

## Welcome to Troy United Methodist Church!

January 23, 2022

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## New to Troy UMC?

We invite you on a journey with Jesus...

Connect to God and our faith community.

Grow into a wholehearted follower of Jesus.

Serve with your God-given gifts and passions.

**Share** God's love regionally and globally.

Worship God in everything you say and do.

Stop by the Welcome Center after service to pick up a gift!



Membership Class - Jan. 30, 12 - 1 p.m. in the FLC (RSVP to Bonnie)

**Discipleship Training** - Feb. 6 at noon in the FLC (RSVP to Bonnie)

## **Worship Order**

Welcome and Prayer

Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing #400 I Need Thee Every Hour

Message — Good News: When the Good News

**Becomes Bad News** Mark 2:13-3:35

**Andy Adams** 

Offering

Take My Life and Let It Be #399

**Benediction** 

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## **Message Notes**

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Good News: When the Good News Becomes Bad News

Mark 2:13-3:35

What is a time when your good news felt like bad news for someone else?

See the escalation in resistance to Jesus' good news in Mark 2:1-3:6

- 2:6 teachers of the law thinking to themselves
- 2:16 Pharisees questioned Jesus' disciples
- 2:18 people asked Jesus
- 2:24 Pharisees accused Jesus of breaking the law
- 3:2 teachers of the law looked for a reason to accuse Jesus
- 3:6 Pharisees plotted to kill Jesus

In each story, 1) Why was this bad news for them? 2) How might this become bad news for us?

- 2:13-17 the call of Levi
- 2:23-3:6 challenge of Sabbath keeping
- 3:20-35 Jesus' family and teachers of the law

How can you keep from letting Jesus' good news become bad news for you?

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