

STONE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

June 4, 2023

Building Blocks Sermon Series

“Jesus’ message formed a distinct people. His message was about a new community. The Acts question is not merely the intellectual one of ‘Do you agree?’ but the political and social question, ‘Will you join up?’”
- William Willimon

WELCOME Pastor Ben

PRELUDE *I Sing Mighty Power of God* Herzog/arr. Edward Broughton
Loren & Donna Rhodes from *Gesangbuch dear*

*CALL TO WORSHIP Pastor Ben

One: We gather to practice cultivating wonder:

All: To look around in awe at the created world,

One: To sense our own frailty in the midst of it,

All: And also our value in the circles and cycle of life.

One: We gather to practice cultivating wonder:

All: At the bonds that hold us fast to one another,

One: Even when all seems lost,

All: At the light that stubbornly shines,

One: And the hope that renews us in community.

All: We gather to practice cultivating wonder:

One: Knowing that we cannot master it,

All: But still we grow and grow and grow.

*SONG *I Sing the Mighty Power of God*[^] 46

SCRIPTURE READING Acts 27: 9-44 Jay Hosler

TIME WITH OUR CHILDREN Pastor Cindy

*PASSING THE PEACE

*SONG *Come Share the Spirit* Kent Schneider

Come share the spirit growing in you,
Live out the love that’s showing in you,
Dance out your life as only you can,
Sing of the day we’ll walk hand in hand.

TIME OF PRAYER Pastor Ben

SONG *Spirit of Life*^{^^} HS 1129

MESSAGE *Stormy Seas* Pastor Cindy

*SONG *Alleluia, the Great Storm is Over*
(Join Chorus as Led) Bob Franke

Alleluia, the great storm is over,
Lift up your wings and fly.

EPILOGUE AND SENDING Pastor Cindy

*SONG *Alleluia, the Great Storm is Over*
(Join Chorus as Led) Bob Franke

*POSTLUDE *Oh, How Happy Are They* Amer. Folk/
Loren Rhodes arr. James Clemens

**Please Rise, as Able, in Body or Spirit*

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