

# FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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WORSHIP SERVICE
10:30 am Traditional

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# First United Methodist Church

Open hearts. Open minds. Open doors.

November 13, 2022 – 10:30 A.M.

Twenty-third Sunday After Pentecost

(\* Stand, if able.)

#### MUSIC TO PREPARE OUR HEARTS

#### **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Liturgist

**HYMN** "Glorify Thy Name"

Choir

\*CALL TO WORSHIP: (Responsively)

Liturgist

Leader: What joy it is to have you here today!

People: We have come from very busy lives, filled both with joys and difficulties.

Leader: Welcome to this place in which God will ease your burdens and celebrate your joys with you.

People: We have come to find hope and peace in our lives.

Leader: Whatever has happened this week in your life, know that God is with you and offering you peace, rest and blessing.

People: Thanks be to God who accepts us as we are, and thanks for the warm welcome in this service of worship. AMEN.

\*OPENING HYMN

"God of Grace and God of Glory" (Interlude between verses 2 and 3)

UMH # 577

\*OPENING PRAYER (In Unison)

Liturgist

Faithful God, we come before you with many issues on our hearts. Remind us that you will work with us and through us for peace and hope. Faithful God, release us from the traps of quick tests of your faithfulness, and help us see the "big picture" of your awesome love that spans all of time. O Lord, Forgive us for our pettiness and our stubbornness. Bring us back to you. In Jesus' Name. AMEN.

**SHARING GREETINGS** (Please greet someone that you do not know.)

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Tiffany Charles

\*CALL TO PRAYER HYMN "Lord of the Dance" (verses 1,2,4,5) UMH # 261 (Interlude between verses 2 and 4)

JOYS AND CONCERNS

# PASTORAL PRAYER, BLESSING ON THE GIFTS & THE LORD'S PRAYER

The Lord's Prayer

"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."

#### **OFFERING OUR GIFTS**

**OFFERTORY** 

"Shine, Jesus, Shine"

Choir

\*DOXOLOGY

UMH #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. A-men.

SCRIPTURE READING

James 1:12

Liturgist

"God will bless you, if you don't give up when your faith is being tested. He will reward you with a glorious life."

#### PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Pastor Yohan Baek

O God of heaven, may these words we hear become **nourishment** for our souls and **guidance** for the living of our daily lives. Amen.

**HYMN OF PREPARATION** "For the Beauty of the Earth"

(See Insert)

MESSAGE

"God's Blessing"

Pastor Yohan Baek

# **Sermon Notes**

Note 1: Genesis 25:11

"After Abraham's death, God poured out rich blessings on Isaac"

Note 2: Psalm 84:5

"You bless all who depend on You for their strength."

Note 3: Galatians 3:9

"Those who have faith are blessed along with Abraham, the man of faith."

Note 4: Jeremiah 17:7

"I will bless the person who puts his trust in Me."

Note 5: Romans 10:17

"...faith comes from hearing the message.."

Note 6: Joshua 3: 13

"As soon as the priests stepped into the river, the water stopped flowing."

Note 7: James 1:12

"God will bless you, if you don't give up when your faith is being tested. He will reward you with a glorious life."

\*HYMN OF INVITATION

"There Is a Higher Throne"

See Insert

\*BENEDICTION

Pastor Yohan Baek

\*POSTLUDE

Jeeyoung Baek

*UMH (The United Methodist Hymnal – red hymnal)* 

### **WORSHIP LEADERS**

Rev. Yohan Baek, Pastor
Tiffany Charles, Director of Children's Ministry & Mother's Day Out
Brian Gray, Liturgist
Jeeyoung Baek, Pianist
Julia Coward, Nursery Director & Children's Church
Robert & Tenny Swonke, Greeters
Jim Curik and Glynn Tucker, Ushers

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## **Our Mission Statement:**

We envision a church where people build a relationship with God and each other. Relationships transform everything!