

GRANGER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
9:30 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE  
JULY 3, 2022

Prelude: Day by Day CCLI# 104479 Public Domain Sandell & Skoog  
GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS PASTOR WENDY

PASS THE PEACE

CALL TO WORSHIP LITURGIST

L: Freedom is coming!

**P: We can hear it in the voices of the oppressed.**

L: Hope is coming!

**P: We can see it in the eyes of all those who despair.**

L: God is here!

**P: We count on God's presence with us,  
to guide, heal and uplift our spirits. Amen.**

OPENING PRAYER LITURGIST

Life-giving God, we gather in Your presence to offer You thanksgiving and praise for all that You have done for us. Through the life, death and resurrection of Your Son, Jesus Christ, we have been set free— free from the power of sin that leads to death, free to follow the leading of Your Holy Spirit, free to love You with all our heart and soul and strength, free to worship! May Your Holy Spirit inspire our praise and our prayers. Open our hearts and minds to Your presence among us and within us, and to the Word You have for us today. To You alone, life-giving God, belongs all praise and honor and glory and blessing, now and to the end of time. **Amen.**

PRAISING GOD THROUGH MUSIC

“Battle Hymn of the Republic” Howe and Steffe CCLI Song #24133  
Public Domain UMH 717 vv. 1,23, and 5

“America the Beautiful” Bates and Ward CCLI Song #33368  
Public Domain UMH 696 vv. 1-3

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING LITURGIST  
Galatians 5:1, 13-18

SPECIAL VIDEO: “Dear America” –Skit Guys

PASTORAL PRAYER PASTOR WENDY

LORD'S PRAYER

SONG OF PREPARATION

“Who You say I Am” Fielding and Morgan CCLI Song #7102401

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SECOND SCRIPTURE READING LITURGIST

John 8:31-38

SERMON “Freedom Indeed” PASTOR WENDY

HOLY COMMUNION

To be selected by Phyllis

CLOSING SONG

“Redeemed” Cowart and Weaver CCLI Song #6219086

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BENEDICTION PASTOR WENDY

***Thank you to all who assisted and helped in  
the preparation of this very special worship  
service.....***