3rd Sunday in Lent March 22

WELCOME

SONG Old Church Choir

Verse 1

There's revival and it's spreading
Like a wildfire in my heart
A Sunday morning hallelujah
And it's lasting all week long
Can you hear it
Can you feel it
It's the rhythm of a gospel song
Oh once you choose it you can't lose it

Pre-Chorus

(Oh 'cause) There ain't nothing There ain't nothing gonna steal my joy

Chorus

I've got an old church choir singing in my soul I've got a sweet salvation and it's beautiful I've got a heart overflowing 'Cause I've been restored (No) there ain't nothing gonna steal my joy No there ain't nothing gonna steal my joy

Verse 2

When the valleys that I wander
Turn to mountains that I can't climb
Oh You are with me You never leave me

Bridge

Clap your hands and stomp your feet
'Til you find that gospel beat
'Cause He's all you'll ever need
All you'll ever need
Clap your hands and stomp your feet
'Til you find that gospel beat
'Cause He's all you'll ever need
All you'll ever need

Interlude

I've got an old church choir singing in my soul I've got a sweet salvation and it's beautiful

<u>Ending</u>

Oh there ain't nothing gonna steal my joy

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SONG Raise A Hallelujah

Verse 1

I raise a hallelujah in the presence of my enemies I raise a hallelujah louder than the unbelief

I raise a hallelujah my weapon is a melody

I raise a hallelujah Heaven comes to fight for me

Chorus

I'm gonna sing in the middle of the storm Louder and louder you're gonna hear my praises roar Up from the ashes hope will arise Death is defeated the King is alive

Verse 2

I raise a hallelujah with everything inside of me I raise a hallelujah I will watch the darkness flee I raise a hallelujah in the middle of the mystery I raise a hallelujah fear you lost your hold on me

Bridge

Sing a little louder (Sing a little louder) Sing a little louder (Sing a little louder) Sing a little louder (Sing a little louder) Sing a little louder (Sing a little louder)

Bridge

Sing a little louder in the presence of my enemies Sing a little louder louder than the unbelief Sing a little louder my weapon is a melody Sing a little louder Heaven comes to fight for me (REPEAT)

Sing a little louder

Ending

I raise a hallelujah

YOUNGEST DISCIPLES

CELEBRATING OUR MINISTRIES

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

The Walk Leader Guide Rev Hamilton

Holy and Generous God, we thank You for Your abundant blessings and Your amazing generosity toward us. We stand in awe of Your gifts of overflowing grace, mercy, and love. Open our hearts that we may respond to Your love with generosity toward others. In the name of Your Son Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen.

SCRIPTURE Matthew 6:19-21

19 "Stop collecting treasures for your own benefit on earth, where moth and rust eat them and where thieves break in and steal them. **20** Instead, collect treasures for yourselves in heaven, where moth and rust don't eat them and where thieves don't break in and steal them. **21** Where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

Leader: Here ends the reading. Spirit of God, stir up Your people.

People: Thanks be to God.

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SONG Stand In Your Love

Verse 1

When darkness tries to roll over my bones When sorrow comes to steal the joy I own When brokenness and pain is all I know I won't be shaken I won't be shaken

Chorus

My fear doesn't stand a chance When I stand in Your love (REPEAT)

Verse 2

Shame no longer has a place to hide I am not a captive to the lies I'm not afraid to leave my past behind I won't be shaken I won't be shaken

Bridge

There's power that can break off every chain There's power that can empty out a grave There's resurrection power that can save There's power in Your name power in Your name

Endina

Standing in Your love

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MESSAGE

Where Your Treasure Is... - Rev. Alexis Johnson

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The UMC Social Creed

We believe in God, Creator of the world; and in Jesus Christ, the Redeemer of creation. We believe in the Holy Spirit, through whom we acknowledge God's gifts, and we repent of our sin in misusing these gifts to idolatrous ends.

We affirm the natural world as God's handiwork and dedicate ourselves to its preservation, enhancement, and faithful use by humankind.

We joyfully receive for ourselves and others the blessings of community, sexuality, marriage, and the family.

We commit ourselves to the rights of men, women, children, youth, young adults, the aging, and people with disabilities; to improvement of the quality of life; and to the rights and dignity of all persons.

We believe in the right and duty of persons to work for the glory of God and the good of themselves and others and in the protection of their welfare in so doing; in the rights to property as a trust from God, collective bargaining, and responsible consumption; and in the elimination of economic and social distress.

We dedicate ourselves to peace throughout the world, to the rule of justice and law among nations, and to individual freedom for all people of the world.

We believe in the present and final triumph of God's Word in human affairs and gladly accept our commission to manifest the life of the gospel in the world. Amen.

OFFERING Oceans

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

The Walk Rev Hamilton

Thank You, God, for everything I have. I recognize that all of life is a gift from You. Please help me to become more generous, more willing to share with others. Help me to live beneath my means so that I might have enough margin to give. Help me to be generous toward You and others, remembering Your unending generosity toward me. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever.

Amen.

SONG My Lighthouse

Verse 1

In my wrestling and in my doubts
In my failures You won't walk out
Your great love will lead me through
You are the peace in my troubled sea whoa oh
You are the peace in my troubled sea

Verse 2

In the silence You won't let go
In the questions Your truth will hold
Your great love will lead me through
You are the peace in my troubled sea whoa oh
You are the peace in my troubled sea

Chorus

My Lighthouse my Lighthouse
Shining in the darkness
I will follow You oh
My Lighthouse my Lighthouse
I will trust the promise
You will carry me safe to shore
Safe to shore safe to shore safe to shore

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Verse 3

I won't fear what tomorrow brings
With each morning I'll rise and sing
My God's love will lead me through
You are the peace in my troubled sea whoa oh
You are the peace in my troubled sea

<u>Bridge</u>

Fire before us You're the brightest You will lead us Through the storms (hey) (REPEAT 3X)

BENEDICTION