

# First United Methodist Church

March 29, 2020

11:00 a.m.

*Welcome, Visitors and Friends*

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

### INVOCATION

#### LORD OF THE DANCE

1) I danced in the morning when the world  
was begun  
I danced in the Moon & the Stars & the  
Sun  
I came down from Heaven & I danced on  
Earth  
At Bethlehem I had my birth:

2) I danced for the scribe & the Pharisee  
But they would not dance & they wouldn't  
follow me  
I danced for fishermen, for James & John  
They came with me & the Dance went on:

3) I danced on the Sabbath & I cured the  
lame  
The holy people said it was a shame!  
They whipped & they stripped & they hung  
me high  
And they left me there on a cross to die!

4) I danced on a Friday when the sky  
turned black  
It's hard to dance with the devil on your  
back  
They buried my body & they thought I'd  
gone  
But I am the Dance & I still go on!

5) They cut me down and I leapt up high  
I am the Life that'll never, never die!  
I'll live in you if you'll live in Me -  
I am the Lord of the Dance, said He!

(Chorus)  
Dance then, wherever you may be  
I am the Lord of the Dance, said He!  
And I'll lead you all, wherever you may be  
And I'll lead you all in the Dance, said He!  
(...lead you all in the Dance, said He!)

### PASTORAL PRAYER

#### LORD'S PRAYER

*Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time  
of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.*

#### SPECIAL MUSIC

**Be Thou My Vision**

Josh Johnson

**SERMON**  
**Too Deep for Words**  
**Romans 8:24-27**  
Ben Crismon

*24) For in hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what is seen? 25) But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience. 26) Likewise, the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words. 27) And God, who searches the heart, knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.*

1. First, Paul is teaching us to pray in a way that is a mixture of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Second, if you feel like you don't have the words to pray that way, then just make \_\_\_\_\_.
3. The Holy Spirit \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ our prayers so that God hears them fully.

**APOSTLES' CREED**

*I believe in God, the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth;  
And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord;  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;  
the third day he rose from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;  
From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,  
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen*

**GLORIA PATRI**

*Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.*

**OFFERTORY**

**INVITATION**