

CENTENNIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH AT IV 9150 East University Avenue. Altoona, IA 50009

Pastor Dani Musselman

Sunday, July 5, 2020



LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

CENTERING MOMEMT:

"Ask yourself, 'What am I afraid of?' 'Does it matter?' 'Will it be there anyway at the end?' 'Is it worth holding on to?' We have to ask whether it is fear that keeps us from loving. I promise you, grace will lead us into those fears and voids, and grace alone will fill them up, if we are willing to stay in the void." -Richard Rohr

CALL TO WORSHIP:

The Lord is my Shepherd: Even in the darkest valley.

I seek the grace of God: at the banquet table.

I seek the will of God: in the hard work of life and at the moments of ease.

I seek the strength of God: in my day-to-day reality.

How generous is the shepherd's love? Even for a time such as this?

May goodness and mercy follow me. For the Lord Is my Shepherd, and... My cup overflows. Amen!

HYMN #378 "Amazing Grace"

PRAYER CONCERNS/PATORAL/LORD'S PRAYER:

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 READINGS: Psalm 23

HYMN: #2164 "Sanctuary"

MESSAGE: Living Unafraid: Faith as a River

OFFERING

SONG: "Trust in You" by Lauren Daigle

COMMUNITY PRAYER:

Shepherding God: You abide with us; You provide for all our needs & guide us in Your ways. Out of gratitude for Your care, We offer ourselves as gifts before You. Help us to give out of generosity. Help us to offer more when others cannot offer as much. May all that we give this week be for Your work of caring; That all may feast at the table of abundance, That all may live without fear, And that all may drink deeply from the cup of compassion. Amen.

BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Through July, we will not have any in-person indoor worship events or services. Join us for virtual worship on Sunday mornings at 10:30am on Facebook or YouTube. Check out ivycentennial.org to stay updated and find all the necessary links for worship. If you have any questions, concerns, or prayer requests, please email Pastor Dani at pastordanim@gmail.com or call/text her at 515-447-0497

With love & gratitude, Pastor Dani