



Good Morning!  
**Welcome to Mt. Olivet UCC!**  
June 13, 2021  
**Living Statements of Faith**

Bell Ringer -

Trent Rapp

Welcome -

Pastor Michael

Prelude –

Spencer Reed

Opening Prayer -

Pastor Michael

Opening Music – *Forever* by Chris Tomlin

Contemporary Team

Give thanks to the Lord, our God and King, His love endures forever  
For He is good, He is above all things, His love endures forever  
Sing praise...sing praise

(Chorus)

Forever God is faithful...Forever God is strong  
Forever God is with us...Forever and Ever – Forever

With a mighty hand, and outstretched arm, His love endures forever  
For the life that's been reborn, His love endures forever  
Sing praise...sing praise

(Chorus)

From the rising to the setting sun, His love endures forever  
By the grace of God, we'll carry on, His love endures forever  
Sing praise...sing praise

(Chorus)

His love endures forever (x 3)

Call to Worship – *Psalms 103:1-2*

Bless the LORD, O my soul;  
**And all that is within me, *bless* His holy name!**  
<sup>2</sup> Bless the LORD, O my soul,  
**And forget not all His benefits:**

(Chorus)

Bless the Lord O my soul, O my soul Worship His holy name  
Sing like never before, O my soul I'll worship Your holy name

The sun comes up it's a new day dawning its time to sing your song again  
Whatever my pass and whatever lies before me....  
let me be singing when the evening comes

(Chorus)

You're rich in love and you're slow to anger Your name is great and heart is kind  
For all your goodness I will keep on singing...  
10,000 reasons for my heart to find

(Chorus)

And on the day when my strength is failing the end draws near and my time has  
Come still my soul will sing your praises....  
10,000 years and then forevermore forever more

(Chorus x 2) I'll worship Your holy name....I'll worship Your holy name

**Mt. Olivet Birthdays – June 13<sup>th</sup> – June 19<sup>th</sup>**

**Liturgist, Phill Dispenza**

**Scripture Lesson – Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-9, 11 & 13**

**This is the Word of God. Thanks be to God.**

**Hymn – *Blessed Assurance* by Fanny Crosby (1873)**

**Spencer Reed**

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine! O what a foretaste of glory divine!  
Heir of salvation, purchase of God, born of the Spirit, washed in Christ's blood.

(Chorus)

This is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long (repeat)

Perfect submission, perfect delight! Visions of rapture now burst on my sight;  
Angels descending, bring from above echoes of mercy, whispers of love

(Chorus)

Perfect submission, all is at rest, I in my Savior am happy and blessed;  
Watching and waiting, looking above, filled with God's goodness, lost in Christ's love.

(Chorus)

## Prayer Time – Pastoral, Silent & 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 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.

Kid's Time -

Pastor Michael

Sermon – Genesis 12-21

*Living Statements of Faith*

Pastor Michael



The confirmands are in the process of writing their statements of faith.

### **What would your statement of faith look like?**

Through the pages of the Bible,  
statements of faith come alive in those who are living examples of serving,  
obeying a loving God that is endlessly, tirelessly faithful.

### **UCC Statement of Faith**

We believe in God, the Eternal Spirit, who is made known to us in Jesus our brother,  
and to whose deeds we testify:

God calls the worlds into being, creates humankind in the divine image,  
and sets before us the ways of life and death.

God seeks in holy love to save all people from aimlessness and sin.

God judges all humanity and all nations by that will of righteousness declared through prophets and apostles.

In Jesus Christ, the man of Nazareth, our crucified and risen Lord, God has come to us and shared our common lot, conquering sin and death and reconciling the whole creation to its Creator.

God bestows upon us the Holy Spirit, creating and renewing the church of Jesus Christ,  
binding in covenant faithful people of all ages, tongues, and races.

