Your Friendly Community Church



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Father's Day

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

WE GATHER AT GOD'S INVITATION

PRELUDE

"Oh How He Loves You and Me"

WELCOME

& ANNOUNCEMENTS

Bill Rose

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Come, sing praises to God! Rejoice in his presence!

People: For he is our God; a Father to the fatherless,

Leader: and the defender of all who need protection.

People: The One in whom the lonely find a home, Leader: and the prisoner finds release.

People: Bless the Lord, the God of our salvation, who sustains and strengthens us, day after day! Leader: Let us worship God together!

*HYMN UMH #144

"This is My Father's World"

*PRAYER OF THE DAY

Come, O God, be with us here. As much as a deer longs for streams of cool water, we long to know that you are with us. When trouble and sorrow come, we need you. Help us to remember that you are always with us and that your love is steadfast. Put your song into our hearts, so that we may praise you this day. Amen.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Diane Horn

WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD

*PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Holy One, prepare us to receive your word. As we listen in faith and hope, open our souls to your quenching waters. Free us from the confinement of our hearts, that we may hear the promise of your love. Amen.

*OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

OT #32

Genesis 37:1-11

SERMON "The Curse of TV Fathers"

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*THE APOSTLES' CREED

UMH #881

PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

UMH #10

OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

RUMC Choir

"Praise to the Lord"

*DOXOLOGY

UMH #95

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

WE GO WITH GOD INTO THE WORLD

*HYMN

UMH #130

"God Will Take Care of You"

*BENEDICTION

*AMEN RESPONSE

UMH #898

POSTLUDE "Faith of Our Fathers"

*Please stand as you are able.

WELCOME

We welcome you to our worship service this morning. If you are visiting, please complete a visitor's card located in your pew and place it in the offering plate.

We wish all the men a happy Father's Day. We have a small gift for you as you leave.

Vacation Bible School is this week! Invite your family, friends, and neighbors to join us Monday thru Friday, June 20 – 24, from 5:30 pm – 8:30 pm. Dinner will be provided.

Our July sermon series and pastor's Bible study based on Adam Hamilton's book, "The Lord's Prayer," will begin soon. The book is available on Amazon for \$15.00. If you would like the church to order you a book, orders are due to the office by Monday, June 27. The cost is \$15.00.

The flowers on our altar today (and the last two Sundays) were given by Frank Kistler in honor of all our dads and in memory of Ed Burch.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Monday, June 20 – Friday, June 24, 5:30 pm: Vacation Bible School

Wednesday, June 22, 10 am: Bible Study Parlor

You are welcomed to attend one of our Sunday School groups each Sunday Morning:

Crossroads SS Class meets via Zoom at 9 a.m. Contact L.W. Smith for Zoom invite.

Pathfinder SS Class meets at 9:45 a.m. in the parlor in the Education Building.

HEARING INFO

If you would like to use a hearing assistance device, please see an usher for assistance.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please write your prayer requests in the book found on the podium located at the back of the sanctuary before the service begins. Pastor Meegian will receive these requests and lift them up for prayer during worship.

We are excited to have you in our worship service today. We love that the walls of our building do not limit the impact of our ministry and have a wonderful community joining us today virtually. As such, we would like to remind all in attendance that your presence in our worship service indicates your approval that you and all minors you represent being recorded for our digital usage. This includes, but is not limited to, your image, name, and involvements in today's services.