

ORDER OF WORSHIP

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS *Lay Leader*

PRELUDE Amazing Grace Arr. Kenneth D. Varner *Cheryl Mahoney, Organist*

*CALL TO WORSHIP *Lay Leader*

(After each Leader reading please respond with...)

ALL: How good and pleasant it is for Christians to live together in unity!

*OPENING HYMN "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" #384 UMH

BAPTISM (11:15) *Alexis Ann Ford*, parents Ben & Maggie Ford #39 UMH

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS (11:15) #45 UMH
Michael Layne & Sandra Pagoaga

CHILDREN'S TIME (8:15) *Pastor Tim Tate*

PRAYERS of the PEOPLE *Pastor Chelsea Morse*

*RESPONSIVE SCRIPTURE (on screen) John 1:1-5, 10-14 *Pastor Tim Tate*

GOSPEL READING John 1: 1-14 (MSG) *Pastor Chelsea Morse*
(scripture notes section on the back)

SERMON SERIES—"No Them, Just Us" – **Moving into the Neighborhood**
Pastor Chelsea Morse

OFFERTORY "Christ Has Broken Down the Wall"
by Mark A. Miller *Sanctuary Choir*

*DOXOLOGY #94 UMH

*PRAYER FOR OFFERING *Pastor Tim Tate*

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Pastor Tim Tate

Leader: Great indeed is the faithfulness of God,....

People: Almighty God, mother of mercy, father of grace: You have called us to one table, but we have pursued our own course. You have promised us the abundance of all creation, but in our greed, and in our envy, the world goes without. You have promised us the bread of life itself, but in our pride, and in our arrogance, the world goes hungry. You have promised us the waters of peace and justice, but in our violence, and in our discord, the world goes thirsty. And now we are famished, too, Lord. Have mercy on us. Forgive us, again. Transform us, at this table, and for this table, and send us from this table as servants of your righteousness, by the power of your Son, our Lord. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Pastor Tim Tate

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

Pastor Tim Tate

GREAT THANKSGIVING & HOLY COMMUNION #17 UMH *Pastors*

COMMUNION MUSIC "We Are Called" #2172 TFWS

*PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION *Pastor Chelsea Morse*

*CLOSING MUSIC "They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love"
#2223 TFWS

*MISSION STATEMENT "As followers of Christ, We SEEK others in our community, SERVE their needs, GROW in the love of Christ, and CONNECT with each other."
Pastor Chelsea Morse

*BENEDICTION *Pastor Chelsea Morse*

POSTLUDE Marche de Recessional by Alexandre Guilmant
Cheryl Mahoney, Organist

The flowers on the altar today are donated by Bob and Carol LaChance - In Memory of Our Parents, Walter and Marie LaChance and Raymond and Frances Compton

WELCOME! We'd love to hear from you! Scan this QR code to submit a prayer request, ask for more info, or let us know you were here! This helps our staff follow up easily without the risk of losing paper forms. If you prefer paper, you'll find them in the pew back, or please ask an usher.



SCRIPTURE NOTES:

NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

As November 8 & 9 approach, the Bazaar Committee is ramping up! Crafting times are Mondays 9:30-11:30 a.m. and Thursday evenings from 6:00-8:00 p.m. In addition, the Bazaar team is seeking bakers to contribute cookies, cakes, pies, and more for the bake sale table, gardeners are also encouraged to donate plants, labeled with care instructions, and cooks can help by providing food for the Bazaar workers, such as soup, salads, and sandwiches. To help and/ or donate to these, Sherry Hession at hessioncl@gmail.com or Mona Lamb at mamalamb49@gmail.com. **See something in the display case that you love? The Committee is not averse to selling items before the sale date! Contact us for details.**

- **Sunday, October 13th from 4 -5:30 pm** in the Sanctuary “Our Church Townhall” meeting
- **Wednesday, October 16th from 5 – 7 PM** in Kobler Hall, our annual United Methodist Men “**Chili Cookoff**”! Think **FOOD, FRIENDS, FUN & FLANNEL**! Bring your favorite chili to enter the contest! All are welcome, bring a friend!
- **Sunday, October 20th is Children’s Sabbath**; with kids of all ages helping / leading worship. Parents- please contact Erin Soucie (children@fumcva.org) or find the link online to plug into a spot for your

Amount Needed for Budget - 2024	Amount Received for Budget -	Amount Received to Pay Off Building Loan -
Annually: \$979,700.00	Year 2024: \$ 744,367.61	Year 2024: \$39,880.00
Monthly: \$81,641.67	Last Month: \$72,234.38	Last Month: \$3,690.00
Weekly: \$18,840.38	Last Week: \$11,062.43	Last Week: \$405.00

kiddo to help at any (or all) of the 3 services!
Financial & Attendance 9-29-2024 (5th Sunday)
Attendance 8:15-69, 11:15-87, Online-19
Actual Amount on Building Loan: \$260,538.21

Fredericksburg UMC

WELCOME
We’re glad you’re here today!



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October 6, 2024 **8:15 and 11:15 a.m.**

*Welcome, visitors! Scan our QR code or fill out a visitor card.
See a greeter for a special gift bag with local coffee!!*

Meet our Lead Pastors

Pastor Tim Tate – pastortim@fumcva.org
Pastor Chelsea Morse – pastorchelsea@fumcva.org

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