



LEESBURG

United Methodist Church



Worship Program for
January 31, 2021 10 am
4th Sunday after Epiphany

To have a prayer request shared during worship, let us know before "Prayers of the People" begins by using the livestream chat feature or [this link](#).

We Gather

Prelude	“Whiter than Snow” (arr. Smith)	Michelle Pinkney
Welcome		Rev. Jim Wishmyer
Entering the Sacred		
Collect		Rev. Heather Wray

L: Creative and Creating God, who with a word spoke the world into being, you continue to make all things new. Speak to us, we pray, that we may know even as we are known. Reveal in increasing measure your love, your will, your just and justifying grace. Thus may we know and live more genuinely as your cherished people.

P: We praise you for giving us eyes to see, ears to hear, minds to comprehend, hearts to love, and strength to faithfully live. May your word ever be the true light by which we live. Amen.

Hymn “I Love to Tell the Story” (vs 1, 2, & 4)

Verse 1

I love to tell the story of unseen things above,
of Jesus and his glory, of Jesus and his love.
I love to tell the story, because I know 'tis true;
it satisfies my longings as nothing else can do.

Refrain:

I love to tell the story,
'twill be my theme in glory,
to tell the old, old story
of Jesus and his love.

Verse 2

I love to tell the story; more wonderful it seems
than all the golden fancies
of all our golden dreams.
I love to tell the story, it did so much for me;
and that is just the reason I tell it now to thee.

[Refrain]

Verse 4

I love to tell the story, for those who know it best
Seem hungering and thirsting,
to hear it like the rest.
And when, in scenes of glory,
I sing the new, new song,
'twill be the old, old story that I have loved so long.

[Refrain]



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Scripture

[Luke 5:25-39](#)

Rev. Heather Wray

Message

“Immerse Messiah: Seeing Differently”

Rev. Jim Wishmyer

We Respond

Selah

Prayer Reprise

“Thy Word Is a Lamp” (refrain)

Our Story

Leesburg UMC - 2020 in Review

Prayers of the People

Offering

(You can give online at leesburgumc.org/online-giving/)

Next Steps

We Go Forth

Song

“Standing on the Promises Medley”

Raising Praise

Verse 1

Standing on the promises of Christ my King
Thro’ eternal ages let His praises ring
Glory in the highest I will shout and sing
I’m standing on the promises of God

Verse 2

Standing on the promises that cannot fail
When the howling storms of doubt and fear assail
By the living Word of God I shall prevail
I’m Standing on the promises of God

Chorus 1

Standing Standing
Standing on the promises of God my Savior
Standing Standing
Standing on the promises of God

Verse 3

What a fellowship. What a joy divine.
Leaning on the everlasting arms
What a blessedness. What a peace is mine
Leaning on the everlasting arms

Chorus 2

I’m leaning oh leaning
Safe and secure from all alarms
I’m leaning oh leaning
Leaning on the everlasting arms

Verse 3

Are you washed In the blood
In the soul cleansing blood of the Lamb
Are your garments spotless
Are they white as snow
Are you washed in the blood of the Lamb

Chorus 3

Standing Standing
Standing on the promises of God my Savior
Standing Standing
Standing on the promises of God
Standing Standing
Standing on the promises of God

Blessing

L: God's Word is like a treasure we hold near and dear in our hearts, to enrich our lives, and overflow to others...

P: God's Word is also a treasure to be shared!

Postlude

“My Faith Looks Up to Thee” (Mason)

Michelle Pinkney

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