

First United Methodist Church

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THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

May 29, 2022

8:30 AM & 11:00 AM

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

Air in D Minor

Collier

†CHIMING OF THE HOUR & INTROIT

†CALL TO WORSHIP

Risen with Christ, let us seek the realities of the Spirit.

Our life is hidden with Christ in God.

He who descended is also ascended far above the heavens,

That he might fill all things.

When Christ, our Life, appears, we shall appear with him in glory!

Alleluia!

†HYMN

“All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name”

No. 154

All hail the power of Jesus' name! Let angels prostrate fall;
bring forth the royal diadem, and crown him Lord of all.
Bring forth the royal diadem, and crown him Lord of all.

Ye chosen seed of Israel's race, ye ransomed from the fall,
hail him who saves you by his grace, and crown him Lord of all.
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Sinners, whose love can ne'er forget the wormwood and the gall,
go spread your trophies at his feet, and crown him Lord of all.
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Let every kindred, every tribe on this terrestrial ball,
to him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all.
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Crown him, ye martyrs of your God, who from his altar call;
extol the Stem of Jesse's Rod, and crown him Lord of all.
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O that with yonder sacred throng we at his feet may fall!
We'll join the everlasting song, and crown him Lord of all.
We'll join the everlasting song, and crown him Lord of all.

†OPENING PRAYER

Unison

Everlasting God, your eternal Christ once dwelt on earth, confined by time and space. Give us faith to discern in every time and place the presence among us of him who is head over all things and fills all, even Jesus Christ our ascended Lord. Amen.

†AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: The Apostles' Creed

Unison

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;
the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,
The communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

†GLORIA PATRI

Unison

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.

CELEBRATION OF NEW MEMBERS

No.39

We give thanks for all that God has already given you and we welcome you in Christian love. As members together with you in the body of Christ and in this congregation of The United Methodist Church, we renew our covenant faithfully to participate in the ministries of the church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service and our witness that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.

SPECIAL MUSIC 11:00

“A Prayer for Heroes”

Chancel Choir

CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Unison

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.

SCRIPTURE

Ephesians 1:15-23

WORSHIP WITH TITHES, GIFTS, AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

“Morning Has Broken”

Arranged by C. Moglebust

Bell Tree: Jo Downing, Brenda Faber, Piano: Susan Griffith

†DOXOLOGY

No. 95

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

HYMN

“Hail the Day that Sees Him Rise”

No. 312

Hail the day that sees him rise, Alleluia!
To his throne above the skies. Alleluia!
Christ, awhile to mortals given, Alleluia!
Reascends his native heaven. Alleluia!

There the glorious triumph waits, Alleluia!
Lift your heads, eternal gates, Alleluia!
Christ hath conquered death and sin, Alleluia!
Take the King of glory in, Alleluia!

See! the heaven its Lord receives, Alleluia!
Yet he loves the earth he leaves, Alleluia!
Though returning to his throne, Alleluia!
Still he calls the world his own, Alleluia!

See! he lifts his hands above, Alleluia!
See! he shows the prints of love, Alleluia!
Hark! his gracious lips bestow, Alleluia!
Blessings on his church below, Alleluia!

SCRIPTURE

Acts 1:1-11

SERMON

“The Hope of Glory”

Pastor Powell

HYMN

“Jesus Shall Reign”

No. 157

Jesus shall reign where'er the sun does its successive journeys run;
his kingdom spread from shore to shore, till moons shall wax and
wane no more.

To Jesus endless prayer be made, and endless praises crown his head;
his name like sweet perfume shall rise with every morning sacrifice.

People and realms of every tongue dwell on his love with sweetest song;
and infant voices shall proclaim their early blessings on his name.

Blessings abound where'er he reigns: the prisoners leap to loose their chains,
the weary find eternal rest, and all who suffer want are blest.

Let every creature rise and bring honors peculiar to our King;
angels descend with songs again, and earth repeat the loud amen!

†BENEDICTION AND TRINITY CHIMES

(Please remain in place at the end of the service until the conclusion of the Trinity Chimes)

CHORAL BENEDICTION

Share His love by telling what the Lord has done for you
Share His love by sharing of your faith
And show the world that Jesus Christ is real to you
Every moment, every day!

CARRYING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST INTO THE WORLD

POSTLUDE

Fantasie

Telemann

THE FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR

THE FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR are dedicated to the Glory of God and given in loving
memory of Edna Willis, who would have celebrated her birthday on May 28th,
by Bill & Josette Swain and their family.

THE FLOWERS AT THE CHANCEL RAIL are given in memory of Kent Brown in honor of
his birthday May 31st by his family.

STEEPLE LIGHTING

The Steeple is lit the month of May to the glory of God and in loving memory of Earle Wade,
Sr., Earle Wade III and Sam Wade by Earle and Dan Wade and their families.

TUESDAY COMMUNION SERVICE

Tuesdays at 4:00 pm in the Jackie Eure classroom.
Music, short devotional, Holy communion, and prayers.

Youth Ministry Summer Small Groups

Rising 8th and 9th grade girls

Rising 10-12th grade boys

Rising 8th-9th grade boys

Email Pastor Sarah at swilliams@fumcmhc.org if you are interested in joining.

Pentecost Sunday

June 5th 2022

Pentecost is celebrated 50 days after Easter, commemorating the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles and other followers of Jesus Christ. Called by many the birthday of the church, Pentecost represents a passing of the mantle of sorts—from the Incarnate Christ to the ever-present Spirit, the reminder of the God within, the sustainer, the teacher, the strengthener. Pentecost is a day of celebration for all that God has done and is doing within the life of the church.

Blood Drive

Monday, June 20th

9:00am - 3:00 pm

While the need for **blood** is constant during the **summer** months, the **Red Cross** experiences a drastic decline in new donors. Donors can help save a life in just an hour. Share the love. Schedule your appointment today. If you cannot donate blood, you can help by donating baked goods and dropping them off on the Sunday before the blood drive or on Monday morning.

Thanks to Pat Bell for organizing our blood drives.

Project MHC

Project MHC is now accepting donations of water bottles, Gatorade bottles, and pre-packaged individual snacks for our participants and volunteers. You can drop them off anytime! Most importantly, we are looking for Prayer Partners. We would love to have adults that will volunteer to pray and to write letters to a specific youth. Contact Pastor Sarah if you would be willing to Pray.