

Order of Celebration

October 28, 2018 • 10:30 AM

GATHERING

Gathering Music

Sharing the Life of the Church

Please complete the Communication Card and place it in the offering plate. If you have a prayer request, fill out a prayer card that will be collected during the first song.

Centering Music and Service of Lights

*Call to Worship

Leader: O God, in this hour of worship lift us out of the routine of our daily lives and set us up on your holy mountain.

All: Let our worship come from our hearts, that it may be genuine. Let our praises for you leap from our mouths, that we may be alive with faith and joy. Make us fresh again. Amen.

*Song O Worship the King UMH 73

**Passing the Peace*

Please greet those around you with the words "Peace be with you".

Children's Message

Song for the Children: "Go Now in Peace" UMH 665
Children ages 3 - 5 grade dismissed to Fellowship Hall for "Kids Rock".

The Law and Dedication to Holy Living: (based on Matthew 22: 37-40)

Leader: What is the great and first commandment?

All: Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.

Leader: What is the second commandment like it?

All: Love your neighbor as yourself.

Leader: What does this mean?

All: Love is the fulfilling of the law.

Leader: To what does this call us?

All: To a life of faith working through love.

Song I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me TFWS 2153

THE WORD

Old Testament Lesson Psalm 89: 1 - 4, 15 - 18 pg 734-35

Epistle Lesson Matthew 10: 40 - 43 pg 1182

Message BE GREATER: A Guide to Hospitable Christianity

OUR RESPONSE

Offering Invitation

Let us give thanks to the Lord with all our being. Let us honor God for the blessings and goodness we have received.

Offertory Music

*Doxology UMH 95

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below.
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

*Dedication Prayer

Lord, receive these offerings, our tangible expressions of love and gratitude. Transform them into a source of life for many, so that your kingdom may grow in the hearts of all. In the name of Jesus we pray, Amen.

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, As it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

WE ARE SENT FORTH

* Song Here I Am, Lord UMH 593

Taking the Light to the World

Benediction:

Pastor: Whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

**All: May we live so God can use us in the days ahead.
 Amen.**

Postlude

Please Join us for Coffee and Conversation in Fellowship Hall

**Please stand as you feel comfortable*



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Coffee and Conversation

We are looking for more volunteers to help run the Coffee and Conversation hour. Please see the sign-up sheet at the Opportunity Center for open Sundays.