

First United Methodist Church

March 22, 2020

9:00 a.m.

Welcome, Visitors and Friends

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER

YES I WILL BY VERTICAL WORSHIP

[Verse]

I count on one thing
The same God that never fails
Will not fail me now
You won't fail me now
In the waiting
The same God who's never late
Is working all things out
You're working all things out

[Chorus]

Yes I will, lift You high in the lowest valley
Yes I will, bless Your name
Oh, yes I will, sing for joy
when my heart is heavy
All my days, oh, yes I will

[Verse]

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[Bridge]

And I choose to praise
To glorify, glorify
The Name of all names
That nothing can stand against
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SERMON

Genesis 50:15-21

Ben Crismon

15) Realizing that their father was dead, Joseph's brothers said, "What if Joseph still bears a grudge against us and pays us back in full for all the wrong that we did to him?" 16) So they approached Joseph, saying, "Your father gave this instruction before he died, 17) 'Say to Joseph: I beg you, forgive the crime of your brothers and the wrong they did in harming you.'

Now therefore please forgive the crime of the servants of the God of your father.' Joseph wept when they spoke to him. 18) Then his brothers also wept, fell down before him, and said, "We are here as your slaves." 19) But Joseph said to them, "Do not be afraid! Am I in the place of God? 20) Even though you intended to do harm to me, God intended it for good, in order to preserve a numerous people, as he is doing today. 21) So have no fear; I myself will provide for you and your little ones." In this way he reassured them, speaking kindly to them.

OFFERTORY

BRAVE BY BETHEL (CHORUS ONLY)

As Your love, in wave after wave
Crashes over me, crashes over me
For You are for us
You are not against us
Champion of Heaven
You made a way for all to enter in As Your love, in wave after wave
Crashes over me, crashes over me
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CLOSING