

Faith United Methodist Church

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

† CALL TO WORSHIP (RESPONSIVELY)

Blessed are those who trust in God, who delight to meditate on God's law.

We long to hear the Word of God and let the Word shape our lives.

Blessed are all who seek the realm of God, who hunger to find meaning in their lives.

We intend to give our best to our Creator, bearing fruit in all we say and so.

Blessed are the ones who serve God with joy, who risk all they have in faithfulness and hope.

We come now to worship and find new life, to receive healing and empowerment for our journey.

† OPENING HYMN 733

Marching to Zion

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 885

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (IN UNISON)

Sovereign God, we confess that we have chased after wealth and temporal security while neglecting matters of the spirit. We put our trust in things and in sinners' empty promises. We even deceive ourselves, shaping our words and actions to please the crowd. We have doubted the resurrection, surrendering to a sense of futility and skepticism. Turn us around, God, so we can learn to trust you and find strength in giving of ourselves. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

The healing Jesus offered to disciples long ago is available to us. They were freed to love with generous abandon; so are we. They learned to care for others without first measuring the benefits to themselves; so have we. They were led to the mountain top to commune with God; so are we. They found hope and new life in Christ; this is also God's gift to us.

PSALTER

Psalms 1

Page 738, UMH

† NEW TESTAMENT READING

Luke 5:1-11

Page 728, pew Bible

OFFERING/OFFERTORY

Philippians 2:9

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

† HYMN 413

A Charge to Keep I Have

SERMON

The Confession of the Sinful

Rev. Edgar A. Brady

† HYMN OF CELEBRATION 337

Only Trust Him

PRAYER

† SENDING

As Christ forgives us, so let us forgive others. As Christ loves us, so let us love others. Therefore to love, grace and peace of God we commend you and all those you love, wherever they may be. Amen.

† HYMN 666

Shalom to You

Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany

February 17, 2019

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† GREETINGS

† OPENING SONGS OF PRAISE

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

† SONGS OF PRAISE

† NEW TESTAMENT READING

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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.

Welcome to Our Church