

Welcome!

Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 10, 2015 +8:30 A.M. +++11:00 A.M.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Judy McLaughlin, Lay Leader

PRELUDE

+ Andante Tranquillo
Heather Cooper, organ

Felix Mendelssohn

+++ *Somebody Knockin' at Your Door*
Carol Choir; Joanne Fox, director

Linda Spevacek

*CALL TO WORSHIP

ONE: We come with joy to this celebration of God's love!

MANY: Open our hearts, Lord, to receive your love.

ONE: We come with hope to this witness to God's power!

MANY: Challenge and encourage our spirits to serve you, Lord.

ONE: We come with a willingness to proclaim God's presence to all.

ALL: We thank God for this invitation to worship, witness and serve. Amen!

*HYMN OF INTENTION

"For the Beauty of the Earth"

No. 92

+++ ANTHEM

Let's Ask Mother/A Mother's Love

Joe E. Parks

Cherub Choir; Sandy Wallace, director

+++ CHILDREN'S SERMON

Kathy Schmucker, Spiritual Formation Director

OFFERING & OFFERTORY

+ *Offertory*

John Ness Beck

With what shall I come before the Lord, and bow myself before God on high? Shall I come before God with burnt offerings? Shall I come before God with yearling calves? Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, with ten thousand rivers of oil? Shall I give my first-born for my transgressions, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul? God has shown you, O child. God has shown you what is good. And what does the Lord require of you but to do justice and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?

Schola Cantorum; Daniel Parsley, director

+++ *Aardvarks on the Ark (or "How Did Noah Stand It?")*

arr. Marsh

Carol Choir; Joanne Fox, 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

HEBREW SCRIPTURE

Exodus 3: 1-15 pg. 50 OT

SHARING STORIES OF GOD AT WORK IN OUR LIVES

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

"Hymn of Promise"

No. 707

GOSPEL LESSON

John 8: 24-30 pg. 101 NT

SERMON

I AM Alleluia Worship Series: I AM

Rev. Steve Stultz Costello

*HYMN OF MISSION

"I Come with Joy"

No. 617

vs. 1,4,5

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

Trumpet Tune in D

David Johnson

****Please stand as you are able***

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Upcoming Highlights

Change the World- Volunteer for ***Change The World*** Workday, **Saturday May 16th** from 10am to 2pm at Calvary Mission, 1345 Gibbs Ave NE Canton, Ohio. We need help cleaning carpets in classrooms, washing walls, touching up paint, cleaning raised garden beds and getting ready for planting, planting shade loving plants in front of building, and donating funds, plants, or beverages/snacks for workers. Contact Sue Bell at 330-806-2797 or msuebell@gmail.com to sign up.

Walk to Peace Prayer Labyrinth – May 14, 9:30 am – 8:00 pmPrayer stations will be available in Faith's Family Life Center to guide us in praying for our community, church, families, and world. Join us for this special experience with Faith's 36 ft indoor labyrinth. **Curious to learn more about the labyrinth?** Join us at one of the following times on Thursday, May 14th for guided instruction in the history and use of the prayer labyrinth: 12:30 pm & 7:00 pm! Learn more about Faith's labyrinth here:

<http://faithum.weebly.com/labyrinth.html>

Women's Chorus Rehearsal Wednesday High school age and up women are invited to join us for the FUMC Women's Chorus. Rehearsal will be held this Wednesday (5/13) at 7:30 in the sanctuary. The Women's Chorus will sing at 9:45 and 11:00 AM services on Sunday, May 17th to support United Methodist Women Sunday. Contact Daniel Parsley, dparsley@faithumchurch.org for more information. All are welcome!

The A Cappella Choir of Bowling Green State University will perform a program of sacred and secular choral music at the Faith United Methodist Church of North Canton tonight **Sunday, May 10 at 7:00 p.m.**

Faith Notes/Navigator Update Just a reminder that the new Navigator, formerly "Faith Notes" will be sent out the first and third week of June to your email address we have in our database. Again if you prefer printed copies they will be available in the Narthex, family Life Center and the gathering area. This will come out every two weeks. To submit information please send to communications_team@faithumchurch.org

Next Sunday, May 17– United Methodist Women Sunday

Pastor Cara preaching

8:30 Joy Unlimited Youth Choir & Heather Cooper, organ

9:45 Women's Chorus & Praise Band

11:00 Women's Chorus & Heather Cooper, organ



I AM Alleluia Worship Series:

I AM

May 10, 2015

Co-Pastors: Revs. Cara & Steve Stultz Costello

Organist: Heather Cooper

Liturgists: +Dal Bremer +++Michael Farmer

Greeters: +Butch & Jo Ransom

+++George & Carol Pierpont

Today's altar flowers are given by Kevin & Kimberly Wallick

in memory of Ashley Marie

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