God calls us into the church to accept the cost and joy of discipleship, to be servants in the service of the whole human family, to proclaim the gospel to all the world and resist the powers of evil, to share in Christ's baptism and eat at his table, to join him in his passion and victory.

God promises to all who trust in the gospel forgiveness of sins and fullness of grace, courage in the struggle for justice and peace, the presence of the Holy Spirit in trial and rejoicing, and eternal life in that kingdom which has no end. Blessing and honor, glory and power be unto God.

Amen

Walking around these walls, I thought by now they'd fall, But, You have never failed me yet  
Waiting for change to come, Knowing the battle's won, For You have never failed me yet

(Chorus)

Your promise still stands, Great is Your faithfulness, faithfulness  
I'm still in Your hands, This is my confidence, You've never failed me yet

I know the night won't last, Your word will come to pass, My heart will sing Your praise again  
Jesus, You're still enough, Keep me within Your love, oh, My heart will sing Your praise again  
Oh, yes, it will

(Chorus)

I've seen You move, You move the mountains, And I believe I'll see You do it again  
You made a way, where there was no way, And I believe I'll see You do it again

(Chorus)



## Church Prayer List

**Thank You to Our Health Workers** – Becky Bierdeman, Rachel Bradley, Janine Brown, Cynthia Cash, Frank Dispenza, Judy Gifford, Pam Gregory, Kyle Guterba, Kelly King, Steve Lippert, Jared Miller, Jodi Stratton, Gary Williams, Andrew Yocum, Kris Yocum

**Prayer Concerns & Praises** – Rich Brintzenhofe, Brysen Brown, Viola Davis, Sean Drummond's ministry at ACH, Tom Eisenbraun, Nicole Harker, Peg Harker, Shirley Jindra, Brynn Peters, Harriet Reed, Cynthia Walker, Duke Wheeler, Bob Zwinger

**Shut-Ins or Assisted Living** – Rosemarie Baun, Helen Brown, Marge Campman, Sally Crumbacher, Shirley Gerthung, Jack & Maggie Hughes, Edith Kellner, Leonard Pirl, Dale Sr. & Alyce Sheely, Twila Telego, Bob & Jean Watson

**Cancer Patients** – Gary Allen, Jim Allen, Donna Barnett, Larry Dickson, Barb Feaster, Patricia Hrinko, Kay May, Stephanie Pavlich, Connie Sarti, Debbie Stevenson, Chelsey Taylor

**Military, Law Enforcement, Foreign & Christian Missionary Service** – David Butcher, Lauren Bradley (FS) Destree Combs, Tom Edwards, Dustin Elliott (ZPD), Marissa Elliott, Sharon F. (CMS), Eric Humer, Craig Miller, Donovan Shimer, Tristian Sullivan, William Sullivan, Nathan Whan

## **Events & Reminders**

**Movers & Seekers** adult Sunday School class will be held in the Chapel at **9:15am.**

The **June** issue of the ***Voice Magnified*** newsletter is available!

~ News for the July issue is due **June 20th!!!** ~

**Sunday, June 13<sup>th</sup>** – **Confirmation Class** meeting will be held after church

**Monday, June 14<sup>th</sup>** – 10am **Al-Anon** meetings will begin again in the Chapel.

**Tuesday, June 15<sup>th</sup>** – 6:30pm **Boy Scout** meeting in NFH

**Saturday, June 19<sup>th</sup>** – 7pm **AA Meeting** in NFH

**Sunday, June 20<sup>th</sup>** – Celebrating **Father's Day** with a gift for all adult males

**Wednesday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>** - **3Cs Food Distribution** at the Old School Marketplace 3:30pm-5pm

**Saturday, June 26<sup>th</sup>** – 9am **Grief Group** meeting in the Chapel

5pm-10pm – Guterba Celebration of Life @ Guterba Farm

**June 6, 2021 ~ Attendance: 60      Offering: \$1,305.00**

**Thank you for your support of Mt. Olivet UCC!**

**Have a blessed week!**