



BARRE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
August 9, 2020
Tenth Sunday of Pentecost
Pastor Margaret Keyser, preaching

REFLECTION

"For to have faith, is to have wings.
~ J.M. Barrie, 20th century

POSTLUDE

Lord, Here Am I - by A. L. Page

Deborah Page

GREETING

Pastor Margaret Keyser

LIGHTING THE CANDLES

CALL TO WORSHIP (From Psalms 89 & 93)

Lisa Holloway

Leader: I will sing of the Lord's great love and faithfulness forever!

People: The heavens praise Your wonders and Your faithfulness Oh Lord!

Leader: Oh God Almighty, Who is like You? You rule over the surging sea; when its waves mount up, You still them.

**People: Mightier than the thunder of the great waters, of the pounding waves...
the Lord on high is mighty!**

All: You, Oh God, are robed in majesty, and we will sing praises to Your Name! Amen.

*GATHERING HYMN (twice)

To God Be The Glory

*To God be the glory great things He hath done!
So loved He the world that He gave us His Son,
Who yielded His life and atonement for sin
And opened the Life-gate that all may be go in.*

Refrain

*Praise the Lord, hear His voice!
Praise the Lord, let the people rejoice!
Come to the Father thru Jesus the son,
and give Him the glory-great things He hath done!*

*Great things He hath taught us, great things He hath done,
And great our rejoicing thru Jesus the son;
But purest and higher and greater will be our wonder,
our transport, when Jesus we see.*

Refrain

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 14:22-33

Lisa Holloway

MUSICAL SELECTION

Thine is The Glory

Travis LaRoach, trumpet

SERMON

"When Boats Get Battered By Waves"

Pastor Margaret Keyser

HYMN

Teach Me Thy Way, O Lord

*Teach me Thy way, o Lord, Teach me Thy why!
Thy guiding grace afford- Teach me Thy way!
Help me to walk aright, more by faith, less by sight;
Lead me with heave'nly light, Teach me Thy way!*

*When doubts and fears arrise, Teach me Thy way!
When storms o'erspread the skies Teach me Thy way!
Shine thro' the cloud and rain Thro' sorrow, toil and pain;
Make Thou my pathway plain, Teach me Thy way!*

PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

Pastor Margaret Keyser

CLOSING HYMN

Trust and Obey

*When we walk with the Lord in the light of His word,
What glory He sheds on our way!
While we do His good will He abides with us still
And with all who will trust and obey.*

Refrain

*Trust and obey, for there's no other way to be happy in Jesus,
But trust and obey.*

*But we never can prove the delights of His love
Until all on the altar we lay;
For the favor He shows and the joy He bestows
Are for them who will trust and obey.*

Refrain

*Then in fellowship sweet we will sit at His feet,
Or we'll walk by His side in the way;
What he says we will do,
Where He sends we will go-never feat, only trust and obey.*

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*BENEDICTION

Pastor Margaret Keyser

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Go Now in Peace

*Go now in peace, never be afraid
Knowing God will be with you each hour of every day.
Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true.
Know He will guide you in all you do.
Go now in love, showing you believe.
Reach out to others so all the world see.
God will be there watching from above.
Go now in peace, faith and love.
Amen. Amen. Amen.*

POSTLUDE

The Joy of The Lord - G. Sewell

Deborah Page

