# July 17, 2022

## 9:15 AM Common Thread Worship

Please tell the lot attendant how you will be worshiping (inside, patio, parking lot) so they can direct you where best to park. Please remember to follow the directions of our ushers. We will continue to use generous spacing, respect the boundaries of others, and rejoice that we may worship together!

#### Welcome

### Song – My Redeemer Lives

I know He rescued my soul, His blood, He covered my sin, I believe, I believe. My shame, He's taken away, my pain is healed in His name, I believe, I believe. I'll raise a banner; my Lord has conquered the grave! My Redeemer lives! My Redeemer lives! My Redeemer lives! My Redeemer lives!

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You lift my burden, I rise with You. I'm dancing on this mountain top to see Your Kingdom come. My Redeemer lives! Reuben Morgan © Hillsongs Publishing (admin. in US & Canada by Integrity's Hosanna! Music). CCLI# 1374588

### **Sharing Peace**

### Song – Friend of God

Who am I that You are mindful of me, that You hear me when I call? Is it true that You are thinking of me? How you love me, it's amazing.

I am a friend of God, I am a friend of God, I am a friend of God, He calls me friend. I am a friend of God, I am a friend of God, I am a friend of God, He calls me friend.

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God Almighty, Lord of Glory, You have called me friend. God Almighty, Lord of Glory, You have called me friend. God Almighty, Lord of Glory, You have called me friend.

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# Prayer Time & Lord's Prayer

(To share your joys and concerns, please text them to Pastor Dan at 919-801-1647.)

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

"ONLY ONE THING IS IMPORTANT. MARY HAS CHOSEN THE BETTER THING, AND IT WILL NEVER BE TAKEN AWAY FROM HER." LUKE 10:42. NEV 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.

### Song – Come Just As You Are

Come just as you are, hear the Spirit call. Come just as you are – come and see (come and see), come, receive (come, receive), come and live (come and live) forever.

Life everlasting, and strength for today, taste the Living Water and never thirst again. Life everlasting, and strength for today, taste the Living Water and never thirst again.

Come just as you are, hear the Spirit call. Come just as you are – come and see (come and see), come, receive (come, receive), come and live (come and live) forevermore.

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### Scripture Lesson – Psalm 15; Luke 10: 25-37

O Lord, who may abide in your tent? Who may dwell on your holy hill? Those who walk blamelessly, and do what is right, and speak the truth from their heart; who do not slander with their tongue, and do no evil to their friends, nor heap shame upon their neighbors; in whose eyes the wicked are despised, but who honor those who fear the Lord; who stand by their oath even to their hurt; who do not lend money at interest and do not take a bribe against the innocent. Those who do these things shall never be moved.

Now as they went on their way, he entered a certain village where a woman named Martha welcomed him. She had a sister named Mary, who sat at Jesus's feet and listened to what he was saying. But Martha was distracted by her many tasks, so she came to him and asked, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to do all the work by myself? Tell her, then, to help me." But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are worried and distracted by many things, but few things are needed—indeed only one. Mary has chosen the better part, which will not be taken away from her."

### Message – Only One Thing

### Song – Psalm 62

My soul finds rest in God alone, my rock and my salvation, a fortress strong against my foes –and I will not be shaken. Though lips may bless and hearts may curse, and lies, like arrows, pierce me, I'll fix my heart on righteousness; I'll look to Him who hears me. Oh, praise Him, hallelujah! My delight and my reward. Everlasting, never failing, my Redeemer, my God.

Find rest, my soul, in God alone, amid the world's temptations. When evil seeks to take a hold, I'll cling to my salvation. Though riches come and riches go, don't set your heart upon them. The fields of hope, in which I sow, are harvested in heaven. Oh, praise Him, hallelujah! My delight and my reward. Everlasting, never failing, my Redeemer, my God.

I'll set my gaze on God alone, and trust in Him completely; with ev'ry day pour out my soul, and He will prove His mercy. Though life is but a fleeting breath, a sigh, too brief to measure – my King has crushed the curse of death, and I am His forever. Oh, praise Him, hallelujah! My delight and my reward. Everlasting, never failing, my Redeemer, my God.

Oh, praise Him, oh, praise Him! Hallelujah, hallelujah! Oh, praise Him, oh, praise Him! Hallelujah, hallelujah! Oh, praise Him, oh, praise Him. Hallelujah, hallelujah!

Oh, praise Him, hallelujah! My delight and my reward. Everlasting, never failing, my Redeemer, my God. Oh, praise Him, hallelujah! My delight and my reward. Everlasting, never failing, my Redeemer, my God.

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#### **Blessing & Sending Out**

#### **Sharing Offerings**

#### Out to Discipleship, and Into the World to Serve

#### What to know this week ...

#### Calendar this week:

Sunday, 7/17	Worship Team meeting, 4PM in Room 12
Monday-Friday	Summer Camp, 9AM-1PM in education wing
Wednesday, 7/20	Coffee & Conversation, 11:30AM at Applebee's -Poyner Place
Thursday, 7/21	Continuing Strummers, 6PM in Music Room
	Common Thread Band practice, 7PM
Saturday, 7/23	Produce Packing, 9AM in Carson Hall

Luncheon Responses Needed TODAY: Remember that we will be honoring Lennie Collins' 20 years of service to St. James on Sunday, July 24 with a luncheon following the Sanctuary Worship service. Lennie has been an incredible asset to St. James, so we hope you will join us in his retirement celebration. Donations will be greatly appreciated to offset the cost of the meal. Please RSVP to Martha (office@stjamesraleigh.org) TODAY. There will be a collection table for any monetary gifts, gift cards, or gifts that you would like to give Lennie, or you may contact Julian Bridgers (919-624-1726) to contribute money to fund a gift card from the entire congregation.

**Coffee & Conversation** will meet for lunch at 11:30AM on Wednesday, July 20 at Applebee's Restaurant, Poyner Place, 7831 Target Circle, Raleigh 27616. Please contact Peggy Biggers (919-872-1800 or 919-632-1212) if you plan to attend.

Help our new College Student Ministry! Our Congregational Care committee is collecting items to support our college students as they return to college next month. Please visit the online sign-up at <u>www.signupgenius.com/qo/8050445aba829aa8-back</u> to see the list of items needed and to sign up. Most items can be found at Dollar Tree or Walmart for less than \$1.50 each. You may also donate money (put College Student Ministry on check memo line or envelope) for us to purchase items or to cover postage costs to the students. For any questions about this new ministry, please contact Melanie Baiardo (480-794-0388 or <u>melaniebaiardo@gmail.com</u>).

**Produce Packing this Saturday:** Please come Saturday at 9:00 to Carson Hall and pack produce boxes for our neighbors! The fellowship is great and the work is light. Sign up online at <u>www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0b49afaa22a75-food</u>. Call Helen McGee (919-880-7881) with any questions.