FEBRUARY 14, 2021

TIRED FEET RESTED SOULS

FOUNDRY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

11:15 A.M. | WORSHIP CELEBRATION ONLINE

Welcome

Foundry Church has been serving downtown Washington and the wider world since 1814. Foundry is a Reconciling Congregation, affirming the call of the gospel of Jesus Christ to be in ministry with all people of all races, gender identities, sexualities, ages, immigration status, and physical conditions. We are all on a spiritual journey and we want you to feel welcome here. Please visit www. foundryumc.org for more information about our congregation, submit prayer requests, and let us know you've been with us in worship today.

REFERENCES TO GOD

References to God in traditional prayers and hymns may sometimes be gender-specific. As we pray and sing together, you are invited to substitute terms that reflect your understanding of the full inclusiveness of the spirit of God. You are also invited to sing hymns and speak parts of the services, such as the Lord's Prayer, in your native tongue.

CARE AND PRAYER

Please fill out the Virtual Prayer request cards at https://www.foundryumc.org/prayer. Our Clergy and prayer team will follow up with you.

INVITATIONS TO ONLINE PARTICIPATION

As we worship together virtually today, we invite you to gather the following items:

- A candle and, if needed, a way to light it.
- A bowl or vessel of water.
- · Your preferred Bible or Bible app.

Tired Feet, Rested Souls

Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. in his powerful *Letter From Birmingham City Jail*, amplifies the voice of Mother Pollard, a seventy-two-year-old woman in Montgomery, Alabama who refused to ride in segregated buses. When asked about whether she was tired, she responded, "My feet is tired, but my soul is rested." MLK's Letter is the inspiration for this series that, grounded in texts from the Revised Common Lectionary, will explore the concrete actions we are called to take as we continue the journey of becoming a more anti-racist, fully inclusive congregation. The work is long and our proverbial "feet" will grow tired. But with Jesus as our companion in the work of becoming beloved community, we are assured we'll find "rest for our souls." Join us on the journey!

Series Resources:

1. The Birmingham Campaign 1963

https://www.blackpast.org/african-american-history/birmingham-campaign-1963/

2. Statement by Alabama Clergy in 1963

https://kinginstitute.stanford.edu/sites/mlk/files/lesson-activities/clergybirmingham1963.pdf

3. Letter from Birmingham Jail

https://www.africa.upenn.edu/Articles_Gen/Letter_Birmingham.html

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Prelude Andrae Crouch

JESUS IS THE ANSWER

sung by Jubalate John Harden, soloist

Invitations to Participation

Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli

Lighting Our Candles

Welcome

Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli

Hymn UMH #173

Verses 1 & 3 J. G. Werner's Choralbuch, harm. William Havergal

CHRIST, WHOSE GLORY FILLS THE SKIES

Children's Message

K.C. Van Atta-Casebier

Call to Prayer UMH #655

Afro-American Spiritual, adapt. William F. Smith, Black Composers Series

FIX ME, JESUS

Pastoral Prayer Ben Roberts

Lord's Prayer

Our Mother/Father, who are in heaven,

Hallowed be Thy name.

Thy Kin-dom 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 Kin-dom,

And the power,

And the glory forever.

Amen.

Scripture Reading

Cathy O'Sullivan

MARK 9:2-9

Anthem

Afro-American Spiritual, arr. Joseph Jennings, Black Composers Series

STEAL AWAY sung by Chancel Choir Jim Williams, bass

Sermon

Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli

CREATIVE EXTREMISTS

Offertory

Kelly Grimes

Music at the Offertory

R. Nathaniel Dett, Black Composers Series LISTEN TO THE LAMBS

sung by Chancel Choir Francese Brooks, soprano

Hymn UMH #368

Edward Mote, William Bradbury

MY HOPE IS BUILT

Benediction

Ginger E. Gaines - Cirelli

Postlude

Afro-American Spiritual, arr. James Miller, Black Composers Series

DIDN'T MY LORD DELIVER DANIEL

sung by Chancel Choir

Black Composers Series

William Farley Smith was an authority on Negro Spirituals; their origins, history, and use for the church today. His work is represented by a large number of Spiritual arrangements in hymnals across all denominations, most notably adapting and arranging each Spiritual (over 40 in total) in *The United Methodist Hymnal*. He is also noted for his spiritual arrangements for solo organ.

Robert Nathaniel Dett was a Canadian-American Black Composer, organist, pianist, choral director and music professor. His education included Harvard University, Oberlin Conservatory of Music, and Eastman School of Music. Dett became the first black director of music at the Hampton Institute (later becoming Hampton University) in Virginia. Dett later served as choral conductor for Stromberg-Carlson's NBC broadcasts, and premiered his oratorio *The Ordering of Moses* (1937) with a 350-voice chorus and the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra.

