

**Welcome to Marvell United  
Methodist Church**

**Thank you for sharing your  
Sunday worship with us.**

**January 23, 2022**

**Our Mission:**

**Empowering the generations  
to serve Christ.**

# Prelude

# **Lighting of the Candles**

**Greeting**

**Choral Call to Worship**  
**Surely the Presence of the**  
**Lord**

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**Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place; I can feel his mighty power and his grace. I can hear the brush of angels' wings, I see glory on each face; surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.**

# **Announcements**



# **Hymn of Praise**

**Joyful, Joyful, We Adore  
Thee**

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**Please Stand as We sing**

**Joyful, joyful, we adore thee,  
God of glory, Lord of love;  
hearts unfold like flowers  
before thee, opening to the  
sun above. Melt the clouds of  
sin and sadness; drive the  
dark of doubt away. Giver of  
immortal gladness, fill us  
with the light of day.**

**All thy works with joy  
surround thee, earth and  
heaven reflect thy rays, stars  
and angels sing around thee,  
center of unbroken praise.  
Field and forest, vale and  
mountain, flowery meadow,  
flashing sea, chanting bird  
and flowing fountain, call us  
to rejoice in thee.**

**Thou art giving and  
forgiving, ever blessing, ever  
blest, well-spring of the joy of  
living, ocean depth of happy  
rest! Thou our Father, Christ  
our brother, all who live in  
love are thine; teach us how  
to love each other, lift us to  
the joy divine.**

# **Liturgy**

**Read together in an attitude  
of prayer**

**Please all stand and join in.**

**The prophet Isaiah proclaimed—and Jesus embodied—God's call to reach out and care for those who are brokenhearted and those who mourn, people who are abused and oppressed, who are powerless to make changes for good in their lives.**

**The Spirit of the Lord  
empowers and anoints us to  
proclaim and to live out that  
same message—to lift up  
those who are downtrodden,  
to comfort those who mourn,  
to be bearers of the gospel in  
word and deed.**

**Gloria Patri**

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**Please Stand as We sing**



**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.**

# **Children's Time**

**Jesus loves me! This I know,  
for the Bible tells me so.  
Little ones to him belong;  
they are weak, but he is  
strong. Yes, Jesus loves me!  
Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes,  
Jesus loves me! The Bible  
tells me so.**

# **Children's Time**

# **Joys and Concerns**

**Morning Prayer**

**Pastor Kenny**

# **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, the power, and the  
glory, forever.  
Amen.**

# **Our Offering**

# **The Doxology**

**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.**

**Hymn of Preparation**  
**For the Beauty of the Earth**

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**Please Stand as We sing**

**For the beauty of the earth,  
for the glory of the skies, for  
the love which from our birth  
over and around us lies;  
Lord of all, to thee we raise  
this our hymn of grateful  
praise.**

**For the joy of human love,  
brother, sister, parent, child,  
friends on earth and friends  
above, for all gently thoughts  
and mild; Lord of all, to thee  
we raise this our hymn of  
grateful praise.**

**Scripture**

**Luke 4:14-21**



**Jesus returned to Galilee in the power of the Spirit, and news about him spread through the whole countryside.**

**Luke 4:14**

**He was teaching in their  
synagogues, and everyone  
praised him.**

**Luke 4:15**

**He went to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, and on the Sabbath day he went into the synagogue, as was his custom. He stood up to read,**

**Luke 4:16**

**and the scroll of the prophet  
Isaiah was handed to him.  
Unrolling it, he found the  
place where it is written:**

**Luke 4:17**

**“The Spirit of the Lord is on me, because he has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the prisoners and recovery of sight for the blind, to set the oppressed free,**

**Luke 4:18**

**to proclaim the year of the  
Lord's favor.”**

**Luke 4:19**

**Then he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant and sat down. The eyes of everyone in the synagogue were fastened on him.**

**Luke 4:20**

**He began by saying to them,  
“Today this scripture is  
fulfilled in your hearing.”**

**Luke 4:21**



# **Sermon Series**

**THE GOSPEL OF  
LUKE**

**The Gospel of Luke**

# **Sermon**

*The Good News*

*according to*

*Luke*

## **Good News**

## **Pastor Kenny Lee**

# **Hymn of Invitation**

**A Mighty Fortress Is Our God**

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**Please stand as We Sing**

**A mighty fortress is our God,  
a bulwark never failing; our  
helper he amid the flood of  
mortal ills prevailing. For  
still our ancient foe doth seek  
to work us woe; his craft and  
power are great, and armed  
with cruel hate, on earth is  
not his equal.**

**And though this world, with devils filled, should threaten to undo us, we will not fear, for God hath willed his truth to triumph through us. The Prince of Darkness grim, we tremble not for him; his rage we can endure, for lo, his doom is sure; one little word shall fell him.**

**That word above all earthly powers, no thanks to them, abideth; the Spirit and the gifts are ours, thru him who with us sideth. Let good and kindred go, this mortal life also; the body they may kill; God's truth abideth still; his kingdom is forever.**



**Benediction**

**Pastor Kenny Lee**

**Closing Response**

**Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus**

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**Please stand as We Sing**



**Turn your eyes upon Jesus,  
look full in his wonderful  
face, and the things of earth  
will grow strangely dim in  
the light of his glory and  
grace.**

**Thank you for worshipping  
with us at the  
Marvell United Methodist  
Church**

**Please join us each Sunday  
morning**