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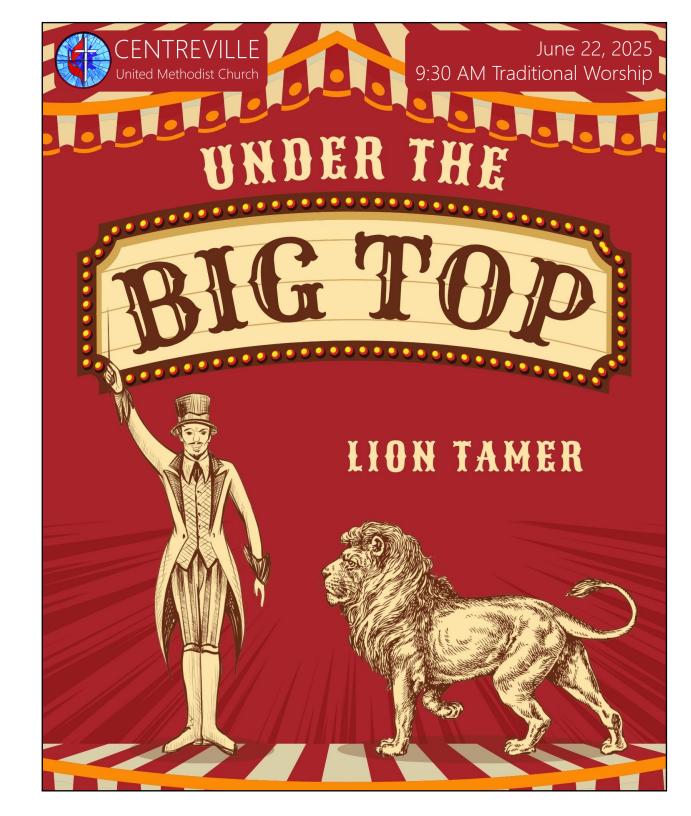
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## The Service of Worship

(Please silence electronic devices.)

Welcome Rev. Matthew Smith

Leader: The Lord be with you. **People: And also with you.** 

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Announcements Rev. Phil Mohr

Prelude Partita on Engelberg - Fanfare Behnke

Laura Hesse, organ

\*Call to Worship (from Psalm 31) Rev. Geitra Mickelson

In You, O God, do we seek refuge

In Your righteousness, deliver us.
We will trust in You alone, O Lord,

For Your goodness is abundant and Your love is steadfast.

Be strong, and let your heart take courage!

We will wait for the Lord who preserves the faithful.

\*Opening Hymn How Firm a Foundation Hymnal No. 529

\*Passing the Peace of Christ Rev. Geitra Mickelson

Opening Prayer Rev. Phil Mohr

Open our hearts today, O Lord, to feel the powerful strength and love You have for us. Help us to listen, not only with our ears, but with our spirits for Your words of compassion and healing. Enable us to become more faithful disciples for You; for we ask this in the name of our Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.

Children Dismissed to Kids Quest Rev. Phil Mohr

Old Testament Lesson Daniel 6:16-18 Pat Wolfe

Then the king gave the command, and Daniel was brought and thrown into the den of lions. The king said to Daniel, "May your God, whom you faithfully serve, deliver you!" A stone was brought and laid on the mouth of the den, and the king sealed it with his own signet and with the signet of his lords, so that nothing might be changed concerning Daniel. Then the king went to his palace and spent the night fasting; no food was brought to him, and sleep fled from him.

Epistle Lesson Revelation 5:5 Pat Wolfe

Then one of the elders said to me, "Do not weep. See, the Lion of the tribe of Judah, the Root of David, has conquered, so that he can open the scroll and its seven seals."

Anthem Didn' My Lord Deliver Daniel arr. Gibbs

**Chancel Choir** 

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"When the Advocate comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who comes from the Father, he will testify on my behalf."

"I have said these things to you to keep you from stumbling."

Response

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People: Thanks be to God.

\*Hymn O Jesus, I Have Promised Hymnal No. 396

Sermon "Under The Big Top: Lion Tamer" Rev. Matthew Smith

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Rev. Geitra Mickelson

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.

Celebration of Our Giving Rev. Phil Mohr

Offertory Partita on Engelberg - Chant and Fugue Behnke

Laura Hesse, organ

\*Presentation of Offering/Doxology Hymnal No. 95

\*Prayer of Thanksgiving Rev. Phil Mohr

\*Closing Hymn Thine Be the Glory Hymnal No. 308

\*Benediction Rev. Matthew Smith

\*Benediction Response Let Us Now Depart in Thy Peace Hymnal No. 668

Postlude Jesus Christ, My Sure Defense arr. Blersch

Laura Hesse, organ

Please join us in the fellowship hall for refreshments and conversation.

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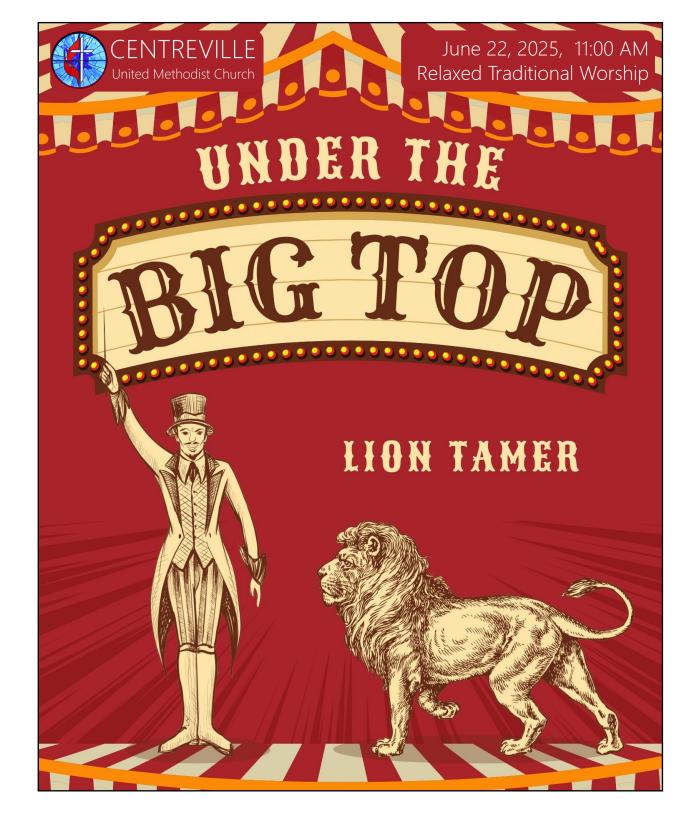
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Anthem Even When the Lions Roar Wilson

Praise Band; Ai Le, Juliette & Annalynn Theobold, soloists

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A Service of Word and Table

The Great Thanksgiving

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And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The pastor continues, and concludes...

And so, with Your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise Your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,

heaven and earth are full of Your glory. Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

The pastor continues, and concludes...

And so, in remembrance of these Your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksaiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

The pastor continues, and concludes...

Through Your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in Your holy Church, all honor and glory is Yours, almighty God, now and forever.

Amen.

Invitation to Givina

As you come forward for communion, you are invited to bring your tithes and offerings and place them in the offering baskets.

Receiving the Bread and Cup

Communion Meditation Lion Brown

Praise Band

\*Closing Song Victory Chant Vogels

Praise Band

\*Benediction Rev. Matthew Smith

Victory Chant (Reprise) Postlude Praise Band

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