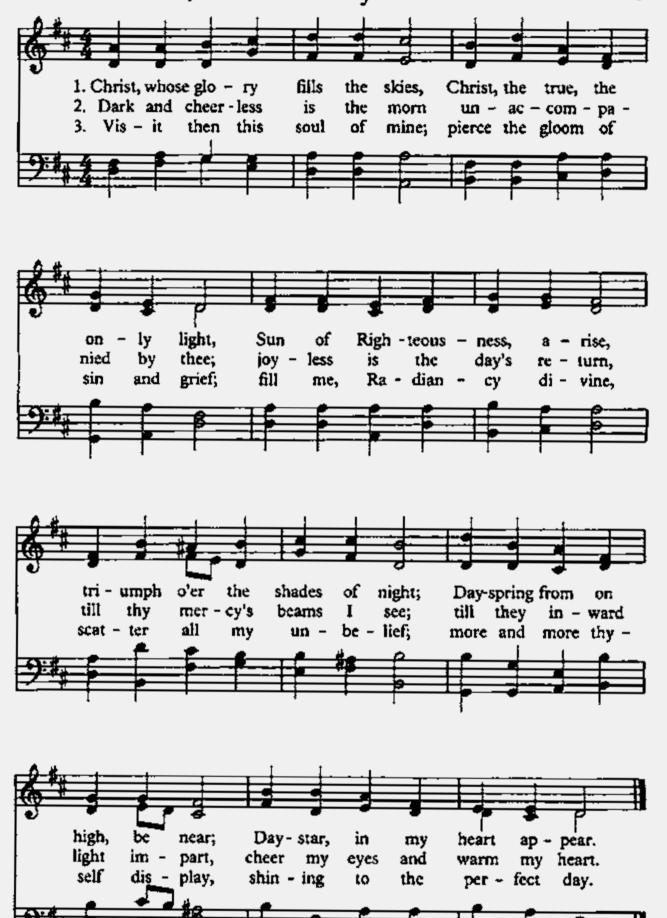
Joseph Jennings is widely regarded as a top choral conductor, music director, clinician, and arranger. He joined the renowned a capella group *Chanticleer* in 1983 as a countertenor, and shortly thereafter assumed position of Music Director. Under his direction, *Chanticleer* achieved international renown, releasing 23 critically acclaimed recordings in works ranging from Gregorian Chant, to Renaissance Masterworks, to Jazz.

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Join us for "Coffee Hour"

Meet us on Zoom at 12:30 for a virtual coffee hour! Connect with a small group of Foundry folks in a breakout room for fellowship and conversation and don't forget to bring your own coffee or tea! Join here using your smartphone camera or webcam. "See" you there!

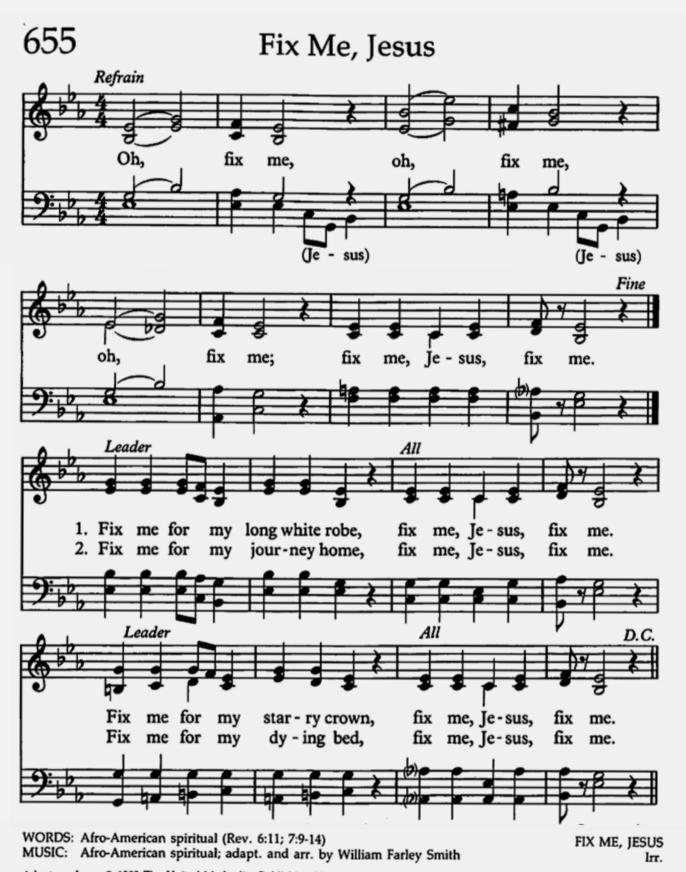
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