

Welcome!

January 31, 2016 +8:30 A.M. +++11:00 A.M.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Greg Brokaw, lay leader

PRELUDE

O Morning Star, How fair, How Bright

Mark Sedio

Heather Cooper, organ

CALL TO WORSHIP

based Psalm 71: 1-5

ONE: God alone is our refuge and hope,

MANY: our shelter and protection.

ONE: From our very first breath to our last,

MANY: God's love and compassion never fails.

ONE: So come, lift your voices in praise to God.

MANY: Bear witness to God's acts of mercy and love.

ALL: Proclaim God's glory to all who will listen.

*BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

*HYMN OF INTENTION

"How Firm a Foundation"

No. 529

+++ CHILDREN'S SERMON

Kathy Schmucker, Spiritual Formation Director

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

+ He Never Failed Me Yet

Robert Ray

I will sing of God's mercy, every day, every hour, He gives me power. I will sing and give thanks to Thee for all the dangers, toils and snares that He has brought me out. He is my God and I'll serve Him, no matter what the test. Trust and never doubt, Jesus will surely bring you out, He never failed me yet. I know God is able to deliver in time of storm. And I know that He'll keep you safe from all earthly harm. One day when my weary soul is at rest, I'm going home to be forever blessed. Trust and never doubt, Jesus will surely bring you out, He never failed me yet. Didn't my God deliver Moses from King Pharaoh? And didn't He cool the fiery furnace for Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego? When I think of what my God can do, He delivered Daniel, I know He will deliver you. Trust and never doubt, Jesus will surely bring you out, He never failed me yet.

Chancel Choir; Daniel Parsley, director; Alanna Shadrake and Kevin Manfred, soloists; Heather Cooper, piano

+++ My Soul's Been Anchored

Moses Hogan

In the Lord. My soul's been anchored, Hallelujah, my soul's been anchored in the Lord. Before I'd stay in hell one day I'd sing and pray my self away. Gonna shout and pray and never stop until I reach the mountain top. Do you love him? God Almighty? Are you anchored? My soul's been anchored in the Lord. Will you serve him? God Almighty? Hallelujah, will you praise him? God almighty? Lord I'm anchored, Lord I love you, yes I'll serve you, Lord I praise you. Hallelujah!

Schola Cantorum; Daniel Parsley, director

*DOXOLOGY

No. 94 or See Below

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, 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 DEDICATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Jeremiah 1: 4-10 pg. 698 OT

SHARING STORIES OF GOD AT WORK IN OUR LIVES

COMMISSIONING 2016 LEADERS & MEMBERS IN MINISTRY

SILENT PRAYER, PASTORAL PRAYER, AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

*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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and glory forever. Amen.*

HYMN OF CENTERING

"Lord, Speak to Me"

No. 463

GOSPEL LESSON

Luke 4: 21-30 pg. 61 NT

SERMON

With

Rev. Cara Stultz Costello

*HYMN OF MISSION

"Lord of the Dance"

No. 261

*BENEDICTION

*CHRIST'S LIGHT TO THE WORLD

*POSTLUDE

Holy, Holy, Holy

Rick Seaton

TODAY Piano Dedication Concert: Heather Cooper & Julie Sarver

Join us on Sunday January 31, 2015 at 4:00 PM for our Piano Dedication Concert by pianist Heather Cooper and flautist Julie Sarver. This concert celebrates the kickoff of FUMC's *Soli Deo Gloria* music series which will include spring guests such as the Bowling Green State University A Cappella Choir, the University of Akron Chamber Singers, folk music duo Simple Gifts, FUMC's *Schola Cantorum*, and many more.

A free will offering will be taken and a reception follows the hour long program. Our friends from the Steinway Piano Gallery of Cleveland will be joining us to answer any questions about this wonderful instrument.



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Co-Pastors: Revs. Cara & Steve Stultz Costello

Organist: Heather Cooper

Liturgists: +Dave Shilling +++ Teresa Purses

Greeters: +++ Ted & Pat Isue

Next Sunday, February 7

Scout Sunday

Scripture Focus: Luke 9: 28-36

Pastor Steve preaching

8:30 Harmonia Sacra Brass, Scout Musicians, & Heather Cooper, organ

9:45 Scout Musicians & Modern Worship Ensemble

11:00 Chancel Choir, Harmonia Sacra Brass, Scout Musicians
& Heather Cooper, organ

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