The UMC of New City Hybrid Worship

October 13, 2024

21th Sunday after Pentecost; Hispanic Heritage Month; "The Sermon on the Mount" - Week 5

Welcome

Prelude and Lighting of the Candles

Call to Worship

Leader: God is good, all the time;

People: And all the time, God is good!

Leader: ¡Dios es bueno, todo el tiempo;

People: Y todo el tiempo, Dios es bueno!

Leader: Such is the good news of the Gospel.

**Hymn 57 (UMH)

O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing

- 1. O for a thousand tongues to sing my great Redeemer's praise, the glories of my God and King, the triumphs of his grace!
- 2. My gracious Master and my God, assist me to proclaim, to spread through all the earth abroad the honors of thy name.
- 3. Jesus! the name that charms our fears, that bids our sorrows cease; 'tis music in the sinner's ears, 'tis life, and health, and peace.
- 4. He breaks the power of canceled sin, he sets the prisoner free; his blood can make the foulest clean; his blood availed for me.
- 5. He speaks, and listening to his voice, new life the dead receive; the mournful, broken hearts rejoice, the humble poor believe.
- 6. Hear him, ye deaf; his praise, ye dumb, your loosened tongues employ; ye blind, behold your Savior come, and leap, ye lame, for joy.
- 7. In Christ, your head, you then shall know, shall feel your sins forgiven; anticipate your heaven below, and own that love is heaven.

Unison Prayer

John Wesley's Covenant Prayer (Contemporary Version)

I am no longer my own, but yours. Put me to what you will, place me with whom you will. Put me to doing, put me to suffering. Let me be put to work for you or set aside for you, Praised for you or criticized for you. Let me be full, let me be empty. Pastor Amanda Dr. Diana Hughes Let me have all things, let me have nothing. I freely and fully surrender all things to your glory and service. And now, O wonderful and holy God, Creator, Redeemer, and Sustainer, You are mine, and I am yours. So be it. And the covenant which I have made on earth, Let it also be made in heaven. Amen.

Children's Message

Scripture Reading

Matthew 6:22-24

Judy Troia & Rita Maslanek

"The eye is the lamp of the body. So if your eye is healthy, your whole body will be full of light, but if your eye is unhealthy, your whole body will be full of darkness. If, then, the light in you is darkness, how great is the darkness!

"No one can serve two masters, for a slave will either hate the one and love the other or be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and wealth."

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God. **People: Thanks be to God.**

Message The Sermon on the Mount - Week 5: The Sound Eye/Two Masters Rev. Dr. Amanda Hemenetz

**Hymn #354 (UMH)

l Surrender All

1. All to Jesus I surrender; all to him I freely give; I will ever love and trust him, in his presence daily live.

(Refrain): I surrender all, I surrender all, all to thee, my blessed Savior, I surrender all.

- 2. All to Jesus I surrender; humbly at his feet I bow, worldly pleasures all forsaken; take me, Jesus, take me now. (*Refrain*)
- 3. All to Jesus I surrender; make me, Savior, wholly thine; let me feel the Holy Spirit, truly know that thou art mine. (*Refrain*)
- 4. All to Jesus I surrender; Lord, I give myself to thee; fill me with thy love and power; let thy blessing fall on me. (*Refrain*)
- 5. All to Jesus I surrender; now I feel the sacred flame. O the joy of full salvation! Glory, glory to his name! (*Refrain*)

Prayer Requests and Praises Pastoral Prayer 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.

Announcements The Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

**Doxology #95 (UMH)

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host -- Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**Prayer of Dedication

Almighty God, bless these gifts, and use them to your glory, that at all times and in all places, we serve only you. Amen.

**Hymn #2007 (TFWS)

Santo, Santo, Santo / Holy, Holy, Holy

¡Santo, santo, santo, mi corazon te adora! Mi corazon te sabe decir: ¡Santo eres, Dios!

Holy, holy, holy. My heart, my heart adores you! My heart know how to say to you: You are holy, Lord!

**Blessing and Sending

Postlude

** Choral Benediction #666 (UMH)

Shalom to you now, shalom, my friends. May God's full mercies bless you, my friends. In all your living and through your loving, Christ be your shalom, Christ be your shalom.

Dr. Diana Hughes

Please join us for refreshments and fellowship!

Thank you for joining us in worship today. You are always welcome here! To be added to our email list, ask questions, request pastoral care, or explore the possibility of membership, contact the church office at umcofnewcity@gmail.org or call (845) 634-1758.

Sunday School is held during the worship service directly following the Children's Message. Sunday School is for those Pre-K (potty trained through 6th Grade.

For online giving, please visit our website at newcityumc.org

Our thrift shop, Angel's Attic, is open Saturdays 9am-2pm and Thursdays 10am-12pm.

We are a Reconciling Church; we fully love and accept ALL, including LGBTQ+ individuals and families.

Our Mission Statement is "Serving God through Serving Our Community."

**Indicates to please stand, if you are comfortable doing so. 'UMH' = The United Methodist Hymnal (red); 'TFWS' = The Faith We Sing (black). Both are available by the ushers.

May you go in Christ's peace, assured of God's love.

Dr. Diana Hughes

Shalom to You