



“Faithfully Participate: Witness”

October 18, 2020

Online greet time 9:15 a.m., worship begins at 9:30 a.m.

20th Sunday after Pentecost

Faith United Methodist Church

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We hope in this time you will experience God's love and grace.

Gathering and Praise

Prelude

Choral Call to Worship

“Holy Ground”

FWS 2272

*We are standing on holy ground, and I know that there are angels all around;
let us praise Jesus now; we are standing in his presence on holy ground.*

Call to Worship

*One: Call upon the Lord!
I asked for help and I was healed!*

**Many: We asked for freedom,
and we were given liberty beyond measure!
Praise God!**

*One: Sing to the Lord, all you faithful;
give thanks to God’s holy name.*

**Many: God turned our mourning into dancing!
The Great Tailor took away the sackcloth
and dressed us up in celebration!
Our hearts sing without ceasing!
O Lord our God, we will always give you thanks!**

*Hymn of Praise

“O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing”

UMH 57

Opening Prayer

**Many: O God, you send us out into the world as your disciples.
Allow the church to be a healing presence,
a place and a people that live out the essence of your kingdom,
here and now; through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, forever. Amen.**

Special Music

A Time for Children

Proclaiming the Word

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture Reading

Luke 10:1-12, 17-24

Hymn of Preparation

“I Love to Tell the Story”

UMH 156

Sermon

“Faithfully Participate: Witness”

Rev. Marianne Ozanne

Responding to the Word

Baptismal Covenant

UMH 39-43

Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Many: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name;
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors;
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Gathering of our Tithes and our Offerings

The Doxology

UMH 94

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below; Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Many: Your church exalts you!
In your mercy,
you have given us life everlasting,
you have given us freedom from death,
and you have favored us.
In your love,
you have given us the strength
to stand up and continue on our journey.
In your wisdom,
you have taken a chance on us,
by allowing us to be part
of your holy plans and your message.
Help us to use the gifts you have given us
with mercy, love, and wisdom, so that we can continue
to honor the trust you have put on us.
In the name of Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.

Closing Hymn

“Pass It On”

UMH 572

Benediction

Choral Benediction

“Sent Out in Jesus' Name”

FWS 2184

*Sent out in Jesus' name, our hands are ready now
to make the earth the place in which the kingdom comes. (repeat)
The angels cannot change a world of hurt and pain into a world of love,
of justice and of peace. The task is ours to do, to set it really free.
O help us to obey and carry out your will.*

Postlude

— Worship is over. The service begins. —



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