



**Dulin Church  
United Methodist**

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**November 18, 2018**

**8:30am and 11:00am**

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**"She out of  
her poverty has  
put in everything  
she had."**

MARK 12:44

**SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY**

Preacher: the Rev. Dr. M. Davies Kirkland  
Liturgist: Ian C. Urriola

Organist: Benjamin Bugaile  
Cantor: Dave Bomgardner

Lector	(8:30)	Brian Cobb	(11:00)	Tom Yancey
Ushers	(8:30)	Troy Welck Mary Codjoe Sunita Lough	(11:00)	Bob Kirschman Linda Martin Brad Child
Greeter	(8:30)	Jim Rice Floyd Smith	(11:00)	Matt Hardy
Coffee Talk	(8:30)	Dorothy Clinton	(11:00)	Jen Zarnowiecki
Counters	Troy Welck & Allen Chin			
Altar Flowers	In Thanksgiving for the Dulin Congregation by the Taylor Family			

**Prayer Concerns**

At home	Marjorie Bailey, Crawford Grogan, Harold Grogan, Virginia Harrison, Lily Houseman, Margaret Kimbro
College Students	Annabelle Bailey, Ally Bloss-Baum, Douglas Bossart, Hope Bossart, Evan Clinton, Marlee Cobb, Spencer Combs, Madison Cooper, Sophia deGuzman, Alex Eng, Katie Herbolsheimer, Jakob Hirsch, Kaylee Hirsch, Claire Joseph, Eileen Joseph, Nathan Kalbaugh, Irissa Maneechai, Alexandra Marple, Tyler Marple, Sydney Marple, Emma Mobley, Anna Rice, Campbell Scheuerman, Alex Smith, Ashley Smith, Jarman Taylor, Caroline Verrecchia, Brady Watts
Service	For persons serving overseas and their families

## OUR MISSION AND VISION STATEMENT

### Our Mission

**To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.**

### Our Vision

**Dulin Church is a caring congregation empowered by the Holy Spirit to bring God's ministry to all people and serve Jesus Christ with love.**

## WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

SILENCE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

"Offertoire"

Louis J. A. Lefébure-Wély

+ CALL TO WORSHIP

*Leader: God instructs us to give generously and cheerfully.*

**People: We gather, giving time and gifts God has given us.**

*Leader: Our wealth is measured not by what we have, but by what we give.*

**People: We give joyfully as an act of faith in God.**

**All: O God, bless your church, people, and creation through our giving.**

+ PRAISE MEDLEY

TFWS 2021 "What a Mighty God We Serve"

TFWS 2036 "Give Thanks"

TFWS 2080 "All I Need Is You"

TFWS 2270 "He Has Made Me Glad"

+ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH UMH 883

"A Statement of Faith of The United Church of Canada"

+ RESPONSE UMH 71 Gloria Patri "Glory Be to the Father"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

*Leader: Let us pray,*

**People: Merciful God, the story of the widow's two mites challenges us to examine our hearts and our habits. We are surrounded by others who need a listening and compassionate ear, who need us to take notice and show our concern. But we hurry by, so consumed with our own needs and affairs, that we scarcely notice. Forgive us for being stingy with our time. People need us to mentor or teach, repair homes, sort clothing, prepare food or offer expertise and guidance, but we fail to offer our services. Forgive us for being selfish with our resources. We are blessed with material goods in abundance, yet our giving is more often characterized by fear and scarcity than generosity. Forgive us for being tight-fisted with our money. Remind us of the example of the widow whose heart was so full of devotion that she couldn't help but give all she had. May we become more generous and joyful givers. Amen.**

ACT OF PRAISE

"Gospel of Grace"  
*Dave Bomgardner, soloist*

arr. Mark Hayes

**HEAR GOD'S WORD**

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

*Leader: Let us pray,*

**People: O Lord, as the scriptures are read and proclaimed, may we be as generous as the widow who gave all she had. Amen.**

THE OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Proverbs 11:24-25 (Pew Bible, Old Testament, p. 560)

THE EPISTLE LESSON 2 Corinthians 9:6-8 (Pew Bible, New Testament, pp. 173)

+ THE GOSPEL LESSON Mark 12:38-44 (Pew Bible, New Testament, pp. 46-47)

This is the word of God for the people of God.

**Thanks be to God.**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Ian C. Urriola

+ HYMN UMH 87                      "What Gift Can We Bring"                      Anniversary Song

SERMON                      "The Widow's Might"                      the Rev. Dr. M. Davies Kirkland

### **RESPONSE TO THE WORD**

GIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

MINISTRY THROUGH MUSIC

8:30a.m. Improvisation on "Consecration"

11:00a.m. Anthem: "I Believe in Christ"

Mack Wilberg

*Sanctuary Choir*

+ PRESENTING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

+ OFFERTORY RESPONSE

Lasst uns erfreuen

***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 THANKSGIVING

### **DEPART TO SERVE**

+ HYMN TFWS 2153                      "I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me"                      I'm Gonna Live

+ OPPORTUNITIES FOR MINISTRY

+ BLESSING AND BENEDICTION

+ ORGAN VOLUNTARY                      "Marche"                      Louis J. A. Lefébure-Wély

Join us for "Coffee Talk" in the Wesley Room immediately following the service.

+Stand, if you are able.