

First United Methodist South Charleston

August 9, 2020

Rev. Paul M. Helmick, OP

Prelude - Safely Through Another Week

William Patrick Holbrook

Call to Worship

Jenny Schenck

Children's Time

Carrie Hamilton

Hymn - Here I Am Lord, UMH #593

Scripture for Today: Matthew 6:5–15; Luke 6:20–26

Special Music - Church in the Wildwood

Sermon

“The Lord’s Prayer”

Pastor Paul

Offertory Prayer

(Text your offering to 833-907-2245)

Prayers of the People with Pastoral Prayer

Hymn - Into My Heart, FWS #2160

Dismissal with Blessing

God Be With Us

God be with you till we meet again,
By His counsel's guide, uphold you,
With His sheep securely fold you,
God be with you till we meet again.

Postlude - Stand Up and Bless the Lord

William Patrick Holbrook



Sundays 11:00 AM

Tech Team: Michael Cidor, Carrie Hamilton, Paul Helmick,
Pat Holbrook, George Russell, and Jenny Schenck,



Week 3

Text: Matthew 6:5–15; Luke 6:20–26

Topic: Kingdom of God, Already and Not Yet, Justice

Big Idea of the Message: Praying for God’s kingdom to come on earth is a dangerous prayer. We are asking that the kingdom Jesus came to inaugurate and establish be brought to fruition here in the world we currently live in.

Application Point: As members of the church we are living in a “colony” of Jesus’s kingdom; we are to represent the values of his kingdom to the world around us. This is a call to evangelism as well as to working for justice in our societies.

Discussion Questions:

1. What is one thing that stood out to you from this week’s message?
2. What does Jesus’s kingdom look like?
3. How is Jesus’s kingdom an “upside-down” kingdom?
4. What does it mean to be “poor in spirit”?
5. Have you usually thought of God’s kingdom simply as heaven? How has your perspective of God’s kingdom changed?
6. How can I pray for you?

Here I Am, Lord (UMH #593)

[Verse 1]

I, the Lord of sea and sky,
I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in deepest sin
My hand will save.
I who made the stars of night,
I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them?
Whom shall I send?

[Chorus 1]

Here I am Lord. Is it I Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go Lord, if you lead me.
I will hold your people in my heart.

[Verse 2]

I, the Lord of snow and rain,
I have borne my people's pain.
I have wept for love of them.
They turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone,
Give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my word to them,
Whom shall I send?

[Chorus 2]

[Verse 3]

I, the Lord of wind and flame,
I will tend the poor and lame.
I will set a feast for them.
My hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide
Till their hearts be satisfied.
I will give my life to them.
Whom shall I send?

[Chorus 3]

Into My Heart (FWS #2160)

Into my heart,

Into my heart,

Come into my heart, Lord Jesus.

Come in today, come in to stay,

Come into my heart, Lord Jesus.

He's in my heart,

He's in my heart,

He's in my heart, Forever.

He's here today, he's here to stay,

He's in my heart, Forever.

Into my heart,

Into my heart,

Come into my heart, Lord Jesus.

Come in today, come in to stay,

Come into my heart, Lord Jesus.

He's in my heart,

He's in my heart,

He's in my heart, Forever.

He's here today, he's here to stay,

He's in my heart, Forever.