

Weekly Activities

Sunday:

9:30-	Childcare	Nursery
11:30am	(Newborn-Pre-K)	
10:45-	Kid Connection	119
11:30am	(K-5th Grade)	
10:45-	Post Service	B19
11:30am	(Adult & HS)	
10:45-	Adult Learning Community	Chapel
11:30am	(Adult & HS)	
6:30 pm	Youth Group	218

Monday:

10:30 am	Caregiver Support Group	B19
	(2 nd & 4 th Monday of month)	
4:00 pm	Theology on Tap	Downward Dog
7:00 pm	Troop 2 Boy Scouts	B06

Tuesday:

9:30 am	Ladies in the Basement	B06
5:00 pm	Childcare	118
5:30 pm	Supper	CCH
6:00 pm	Children's Choir	B01
6:30 pm	Shine: Living in God's Light	
	(K-2 nd , 3 rd -5 th)	118/119
6:30 pm	Bible Explorations	Library
6:45 pm	Adult Choir Rehearsal	B01

Wednesday:

7:30 am	Women's Breakfast Group	Shari's
11:00 am	Bible Explorations	Library

Friday:

6:30 pm	Drop in Game Night	B19
	(1 st & 3 rd Friday of month)	

Monthly Activities

Sunday:

11:45 am	Human Rights Team	scout rm
	(2 nd Sunday of month)	
11:45 am	Environmental Care Team	106b
	(odd numbered months, usually 3 rd Sun)	

Monday:

5:00 pm	Personnel Ministry Team	B19
	(2 nd Monday of month)	

Tuesday:

11:30 am	FUMC Book Club	B02
	(2 nd Tuesday of month)	
6:00 pm	Building Better Moms	B19
	(3 rd Tuesday of month)	

Wednesday:

12:15 pm	Amore Organ Concert	Sanctuary
	(3 rd Wednesday of month)	

Thursday:

11:30 am	Congregational Care	B02
	(1 st Thursday of month)	
12:00 pm	Food Outreach Prep & Delivery CCK	
	(4 th Thursday of month with some prep day before)	

**The Church Office will be CLOSED
from December 24, 12:00pm-January 1.**

Stewardship: Please remember to turn in your pledge cards to the church office, if you have not already.

**Alternative Christmas
Choose From:**
SOLVE
UMCOR—California Fires
Room At The Inn
\$5, \$10 & \$25 donations

Tuesday Supper

*Vegetarian, gluten-free, and
vegan options available*

Dec. 24-30. NO SUPPER

South Corvallis Food Bank

Items for Month of **DECEMBER:**

- Condiments
- Hearty soups and stews
- Instant side dishes such as Rice-a-Roni
- Personal Care items (laundry detergent, shampoo, dish detergent)

Please put cash donations in an envelope
If you make a cash donation on Sunday and want credit for it, please put it in an envelope with your name on it.

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Prelude *Joseph Revenant un Jour* Claude Balbastre

***Greeting One Another**

***Opening Hymn** *Oh Come, All Ye Faithful* UMH 234

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Prayer UMH 201
God, you shape our dreams. As we put our trust in you may your hopes and desires be ours, and we your expectant people. Amen.

Advent Candle *Light the Advent Candle (verse 4)* TFWS 2090

Lighting the Fourth Advent Candle—Peace

Scripture Isaiah 11:1-9 Pew Bible OT p. 602

***Hymn** *O Little Town of Bethlehem* UMH 230
(Please have your prayer cards ready to pass quickly to the ushers during this musical interlude.)

Poetry Reading “Making Peace” by Denise Levertov Helen Van Nice

Prayers of the People

Hymn *Emmanuel, Emmanuel (sung 2 times)* UMH 204

Offering Prayer

Precious Lord, amid the twinkling lights, the bustling shoppers, and the traffic jams, we see you. We see you in the smile of a child who is sitting on Santa's lap and in the face of a homeless man who is standing on the street corner. We see you and are amazed by your abiding presence. You are always with us! We offer you these gifts in gratitude for your presence. O come, O come, Emmanuel. Amen.

Offering

Offertory *Mary's Magnificat* Andrew Carter

Hymn *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

Sermon "A Peaceful Soul" Rev. Linda Tucker

***Closing Hymn** *Toda la Tierra (All Earth is Waiting)* UMH 210

Benediction

Postlude *Vom Himmel Hoch* Johann Pachelbel
(From Heaven Above to Earth I Come)

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

Liturgist: Tish Tipping

*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.
+CCLI License # 11413362



Christmas Eve Service Times

4:00pm—Children's Service
7:00pm—Traditional Service
10:00pm—Contemplative Service

In your prayers this week please remember:

Vera Purtzer and Pat Sommers who are homebound, in care centers, or out of town.

WELCOME TO FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH!

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.

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