

Weekly Activities

Sunday:

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

“Raising White Kids” Book Study will be held after service TODAY in the Scout Room

“Post Script”

Please join Pastor Linda Tucker in the Martha room for a post-service discussion.

Adult Learning Community is currently exploring “The Beyond Belief” by Marcus Borg, and meets in the Chapel

South Corvallis Food Bank

Items for Month of **FEBRUARY:**

- 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.

Tuesday Supper

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

Feb 4. Fun Bowls
Feb 11. Potato Bar with Chili

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Love

“Beloved, let us love one another because love is from God: everyone who loves is born of God and knows God. Whoever does not love God does not know God, for God is love.” - 1 John 4:7-8 (NRSV)

United Methodists believe that God is Love. We believe that every human heart longs to be loved and to love. We yearn to be assured that God loves us, and we seek to grow in our love for God. Therefore, it is all the more tragic that the inclusiveness of God's love has become the source of division within our Church.



Prelude

La Pace, Canzon

Giovanni Paolo
Cima

*Greeting One Another

*Hymn

We Utter Our Cry

UMH 439

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Prayer

Gracious God of overwhelming love, tune our hearts to sing your grace. In this season of holy and active waiting, we pray that your unconditional love will provide the foundation for resisting unjust rules, systems, and structures, which diminish our witness to all your children. Help us boldly proclaim the love you have for all persons, regardless of sexual orientations or gender identities. Make us people who affirm the gifts and graces you bestow on each and every person, including the gift of loving relationships and the grace justifying a call to ministry. Remind us that love is made real not by word but by action. Help us relentlessly pursue love of neighbor, as you relentlessly pursue us, until such time that our church truly embraces and affirms the dignity of LGBTQIA+ siblings in Christ. Amen.

Scripture

Micah 6:1-8

Pew Bible OT p.816

***Hymn** *The Gift of Love* UMH 408
(Please have your prayer cards ready to pass quickly to the ushers during this musical interlude.)

Prayers of the People

God of love...
We thank you for your presence.

The Lord's Prayer (Sung with choral response) Back of UMH

Offering Prayer

We present these gifts, O God, in the confidence that healing, hope, and love will flourish through them and because of them. Amen

Offering

Offertory *The Way of Peace* Sheldon Curry

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 Rev. Linda Tucker

Communion

***Hymn** *May You Run and Not Be Weary (3x)* TFWS 2281

Benediction

Postlude *Toccata per li pedali* Johann Kaspar Kerll
(You are invited to sit and listen to the postlude, but you are also welcome to leave now quietly.)

Liturgist: Rev. Rob Kirby

*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.

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In your prayers this week please remember:

Kay Robinson and Nancy Osborne 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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