

RAMSEY MEMORIAL UMC
May 24, 2020
7th Sunday of Easter
United by the Spirit through Technology

Prelude

Opening prayer

Welcome & announcements

Hymn

Victory in Jesus

I heard an old, old story,
how a saviour came from glory
How He gave His life on Calvary
to save a wretch like me;
I heard about His groaning,
of his precious blood's atoning,
Then I repented of my sins
and won the victory.

Refrain:

Oh, victory in Jesus,
my saviour forever!
He sought me and bought me
With His redeeming blood;
He loved me ere I knew Him,
And all my love is due Him;
He plunged me to victory
Beneath the cleansing flood.

I heard about His Healing,
of His cleansing pow'r revealing,
How He made the lame to walk
again and caused the blind to see;
And then I cried, "Dear Jesus,
come and heal my broken spirit,"
And somehow Jesus came
and brought to me the victory.

Refrain

I heard about a mansion
He has built for me in glory,
and I heard about the streets of gold
beyond the crystal sea;
about the angels singing and the old
redemption story,
and some sweet day I'll sing up there
the song of victory.

Refrain

Special Music Tammy Heller

Scripture

1 Corinthians 15: 51-58

51 But let me reveal to you a wonderful secret. We will not all die, but we will all be transformed!
52 It will happen in a moment, in the blink of an eye, when the last trumpet is blown.
 For when the trumpet sounds, those who have died will be raised to live forever.
 And we who are living will also be transformed.
53 For our dying bodies must be transformed into bodies that will never die;
 our mortal bodies must be transformed into immortal bodies.
54 Then, when our dying bodies have been transformed into bodies that will never die,
 this Scripture will be fulfilled: "Death is swallowed up in victory.
55 O death, where is your victory? O death, where is your sting?"
56 For sin is the sting that results in death, and the law gives sin its power.
57 But thank God! He gives us victory over sin and death through our Lord Jesus Christ.
58 So, my dear brothers and sisters, be strong and immovable.
 Always work enthusiastically for the Lord,
 for you know that nothing you do for the Lord is ever useless.

Sermon

Changed & Unchanged: Resurrection Life

Bayo Ogundbade

Hymn

Since Jesus Came into My Heart

What a wonderful change in my life
has been wrought
since Jesus came into my heart!
I have light in my soul for which long
I had sought,
since Jesus came into my heart!

Refrain:

Since Jesus came into my heart,
since Jesus came into my heart,
floods of joy o'er my soul like the sea
billows roll,
since Jesus came into my heart.

I'm possessed of a hope that
is steadfast and sure,
since Jesus came into my heart!
And no dark clouds of doubt now
my pathway obscure,
since Jesus came into my heart!

Refrain

There's a light in the valley of death
now for me,
since Jesus came into my heart!
And the gates of the city beyond
I can see,
since Jesus came into my heart!

Refrain

I shall go there to dwell in that city,
I know,
since Jesus came into my heart!
And I'm happy, so happy,
as onward I go,
since Jesus came into my heart!

Refrain

Prayer

Lord's Prayer

*Our Father, which 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*

Consecrating our tithes and offerings

Doxology

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts.
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

Hymn

Resurrection Power by Chris Tomlin

You called me from the grave
by name
You called me out of all my shame
I see the old has passed away
The new has come!
Now I have resurrection power
Living on the inside
Jesus, You have given us freedom
No longer bound by sin and darkness
Living in the light of Your goodness
You have given us freedom
That I'm dressed in Your royalty
Your Holy Spirit lives in me
And I see my past
has been redeemed
The new has come!
Now I have resurrection power
Living on the inside
Jesus, You have given us freedom
I'm no longer bound by sin
and darkness
Living in the light of Your goodness
You have given us freedom
Freedom, You have given us freedom
You have given us freedom,
my chains are gone!
Freedom, You have given us freedom
You have given us freedom, hallelujah!

Freedom, You have given us freedom
You have given us freedom,
my chains are gone oh o oh
Freedom, You have given us freedom
You have given us freedom, hallelujah!
Now I have resurrection power
Living on the inside
Now, I'm no longer bound
by sin and darkness
Living in the light of Your goodness
You have given us freedom!
Now I have resurrection power
Living on the inside
Jesus, You have given us freedom
Now, I'm no longer bound
by sin and darkness
Living in the light of Your goodness
You have given us freedom!
(You set us free)
I have resurrection power
(you set us free)
Living on the inside
Living on the inside!
(You set us free)
No longer bound by sin and darkness
(you set us free)
You have given us freedom
You have given us freedom!

Benediction