Bridge Over Troubled Water

When you're weary feeling small
When tears are in your eyes I'll dry them all
I'm on your side oh when times get rough
And friends just can't be found
Like a bridge over troubled water
I will lay me down
Like a bridge over troubled water
I will lay me down

When you're down and out
When you're on the street
When evening falls so hard
I will comfort you ooh
I'll take your part oh when darkness comes
And pain is all around
Like a bridge over troubled water
I will lay me down
Like a bridge over troubled water
I will lay me down

Sail on silver girl
Sail on by
Your time has come to shine
All your dreams are on their way
See how they shine
Oh if you need a friend
I'm sailing right behind
Like a bridge over troubled water
I will ease your mind
Like a bridge over troubled water
I will ease your mind



In the Image of God

In the image of God we were made long ago, with the purpose divine, here His glory to show.
But we failed Him one day, and like sheep went astray.
Thinking not of the cost, we His likeness had lost.
But from eternity God had in mind.
The work of Calvary the lost to find.
From His heaven so broad, Christ came down earth to trod,

so that men might live again in the image of God.

Now that I had believed and the Savior received.

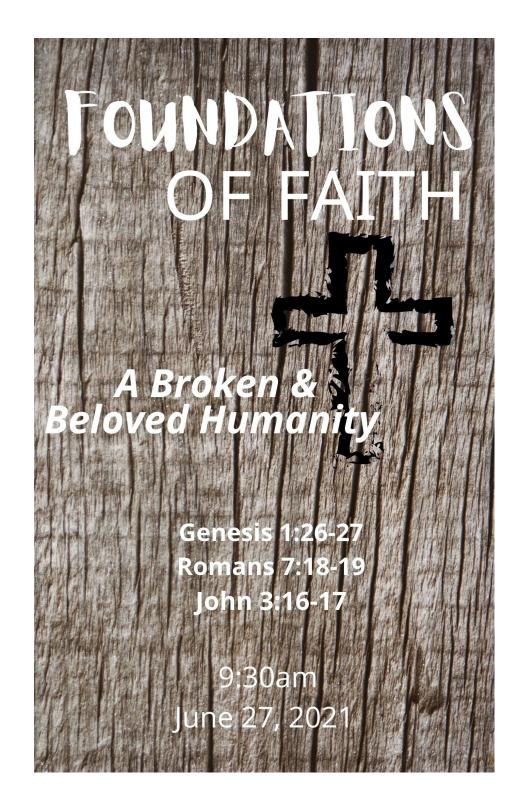
Now that I from the Christ (cry) of my guilt am relieved.

I will live for my Lord, not for gain or reward,
but for love thinking of what His grace has restored.

I'll never comprehend redemption's plan.

How Christ could condescend, to die for man.

Such a Savior I'll praise, to the end of my days
as I up-ward on-ward trod in the image of God.



WELCOME

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

9:30AM JUNE 27, 2021

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

Embracing, equipping & empowering persons to evangelize through Jesus.

CHILD CARE

Nursery (infant to age 2) is located near the Jefferson Street entrance. You may drop your child off at any time during the service. There are also rocking chairs located at the back of the sanctuary for your use.

AWE aka Alternative Worship Experience is offered for children, age Preschool and up. Children will be dismissed from the service. Children may be picked up at the Scheidt Room (preschool through Grade 5).

CONTACT US

We are so glad you have joined us today! We want you to feel at home here. You can find out what is happening around here on our website: www.vanwertfirst.net and check out our Facebook Page for inspiration and information.

Of course, we do have a telephone: 419-238-0631

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GIVING:

In the wooden boxes around the sanctuary. On line @ vanwertfirst.net Text: 419.963.3557 Thank you for your faithfulness.

PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY'S WORSHIP

Lead Pastor Chris Farmer
Organist Scott Turner
Worship Leader Jeremy Laukhuf
Sound Engineer Ron Allison
Videographer Kurt Massillo
Projectionist Jill Smelser

So God created mankind in his own image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them.

Genesis 1:27 NIV

Welcome

Voluntary In the Image of God John W. Peterson

Trumpet/piano - Paul & Annette Hoverman Words on the back of bulletin Use this time to prepare your heart for worship.

***Scripture** Genesis 1:26-27

*Opening Prayer

*Praise & Worship For the Beauty of the Earth/

All Creatures of Our God & King See Screens

Chat with the ChildrenChristie Wendel

Children Dismissed to AWE

***Scripture** Romans 7:18-19; John 3:16-17

Message Series: Foundations of Faith Pastor Chris

A Broken & Beloved Humanity

*Prayer Chorus Near to the Heart of God #472

Silent Moments with God

Closing Song Bridge Over Troubled Water

Simon & Garfunkel

Words on the back of the bulletin

Paul Hoverman - trumpet, Annette Hoverman - piano, Jeremy Laukuf - bass, Dru Johnson - rhythm

*Closing Prayer & Benediction

Postlude Recessional by Richard Elwin

You are invited to be seated to worship with the Postlude or leave in Peace.

*Please stand if you are able