

**JESUS:
DESTROYING THE DEVILS WORK**



**JESUS CAME TO DESTROY DEATH
JOHN 12:20-36**

Sunday, January 30th, 2022



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Welcome to Worship @ Faith UMC



Live Stream Available

The live stream of our 11 am service is available via our [Faith Methodist YouTube channel](#) for those who wish to worship at home.



Offering

Today's offering will be collected during the service, or you may give using our online option at umcfaith.com. Contact the church office if you have any questions about our giving options or ways you can support the ministries of Faith UMC.



Nursery/Children's Church

School age children will be dismissed during the 11 am service for Children's Church. Infants, toddlers, and preschoolers may be dropped off at the Nursery before the 11 am service begins. All Children's Church classes will meet in their classrooms in the Education Wing (former daycare).



Church Office Hours

M, W, Th & F- 9 am to 3 pm

Friends & Family Sunday is back!

All are welcome to join us in the Café after the 11 am service today for fellowship and lunch. This is a great opportunity to invite your friends and family to worship with us and stay for a meal. A limited menu will be available, and the cost of lunch is by donation.

This Week's Small Group Meetings & Events...

Sunday, January 30th

- 9:45 am- Faith Builders in the Conference Room
- 9:45 am- Fearless Conversation in the Education Wing
- 9:45 am- Faithweaver (Education Wing and Café)
- 12:15 pm- Friends & Family lunch in the Cafe
- 4:30 pm- Volleyball in the Gym
- The Summit Youth Group (see Amanda for info.)

Monday, January 31st

- 4 pm- Prayer Team in the Café

Tuesday, February 1st

- 5:30 pm- Covenant Discipleship group (Amanda)
- 6 pm- Covenant Discipleship group (Cliff)

Wednesday, February 2nd

- 11 am- Covenant Discipleship group (Cindy)
- 1 pm- Covenant Discipleship group (Judy)
- 6 pm- The Neighborhood Café in the Cafe
- 7 pm- Praise Band in the Gym
- 7:30 pm- Covenant Discipleship group (Krystal & Meg)

Thursday, February 3rd

- 6:30 pm- Covenant Discipleship group (Pastor Brian)
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Beginner Lay Servant Course

The Mid-Ohio District is offering a beginner lay servant course referred to as "Basic" on February 19th at Trinity Mt. Gilead UMC. Anyone may take lay servant training courses for spiritual development, even if you do not intend to serve as a lay servant. Taking a lay servant class does not obligate you to speak publicly. It is a way to learn how to be a helper to your church, your pastor, and your congregation.

If you'd like more information, contact Connie Cutlip in our church office for a registration brochure.



IF:GATHERING 2022

March 4 -5, 2022

We are excited to offer IF 2022 as a weekend retreat again!

Join us for the weekend at a beautiful home in the Mansfield area (close enough to home to be convenient, but the setting will feel like a weekend away)! We will gather on Friday evening for snacks and the opening sessions. On Saturday, we'll participate in morning and afternoon sessions and enjoy brunch together, then celebrate with dinner out, fun, conversation, and games. Sunday morning we'll clean up to head home. In between sessions, we'll laugh, cry, soak in the hot tub, and enjoy time with other women.

You are welcome to join us for all or part of the weekend, and we'll work with you to make sleeping arrangements that you're comfortable with!

If you can't join us at the retreat house, you are welcome to join from home virtually or gather a group of women in your own home or other location (this can be done March 4-5 or anytime after March 25)! We already have another group meeting March 25-27 for another retreat weekend!

When you register at the link below, you'll pay \$10 to IF:Gathering for the conference fees, and then our host team will contact you about lodging/sleeping arrangements (additional estimated lodging cost will be \$75 for the weekend). Email Amanda at aseitereumcfaith.com with questions.

Register here: <https://watch.if2022.com/register/join-group?groupid=19457>

About Faith UMC

Our mission is to make and mature disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world through worship, prayer, discipleship, outreach, a welcoming atmosphere, and care for those in our congregation and community. We're glad you chose to worship with us, and we hope you find today's service to be meaningful and relevant. Our prayer is that God will bless our time together as we worship in Spirit and in Truth.

Service Times:

Sunday @ 8:30 am- Traditional Service

Formal liturgy, traditional hymns

Sunday @ 11 am- Contemporary Service

Music led by Praise Band, less formal liturgy. Nursery and Children's Church are available during this service.

Wednesdays @ 6 pm- The Neighborhood Café

Join us for a free meal and an informal service.

Contact Us

Would you like to know more about Faith? Fill out the yellow Connection Card, located inside this bulletin, or contact someone from our staff. We're here to answer your questions, give clarity, and simply listen.



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Faith United Methodist Church
Order of Worship: 8:30 am Service
January 30th, 2022

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

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

L: See what great love the Father has lavished on us,
that we should be called children of God!

**P: And that is what we are! The reason the world does
not know us is that it did not know him.**

L: Dear friends, now we are children of God, and what
we will be has not yet been made known. But we know
that when Christ appears, we shall be like him, for we
shall see him as he is.

**P: All who have this hope in him purify themselves, just
as he is pure.**

Invocation

***Hymn-** UM Hymnal #369, *Blessed Assurance* (all)

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Offering & Offertory

***Doxology and Thanksgiving**

***Affirmation of Faith:** UM Hymnal #889

***Hymn-** UM Hymnal #371, *I Stand Amazed in the Presence* (v. 1,4,5)

Prayer of Illumination

Lord, open our hearts and minds, by the power of your Holy Spirit, that, as the Scriptures are read and your word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.

Scripture: John 12:20-36

Sermon: “Jesus Came to Destroy Death”

***Hymn-** UM Hymnal #363, *And Can It Be that I Should Gain* (all)

***Benediction**

Postlude