Enough for me that Jesus saves, this ends my fear and doubt; A sinful soul I come to Him, He'll never cast me out. I need no other argument, I need no other plea, It is enough that Jesus died, and that He died for me.

Remember in Prayer

CHURCH MEMBERS:

Joe Ellen Betty Duke Jackie Nutt Terry Kemp Betty Bridger Martha Flynn

Linda Pleasants Patricia Lynn Felicia Goodman Helen Prevette Rev. Carlisle Franks Jackie McDuffie

FRIENDS & FAMILY:

Jennifer LeMay (daughter of Jo Cresimore) Tom Keiningham (brother-in-law of Sue Johnson) Norma Campbell (friend of Phil & Ashlee Kirk) Lisa DeSchreiver (niece of Jane Edwards) Lynda Creech (mother of former member Paige Kay) Anne Allen (former church member) Ashley Lynn (niece of Patricia Lynn) Patsy Small (mother of Sue Johnson) Martha Marcom (cousin of Patricia Lynn) Whitney Fauntleroy (friend of Ashlee Kirk)

News & Announcements

Missions Committee Update:

- Our annual RRBC Missions Offering Pledge Campaign is being held January 1–March 31st this year.
- In order to distribute these funds to our mission partners in a timely manner, we ask that all pledges be paid by the end of March.
- Contact Bonnie & Amy, co-chairs of the Missions Committee, if you have questions.

Book Study:

- Held each Sunday morning on Zoom at 9:45 a.m.
- Current title: "Love Wins" by Rob Bell

Thanks, Dr. Steve Jolly! Welcome, Dr. Steve Sumerel!

Due to COVID-19 (and the weather!), we have been unable to hold an event to thank Dr. Steve Jolly for his service here at Ridge Road. We are working to schedule something in the near future, but in the meantime, you may contact the church office to pass along your gratitude.

Dr. Steve Sumerel returns to Ridge Road officially this Sunday as our Interim Pastor. We also thank him for helping lead worship during Advent. Dr. Sumerel's church email and phone are being set up as quickly as possible. If you'd like to contact him or schedule a Zoom visit, please let the church office know so that can be arranged.

On behalf of the entire RRBC family, we'd like to give a *special thank you* to **Mr. Kerry Johnson, Ms. Amy Kemp and Mrs. Teresa Wheeler** for the outstanding music during Advent and throughout the year. The Christmas Eve service was especially wonderful, and we appreciate your creativity and talent.

Ways to financially support Ridge Road

We invite you to visit the <u>Ways to Give</u> section of our website to view options to financially support our ministry. Secure online giving is available at <u>rrbch.com</u> through <u>EasyTithe</u>

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