

Faith United Methodist Church
Order of Worship: 8:30 am Service
January 8th, 2023

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

***Call to Worship** (Liturgist- Marj Pond)

L: You who bring good news to Zion, go up on a high mountain.

P: You who bring good news to Jerusalem, lift up your voice with a shout, lift it up, do not be afraid.

L: Say to the towns of Judah, "Here is your God!"

P: See, the Sovereign Lord comes with power, and he rules with a mighty arm.

L: See, his reward is with him, and his recompense accompanies him.

P: He tends his flock like a shepherd: He gathers the lambs in his arms and carries them close to his heart; he gently leads those that have young.

***Prayer**

***Hymn-** UM Hymnal #338, *Where He Leads Me* (all)

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Offering & Offertory

***Doxology and Thanksgiving**

***Affirmation of Faith:** UM Hymnal #881, *The Apostles' Creed*

***Hymn-** UM Hymnal #340, *Come Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy* (all)

Prayer of Illumination

O God, the Holy Spirit, come to us, and among us; come as the wind and cleanse us; come as the fire and burn; come as the dew and refresh; convict, convert, and consecrate many hearts and lives to our great good and to thy greater glory; and this we ask for jesus Christ's sake. Amen.

Scripture Reading: Luke 3:21-22

Sermon: "Jesus, the Holy Spirit, and You"

***Hymn-** UM Hymnal #333, *I'm Goin' A Sing, When the Spirit Says Sing* (all)

Alternate Hymn: UM Hymnal #382, *Have Thine Own Way, Lord* (all)

***Benediction**

Postlude