



Mt Vernon UMC

September 25, 2022

GREETINGS¹

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

OPENING PRAYER

PRELUDE & CANDLE LIGHTING



He is Lord, He is Lord!

He is risen from the dead and he is Lord!

Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess,

That Jesus Christ is Lord. (2x)

HYMN



370. Victory in Jesus

OPENING PRAYER²

Lord, the eyes of all look to You in hope; and You give
them what they need. You open Your hand
and satisfy the hunger and thirst of every living thing.

**We, too, turn to You again, longing to be filled—
to eat of the Bread of Life,**

to drink from Your life-giving streams,

to taste Your goodness and live.

May the time we spend together in Your presence nourish
our hearts and minds; may it strengthen our relationship
with You, and renew our commitment to live in this
world as Your faithful disciples.

**For You alone are God,
the Source and Sustainer of life.**

In Jesus' name, Amen.

¹ Cover art by John Stuart, www.stushieart.com.

² Christine Longhurst, re:Worship,

<https://re-worship.blogspot.com/2011/07/opening-prayer-feed-us-lord.html>

HYMN



Sing Out! Sound the Trumpets! Proclaim Jubilee!

(tune: 98. To God Be The Glory);

PSALM



Psalm 146

CHILDREN'S SERMON

INTERCESSORY PRAYERS



LORD'S PRAYER - #895



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.

SCRIPTURE LESSON



1 Timothy 6:6-19

Luke 16:19-31

SERMON

OFFERING & PEACE

DOXOLOGY - #95



Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below;

Praise God for all that love has done;

Creator, Christ, and Spirit, One.

HOLY COMMUNION



PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

**Eternal God, we give you thanks
for this holy mystery
in which you have given yourself to us.
Grant that we may go into the world
in the strength of your Spirit,
to give ourselves for others,
in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

CHARGE & BLESSING

God calls Mt Vernon UMC to:

- Love God & neighbor as Jesus taught
- Learn together of God's love and grace
- Serve others by using our God given gifts and talents
- Be witnesses of our faith in God through Jesus Christ to all the world!.

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If you would like a prayer, a visit, a meal, to have Holy Communion brought to your home, or have any other need, please contact any church member or Pastor Rob (217-751-4400, pastor@mtvernon-umc.org).