



First United Methodist Church of Elgin celebrates the diversity of the human community and affirms the sacred worth of each person. We seek to follow the Way of Jesus, extending love to others, as we would want to be loved. We welcome into full inclusion in the life and ministries of the church people of all sexual orientation (lesbian, gay, and bisexual) and gender identities (transgender), ages, races and national origins, physical or mental abilities, and economic conditions. We especially proclaim this statement of welcome to all who have known the pain or exclusion or discrimination in the church. As a Reconciling Congregation, we believe that we are being reconciled to God and to one another.

The River Band

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The River

...A JOURNEY in FAITH through WORD and MUSIC



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Order of Service

Song

Praise the Lord All Over

Welcome

Songs

Blessed Be Your Name

Word of God Speak

Study John 12:42-43

Offertory

Prayer

Song

Shine a Light

Sending Forth



John 12:42-43 The Message

A considerable number from the ranks of the leaders did believe. But because of the Pharisees, they didn't come out in the open with it. They were afraid of getting kicked out of the meeting place. When push came to shove they cared more for human approval than for God's glory.



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