

In your prayers this week please remember:

- Norma Lachelle and Marjorie Thornburgh who are homebound or in care centers
- Clara Mridula Biswas, Community worker in Phnom Penh, Cambodia



First United Methodist Church of Corvallis

September 8, 2019

WELCOME TO FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH!

**Office Hours: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday-Thursday; Closed: noon to 1 p.m.
Closed on Fridays
541.752.2491**

We are a **Reconciling Congregation** that welcomes everyone into full participation in the life of this church! Your age, sexual orientation, gender identity, racial or ethnic background, economic situation, marital status, and physical or mental condition will enrich the fabric of our community. We accept all people as children of God.

We are a congregation on a journey to Sustainability, recognizing that we are stewards of God's creation for all generations, and believing that all human needs must be met equitably. The **Natural Step Framework** is our guide to Sustainability.

MINISTRY LEADERSHIP:

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***OUR MISSION IS to bring people into a living relationship with God,
through Jesus Christ, that we might love the world as God loves the world.***

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Prelude *Together* Peder B. Helland

***Greeting One Another**

Pastor: May the peace of Christ be with you...
... and also with you.

***Opening Hymn** *Welcome* Insert

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Prayer

May the Light of God surround us. May the Love of God enfold us. May the Power of God protect us. May the Presence of God watch over us. May the Mind of God guide us. May the Life of God flow through us. May the Laws of God direct us. May the Power of God abide within us. May the Joy of God uplift us. May the Strength of God renew us. May the Beauty of God inspire us. Amen.

***Hymn** *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing* UMH 400

Now Testament

Karen Bloom and Ava Ponder

(Please have your prayer cards ready to pass quickly to the ushers during this musical interlude.)

Call to Prayer

Prayers of the People

Pastor: God of love...

We thank you for your presence...

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who 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 and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Offering

Offertory

In Unity We Lift Our Song

Offering Prayer

Lord God, let me give until it helps the poor and needy, let me love until it changes the abused and doubtful, and let me serve until it blesses the least and the oppressed through my tithe, time, talent, and testimony. Amen.

** What Gift Can We Bring*
(vs. 4 only)

UMH 87

This gift we now bring, this present, this token, these words can convey it, the joy of this day! When grateful we come, remembering, rejoicing, this song we now offer in honor and praise!

Song

Where Children Belong

TFWS 2233

This, this is where children belong, welcomed as part of the worshiping throng. Water, God's Word, bread and cup, prayer, and song: This is where children belong.

+Kids' Time

Scripture

Daniel 3:1-25

Pew Bible OT p.774

Sermon

"All in this Together"

Rev. Linda Tucker

*Closing Hymn

Christ Beside Me

TFWS 2166

Benediction

Postlude

Toccata in D

Johann Krieger

You are invited to sit and listen to the postlude, but you are also welcome to leave now quietly.

Liturgist: George Brown

*indicates stand if you are able

+All children are welcome to stay for worship with their families or childcare is available for preschool through kindergarten in room 118. Special worship bags for children are outside the sanctuary entrance.

UMH = United Methodist Hymnal

TFWS = The Faith We Sing (Small Black Book)

Hearing devices (headphones) are available at the back of the sanctuary for use during the service.