
GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

GATHERING SONGS [8:10]

Welcome & Announcements

Joy Box

(The Joy Box offering supports our Food Pantry ministry.)

Prelude

Introit [10:50]

I Sing the Almighty Power of God

OPENING PRAYER¹

HYMN* *I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light* UMH 206

HEARING GOD'S WORD

Epistle Reading Ephesians 5:8-14

HYMN *I Am A C-H-R-I-S-T-I-A-N*

(The children are invited to come forward during this song.)

A Time with All God's Children

(The children collect a loose change offering after hearing their message. This offering teaches children about stewardship and supports our playground.)

Anthem [10:50] *Was I Faithful?*

Gospel Reading John 9:1-41

HYMN* *Amazing Grace* UMH 378

Sermon "Living Faith: Nurture" Pastor Nicole

RESPONDING IN FAITH

PRAYER CHORUS *Open Our Eyes Lord* FWS 2086

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE²

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

(If you are a guest this morning, please feel no obligation to give. This is simply one of the ways we worship God.)

RESPONSE* *The Doxology* UMH 95

Prayer of Thanksgiving*³

DEPARTING TO SERVE

HYMN* *The Servant Song* FWS 2222

(During this hymn, the altar is open for anyone who would like to come forward for accepting Christ, renewing vows, confession, or prayer as God is calling you.)

Dismissal with Blessing*⁴

PASSING OF THE PEACE and Postlude*

¹ Long, Kimberly Bracken. *Feasting on the Word Worship Companion: Liturgies for Year A, Volume 1: Advent through Pentecost*. Westminster John Knox Press.

² Fourth Sunday in Lent | Nurture — Order of Worship, March 26, 2017 (Year A). umdiscipleship.org.

³ Anderson, Rev. Rosanna. *Offertory Prayers and Invitation for March 2017*.

⁴ Fourth Sunday in Lent | Nurture

WELCOME TO THIS WORSHIP SERVICE

We're glad to have you here. Please take time to fill out the attendance insert and place it in the offering plate during the offering. Please note that bold type indicates congregational participation. An asterisk (*) indicates that you are invited to stand as you are able. UMH stands for *The United Methodist Hymnal*. FWS stands for *The Faith We Sing*.

If you are a first time visitor, text WELCOME to 620-209-0081 to get connected! If you would like to keep updated on things going on here, text LOOP to 620-209-0081!

Worship is broadcast live on KQQF STAR 98.9 FM.

OUR MISSION:

To make disciples for Jesus Christ.

INTERESTED IN JOINING FIRST UMC?

We're always ready to welcome new members. Let Pastor Nicole know that you're interested in joining.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH STAFF

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