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WORSHIP SERVICE

10:30 am Traditional

First United Methodist Church

Open hearts. Open minds. Open doors.

January 14, 2024 – 10:30 A.M.

You have come here with needs and expectations. We hope that your needs and expectations are met through the songs and prayers and message and Fellowship!

“Come close to God and He will come near to you.” James 4:8

(Stand, if able.)*

MUSIC TO PREPARE OUR HEARTS

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Liturgist

CALL TO WORSHIP: *(Respond in Bold)*

Liturgist: O Lord, I love the house where you live!

People: The place where your glory dwells.

L: I am still confident of this: I will see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living.

P: May I dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life! Amen.

*OPENING HYMN

“Be Thou My Vision”
(interlude between verses 2 and 3)

UMH # 451

*OPENING PRAYER *(In unison)*

Liturgist

God is here! We kneel in awe. O God, give me a pure heart, that I may see you. I am no longer my own, but yours. Let me be exalted for you or brought low for you. O God, let me be full, let me be empty. Let me have all things, let me have nothing. I freely and heartily yield all things to your pleasure and disposal. Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, you are mine, and I am yours. Amen.

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

CHILDREN’S MOMENT

Tiffany Charles

*CALL TO PRAYER HYMN “Blessed Be the Tie That Binds” *(Interlude between verses 2 and 3)*

UMH # 557

JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER IN SONG

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

OFFERING OUR GIFTS

OFFERTORY "Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness" Choir

***DOXOLOGY** "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH # 95

SCRIPTURE READING Proverbs 14:30 Liturgist
"A relaxed attitude lengthens a man's life."

***HYMN OF PREPARATION** "Hymn of Promise" UMH # 707
(Interlude between verses 2 and 3)

MESSAGE "Finding Time for What Is Important" (part 2) Pastor Yohan Baek

SERMON NOTES

Note 1: Ecclesiastes 8:6

"There is a right time and a right way to do everything,
but we know so little."

Note 2: We all have the exact same amount of time -- 168 hours a week.

Note 3: Plato said, "Life should be experienced as play."

Note 4: Proverbs 12:25

"Anxiety in a man's heart weighs it down."

Note 5: Dr. Oz said, "Don't sweat the small stuff."

Note 6: Proverbs 17:22

"Being cheerful keeps you healthy.

It is a slow death to be gloomy all the time."

Note 7: Laughter produces T cells.

T cells increase our immunity.

Note 8: Proverbs 10:27

"Reverence for God adds hours to each day."

***HYMN OF INVITATION** “God Be with You till We Meet Again” UMH # 672
(verses 1 and 2, interlude between verses)

***BENEDICTION** Pastor Yohan Baek

***POSTLUDE** Jeeyoung Baek

UMH (The United Methodist Hymnal – red hymnal)

WORSHIP LEADERS

Rev. Yohan Baek, Pastor

Jeeyoung Baek, Pianist

Brian Gray, Liturgist

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