

WELCOME

+8:30am +++11:00am

Liturgists: +Sharon McConnell +++Sue Wheeler

Greeters: +Nancy Share, Mary Jane Watson, Linda Mohler
+++Dorothy Fisher, Paulette Baker

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *God The Father, Be Our Stay* Paul Manz
Joanne Fox, organ

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST Acolyte

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: O Lord, open my eyes that I may see the needs of others

Many: **Open my ears that I may hear their cries;**

One: Open my heart so that they need not be without succor;

Let me not be afraid to defend the weak because of the anger of the strong,

Many: **Nor afraid to defend the poor because of the anger of the rich.**

One: Show me where love and hope and faith are needed,

Many: **And use me to bring them to those places.**

One: And so open my eyes and my ears

All: **That I may this coming day be able to do some work of peace for thee. Amen.**

*HYMN OF INTENTION *We've A Story to Tell to the Nations* UMH 569

+++CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Kathy Schmucker

INTRODUCTION, UMW SPECIAL RECOGNITION PIN PRESENTATION

REMEMBRANCE OF LIGHT Betsy Gorrell

*Candles are being lit today in memory of our departed United Methodist Women members
Mary Conley and Mary Lou Slaughter*

OFFERING AND OFFERTORY

+*Geistliches lied* Johannes Brahms
Schola Cantorum/Dorothy Leeson, piano
+++*Deep River* Moses Hogan
Chancel Choir

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow
Praise God, all creatures here below
Praise God above ye heavenly hosts
Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost, Amen

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Esther 4:15-17

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 *Here I Am, Lord* UMH 593

SCRIPTURE LESSON John 4:7-15

SERMON *Bold Decision*
Reverend Linda Reynolds

THE SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION UMH 15-16

The Great Thanksgiving

The Sharing of the Bread and Cup

Communion by Intinction

COMMUNION MUSIC	<i>I Want To Walk As A Child Of The Lights</i> Joanne Fox, Organ	John Behnke
*CLOSING MESSAGE AND BENEDICTION		Betsy Gorrell
*CHRIST'S LIGHT TO THE WORLD		Acolyte
*POSTLUDE	<i>Fugue in C Major</i> Joanne Fox, organ	J.S. Bach



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Women In Mission Sunday

May 5, 2019

Worship Services: Sundays at 8:30 am, 9:45 am & 11:00 am

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