

# FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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WORSHIP SERVICE
10:30 am Traditional

## First United Methodist Church

Open hearts. Open minds. Open doors. July 23, 2023 – 10:30 A.M.

"Come close to God and He will come close to you." James 4:8

(\* Stand, if able.)

\*OPENING HYMN

#### MUSIC TO PREPARE OUR HEARTS

#### WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Liturgist

\*CALL TO WORSHIP (Respond in bold)

Liturgist

Liturgist: God, we are seeking you:

People: Let Yourself be found!

L: God, we are calling you:

P: Listen to our prayers! Receive your people with gladness. Welcome us with blessings. Amen.

(verses 1 – 4, interlude between verses 2 and 3)

UMH # 302

\*OPENING PRAYER (In unison)

Liturgist

O God, the Holy Spirit, come to us, and among us; come as the wind, and cleanse us; come as the fire, and burn; come as the dew, and refresh; O God, the Holy Spirit, convict, convert, and consecrate many hearts and lives to our great good and to thy greater glory; and this we ask for Jesus Christ's sake. AMEN.

"Christ the Lord is Risen Today"

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

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Tiffany Charles

\*CALL TO PRAYER HYMN "Rescue the Perishing" UMH # 591
(interlude between verses 2 and 3)

**JOYS AND CONCERNS** 

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

Our prayer rises to heaven, to the mystery of God's power, as the smoke ascends when the precious incense burns.

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** 

"All Hail King Jesus"

Choir

\*DOXOLOGY

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

UMH # 95

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 37:4

Liturgist

UMH # 701

"Seek your happiness in the Lord, and he will give you your heart's desire."

"When We All Get to Heaven"

MESSAGE

"A Hunger in Your Heart"

Pastor Yohan Baek

### **SERMON NOTES**

Note 1: Amos 8:1

\*HYMN OF PREPARATION

This is what the Sovereign Lord showed me: a basket of ripe fruit.

Note 2: Amos 8:5

"When will the Sabbath be over that we may sell grain?"

Note 3: America has the highest boredom rate in the world.

Note 4: Only God can satisfy that hunger. The sooner you learn that, the better, because you will save a lot of time and a lot of money.

\*HYMN OF INVITATION

"Go Now in Peace"

See Insert

\*BENEDICTION

Pastor Yohan Baek

"May your Joy be so obvious that those who see you may come to praise God!"

\*POSTLUDE

Jeeyoung Baek

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

#### **WORSHIP LEADERS**

Rev. Yohan Baek, Pastor
Jeeyoung Baek, Pianist
Brian Gray, Liturgist
Tiffany Charles, Director of Children's Ministry and MDO
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!

#### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

Brenda Shelton (MDO Staff) ~ July 24 Glynn Tucker ~ July 26 Don McAlister ~ July 27