

# First United Methodist Church

March 22, 2020

11:00 a.m.

*Welcome, Visitors and Friends*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

## INVOCATION

## HOW GREAT THOU ART

1) O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder,  
Consider all the worlds Thy hands have made,  
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,  
Thy power throughout the universe displayed:

2) When through the woods and forest glades I wander  
and hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;  
when I look down from lofty mountain grandeur and hear the brook, and feel  
the gentle breeze;

3) And when I think that God, His Son not sparing,  
Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in;  
That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing,  
He bled and died to take away my sin.

4) When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation,  
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!  
Then I shall bow in humble adoration  
And there proclaim, my God, how great Thou art!

(Chorus)

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee:  
How great Thou art, how great Thou art!  
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## PRAYER

## SPECIAL MUSIC

**Great is Thy Faithfulness**

Josh Johnson

**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**

**CLOSING**