**Community Congregational Church of Clinton Heights, UCC**

**August 20, 2023**

**Rev. Kenny Watson, Sr.**

**Welcome**

**No matter who you are, you are welcome here!**

**Call to Worship (Psalm 71:1-3)**

One: In thee, O Lord, do I put my trust; let me never be put to confusion

**All: Deliver me in thy righteousness,**

One: And cause me to escape: incline thine ear unto me,

**All: And save me,**

One: Be thy my strong habitation,

**All: Whereunto, I may continually resort:**

One: Thou hast given commandment to save me,

**All: For thou art my rock and fortress**

**Opening Prayer:**

**Our father in heaven. He who has given us life, health and strength. We come to you as humble as we know how. We thank you for all you have done and will do for us. We ask that you bless our church family. We ask that you bless those that continue to move our church forward. Continue to bless them in wisdom. In the name of your Son and our Savior, Jesus Christ, Amen.**

Hymn – Be Thou My Vision #595

**Children’s Sermon**

TODAY IS A GOOD DAY

**Scripture Readings:**

(Genesis 39: 2-4)

2. And the Lord was with Joseph, and he was a prosperous man; and he was in the house of his master the Egyptian

3. And his master saw that the Lord was with him, and that the Lord made all that he did to prosper in his hand.

4. And Joseph found grace in his sight, and he served him: and he made him overseer over his house, and all that he had he put in his hand.

Hymn – Ancient Words

**Sermon:**

**Ye Must Confess**

(Romans 10:9-13)

**Hymn – Oceans (Gospel)**

**Prayers for others and ourselves**

**Lord’s Prayer** (using debts/debtors)

**Offering**

**Doxology**

**Hymn – Lift Every Voice #631**

**Announcements**

**Commission and Benediction Postlude**

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