

Since Jesus Came Into My Heart (Public Domain)

1 What a wonderful change in my life has been wrought
since Jesus came into my heart.
I have light in my soul for which long I had sought,
since Jesus came into my heart!

Refrain:

Since Jesus came into my heart,
since Jesus came into my heart,
floods of joy o'er my soul like the sea billows roll,
since Jesus came into my heart.

2 I'm possessed of a hope that is steadfast and sure,
since Jesus came into my heart.
And no dark clouds of doubt now my pathway obscure,
since Jesus came into my heart! [Refrain]

3 I shall go there to dwell in that City, I know
since Jesus came into my heart.
And I'm happy, so happy, as onward I go,
since Jesus came into my heart! [Refrain]

Luke 12:32-40 [CEB]

³² “Don’t be afraid, little flock, because your Father delights in giving you the kingdom. ³³ Sell your possessions and give to those in need. Make for yourselves wallets that don’t wear out—a treasure in heaven that never runs out. No thief comes near there, and no moth destroys. ³⁴ Where your treasure is, there your heart will be too. ³⁵ “Be dressed for service and keep your lamps lit. ³⁶ Be like people waiting for their master to come home from a wedding celebration, who can immediately open the door for him when he arrives and knocks on the door. ³⁷ Happy are those servants whom the master finds waiting up when he arrives. I assure you that, when he arrives, he will dress himself to serve, seat them at the table as honored guests, and wait on them. ³⁸ Happy are those whom he finds alert, even if he comes at midnight or just before dawn. ³⁹ But know this, if the homeowner had known what time the thief was coming, he wouldn’t have allowed his home to be broken into. ⁴⁰ You also must be ready, because the Human One is coming at a time when you don’t expect him.”



NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

AUGUST 7, 2022

10:55 AM

The mission of First United Methodist Church is to believe in Jesus Christ as Lord, to receive the power of the Holy Spirit, and to respond to the needs of others with the love of God the Father.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS		REV. HANNAH SMITH
PRELUDE	<i>GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS</i>	ORGAN
CHORAL INTROIT	<i>FROM ALL THAT DWELL BELOW THE SKIES</i>	CHANCEL CHOIR
* MISSION STATEMENT		CONGREGATION
* HYMN UMH 529		<i>HOW FIRM A FOUNDATION</i>
JOYS AND CONCERNS		REV. HANNAH SMITH
MORNING PRAYER		REV. HANNAH SMITH
YOUTH MISSION TRIP REPORT		MISSION TEAM
OFFERTORY PRAYER AND TIME OF GIVING	<i>MY LORD, WHAT A MORNING</i>	CONGREGATION
* DOXOLOGY UMH 95	<i>PRAISE GOD FROM WHOM ALL BLESSINGS FLOW</i>	
* HYMN (LYRICS ON REVERSE)		<i>SINCE JESUS CAME INTO MY HEART</i>
* SCRIPTURE		LUKE 12:32-40
MESSAGE	BE READY	REV. LORI ANNE BOWEN
* COMMUNION ANTHEM	<i>COME SHARE THE LORD</i>	CHANCEL CHOIR
A SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE UMH 12		CONGREGATION
* HYMN UMH 714		<i>I KNOW WHOM I HAVE BELIEVED</i>
* BLESSING		REV. LORI ANNE BOWEN
* RESPONSE		CHANCEL CHOIR
* CHIMING OF THE TRINITY	<i>IN THE NAME OF THE FATHER, SON, AND HOLY SPIRIT. AMEN.</i>	
* POSTLUDE		<i>NOW LET US FROM THIS TABLE RISE</i>
* PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE.		

NEWS & OPPORTUNITIES

Chancel Choir Rehearsal 8/10 7:00 PM

Thank you for your continued support for the new pew cushions. We now have \$8,582 in our fund which is over half of the \$12,600 estimate we received last spring. We hope to reach our goal soon since the cost of materials continues to rise. If you are able to give a little above your normal tithe, the gift will be appreciated.

The Administrative Board meets today, August 7 at 7:00 PM in the Conference Room. We encourage all Administrative Board members to attend as you are able.

The Mocksville Ministerial Association will hold a **Back to School Prayer Vigil** on Sunday September 11, 2022 at 2:00 at the Downtown Mocksville Park (at the fountain). The rain location will be at the Family Life Center of First UMC. Please join us for prayers for our schools, children, teachers, and staff. Invite your friends and neighbors to join us.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Bermuda Commons At Home

Molly Jo McClamrock Peggy Clark

Jean Shelton Mary Hendricks

Inez Miller

Somerset Mary Lou Musselman

Billie Bean Ann Stayer

Louise Collins Jenny Turner

Ron Cotterman Shirley Wicker

Davie Rehab Clemmons Village 1

Lynne Hicks (205) Madelyn Shelton

Christine Woodruff
(106)

Wanda Bryant (519)

VBS is Sunday, August 14-Thursday, August 18, 5:30 PM -7:45 PM.

Registration and dinner will begin at 5:30.

Opening gathering will begin at 6:00 PM.

Here is the link to register your child:

<https://forms.gle/yQXSBxrG9PCn5RNd9>

Pre-K -- 5th grade (2021-2022 school year)



Please spread the word and invite friends and members of the community!

All are welcome as we grow in Christ's love together.

VBS also needs the help of adult and youth volunteers! Will you and a group you are a part of provide a meal from 5:30-6:00 (kid-friendly food like pizza, hotdogs, pasta, etc.)

Are you feeling nudged to lead stations? Are you willing to help, but not sure where? Please reach out to Hannah, either through email (hannah@firstumcmocksville.org) or phone (336-751-2503 ext.2225)

Let's have more conversations! Sign up for coffee or ice cream and visit with Pastor Lori Anne.

Connect – Imagine – Engage ~ Conversations with Lori Anne

Morning Coffee

Tuesday August 9 at 9:00 a.m. at The Factory (downtown Mocksville)

Tuesday August 16 at 9:00 a.m. at the Factory (downtown Mocksville)

Tuesday August 23 at 9:00 a.m. at The Factory (downtown Mocksville)

Tuesday August 30 at 9:00 a.m. at The Factory (downtown Mocksville)

Evening Ice Cream

Thursday August 11 at 7:00 at The Station (General Store) in Mocksville

Thursday August 25 at 7:00 at The Station (General Store) in Mocksville

If you cannot drive or are unable to make one of these, see Lori Anne for other available times.