

Faith United Methodist Church

God's People Gather to Worship at 9:00 am

† CALL TO WORSHIP (RESPONSIVELY)

Come to this place of prayer; God is calling us. Come, all who are burdened; there is healing here.

We have come to hear the Word of God. We have brought with us all that weighs us down.

Let voices of praise greet the one who calls us. Be glad together and sing for joy.

Our hearts respond with hope for a new day. Our voices join in thankful prayers and praise.

God reigns among us and fills the world with light. We are invited to make our home with the living God.

May God's ways be known within and among us. May God guide all nations in ways of peace.

† OPENING HYMN 103

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 885

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (*IN UNISON*)

Almighty God, we have wandered far from your love. We have neglected your Word in the torrent of words that we hear and read every day. Our hearts are troubled amid the conflicts and violence of our world. Sometimes we find it easier to withdraw from everything, to resist change, lest it require more of us. We know you are reaching out to heal us; help us to respond. We know we are surrounded by your love. Let us feel it deep within, that we may reflect that love to all we meet. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Jesus invites us to stand, to feel our own strength, to understand our own power, to sense the changes that love is accomplishing with us and among us. The Holy Spirit has come to teach us all that we need in order to be faithful. We are loving servants of God, who claims us and sends us on a journey of peace. Praise God, who has blessed and forgiven us.

PSALTER

Psalms 67

Page 791, UMH

† NEW TESTAMENT READING

James 3:13-18

Page 855, pew Bible

OFFERING/OFFERTORY

Ecclesiastes 5:10

DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Page 95, UMH

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

† HYMN 400

Come, thou Fount of Every Blessing

SERMON

The Problem with 'Hail Mary' Moments

Rev. Edgar A. Brady

† HYMN OF CELEBRATION 369

Blessed Assurance

† PRAYER

† SENDING

Worship brings us together as family, but what keeps us together is our mutual love of God. Amen.

† HYMN 666

Shalom to You

Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 26, 2019

God's People Gather to Worship at 11:00 am

† GREETINGS

† OPENING SONGS OF PRAISE

PENNIES FROM HEAVEN

CHILDREN'S MOMENTS

† SONGS OF PRAISE

† NEW TESTAMENT READING

James 3:13-18

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PRAYER

† OFFERING/SONGS OF PRAISE

† SENDING FORTH

You are invited to the communion rail during this time for prayers of healing, intercession for others, strength and comfort, confession, salvation, or any other need. The Pastor and prayer team will meet you there.

† Please stand if you are able.



Good morning and welcome to Faith United Methodist Church. Our hope is that you will feel God's presence through friendly faces, meaningful worship, and opportunities to serve God's people. We are blessed by your presence and our doors are always open to you. *Please complete a visitor card found in the back of the pew in front of you and give it to an usher.* We have a gift for you that we feel will have an impact on your life! We hope you feel at home and invite you to worship with us again.