

THIRD SUNDAY of PENTECOST
Bethlehem United Methodist Church

Mission: "To give of ourselves so others may know Jesus Christ"

June 19, 2022 8:00 & 10:30 AM

Prelude "Trust in Jesus" Keeney

Gathering Song "Fill My Cup, Lord"
(From "The Faith We Sing" #3093)

Welcome (All are asked to complete the connection card. Leave it at your seat. Thank you
Carol Burkindine, Pastoral Assistant

Call to Worship (congregation reads bold print) Psalm 146

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord, O my soul!

I will praise the Lord as long as I live; I will sing praises to my God all my life long.

Do not put your trust in princes, in mortals, in whom there is no help.

When their breath departs, they return to earth; on that very day their plans perish.

ALL: Happy are those whose hope is in the Lord their God.

***Hymn** "Hail to the Lord's Anointed" No. 203

***Invocation** (in unison)

Walt Reamer, Worship Leader

For our fathers, who have given us life and love, that we may show them respect and love, we pray to the Lord ...

For fathers, who have lost loved ones through death, that their faith may give them hope, and for their family and friends, support and console them, we pray to the Lord.

God our Father, in your wisdom and love, you made all things. Bless these men, that they may have been strengthened as Christian fathers.

Let the example of their faith in love shine fourth. Grant that we, their sons and daughters, may honor them always with a spirit of profound respect. Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Children's Time (10:30)

Prayer Focus on Pastoral Transition

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Hymn "Through it All" No. 507

Sermon "Three Questions: Why Faith; Stories, Heroes?"
Stephany Sechrist, Pastor

Scripture Lesson 1 Kings 19:1-3, 13-15a

***Hymn** "God Will Take Care of You" No. 130

***Benediction**

Postlude