



## INTRO TO *Methodism*

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### ***FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH***

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### **WORSHIP SERVICE**

10:30 am Traditional

# First United Methodist Church

*where God meets people face to face!*  
March 9, 2025 – 10:30 A.M.

We hope that through the songs, prayers, message, and fellowship,  
you experience the Mystery of God that passes our human understanding.

*\*For your children, a basket with activities is available in the foyer.  
Child care is available during the service.*

*(\* Stand, if able.)*

## MUSIC TO PREPARE OUR HEARTS

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Liturgist

### **\*CALL TO WORSHIP** *(Respond in bold.)*

Liturgist: Welcome this day to the beginning of a journey.

**People: Where will this journey take us?**

L: It will take you to the Cross of Christ and beyond.

**P: What will be required of us for this journey?**

L: Take the risk of discipleship.

**P: Lord, help us to calm our fears as we step forward in faith. AMEN.**

### **\*OPENING HYMN**

“I Love to Tell the Story”  
*(verses 1-3)*

UMH # 156

### **\*OPENING PRAYER** *(In unison)*

**Lord, we come to you this morning with many concerns and issues that demand our attention. Lord, help us to let go of the things that harm our spirits and diminish our souls. Lord, when we have fallen, lift us up. When we think we can go no further, pick us up and carry us until we can walk again. Lord, we long to be open to your loving presence in this place. Come into our hearts and let your healing and peace flow in. In Jesus’ name, we pray. AMEN.**

### **\*SHARING GREETINGS** *(Please shake hands with someone you don’t know.)*

### **\*CALL TO PRAYER HYMN**

“This Is My Father’s World”  
*(verses 1 – 3; interlude between verses 2 and 3)*

UMH # 144

## SHARING JOYS AND CONCERNS

## **PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER**

Rev. Yohan Baek

*(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**

"Everything That Has Voice"

Choir

### **\*DOXOLOGY**

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

UMH # 95

## **GETTING TO KNOW EACH OTHER BETTER**

The Cobb Family

### **SCRIPTURE READING**

Romans 12: 4-5

Liturgist

"For as in one body we have many members and not all the members have the same function, so we, who are many, are one body in Christ, and individually we are members one of another."

Galatians 3: 28-29

"There is no longer Jew or Greek; there is no longer slave or free; there is no longer male and female, for all of you are one in Christ Jesus. And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to the promise."

### **\*HYMN**

"Here I Am, Lord"

UMH # 593

*(verses 1 – 3; interlude between 2 and 3)*

### **MESSAGE**

"Mom's German Chocolate Cake"

Dr. William Griffith

### **NOTES:**

1 Corinthians 12: 12-27; Ephesians 2: 19-22

### **\*SENDING HYMN**

"Go Now In Peace"

~ *Insert*

### **\*BENEDICTION**

Rev. Yohan Baek

### **\*POSTLUDE**

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

**WORSHIP LEADERS**

Rev. Yohan Baek, Pastor

Dr. William Griffith, Lay Speaker

Brian Gray, Liturgist

Hunter King, Violinist

Jeeyoung Baek, Pianist

Josh and Felicia Graves, Videography and Online Church

Tiffany Charles, Director of Children's Ministry and Mother's Day Out

Julia Coward, Nursery Director & Children's Church

Robert Swonke, Kristi and Frank Chavana, Greeters

Jim Curik and Glynn Tucker, Ushers

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