

Worship with us from HOME

Join First United Methodist Church of Kaufman Sunday morning at 10:00am for online worship.

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This week, July 12, 2020 is 6th Sunday after Pentecost. Pastor Jerry will be sharing his message, "Unveiling the Glory" from 2 Corinthians 3:15-18.



Praise Songs for Sunday, July 12

God Of Calvary

Verse 1

On the hill of Calvary the light of all the world
With the world on His shoulders
The weight of all our shame
On Him who knew no sin
A holy surrender
The sky went dark the angels wept
he Father looked away
The final breath He bowed His head
The Lamb of God was slain

Chorus

By His wounds I am set free
By His blood I've been redeemed
The great divide He crossed for me
Oh praise the God of Calvary

Verse 2

On the hill of Calvary into the Father's hands
A holy surrender
A borrowed tomb His mother wept
And there His body lay
But the stone was moved
He conquered death and rose from the grave

Bridge

And if I never never lose sight of this place
I will never never lose sight of Your grace
Your cross is all all I need to see
Oh praise the God of Calvary (REPEAT)

Ending

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Oh praise the God of Calvary

Sinner Saved By Grace

Verse 1

If you could see what I once was
If you could go with me
Back to where I started from
Then I know you could see
The miracle of love
That took me in its sweet embrace
And made me what I am today
An old sinner saved by grace

Chorus

I'm just a sinner saved by grace
When I stood condemned to death
He took my place
Now I grow and breathe in freedom
With each breath of life I take
Loved and forgiven back with the living
I'm just a sinner saved by grace

Verse 2

How could I boast of anything
I've ever seen and done
How could I dare to claim as mine
The vict'ries God has won
Where would I be
Had God not brought me gently to this place
I'm here to say I'm nothing
But an old sinner saved by grace

Hymns for Sunday, July 12

To God Be the Glory

Verse 1

To God be the glory, great things he hath done!
So loved he the world that he gave us his Son,
Who yielded his life and atonement for sin,
And opened the life-gate that all may go in.

Refrain

Praise the Lord, Praise the Lord,
Let the earth hear his voice!
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,
Let the people rejoice!
O come to the Father thru Jesus the Son,
And give him the glory,
Great things he hath done!

Verse 3

Great things he hath taught us,
Great thing he hath done,
And great our rejoicing thru Jesus the Son;
But purer, and higher, and greater will be
our wonder, our transport
When Jesus we see.

Refrain

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Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

Verse 1

What a fellowship,
what a joy divine,
Leaning on the everlasting arms;
What a blessedness,
what a peace is mine,
Leaning on the everlasting arms.

Refrain

Leaning, leaning,
safe and secure from all alarms;
Leaning, leaning,
leaning on the everlasting arms.

Verse 3

What have I to dread,
what have I to fear,
Leaning on the everlasting arms?
I have blessed peace
with my Lord so near,
Leaning on the everlasting arms.

Refrain

Leaning, leaning,
safe and secure from all alarms;
Leaning, leaning,
leaning on the everlasting arms.

A Message from Pastor Jerry

Dear First Family,

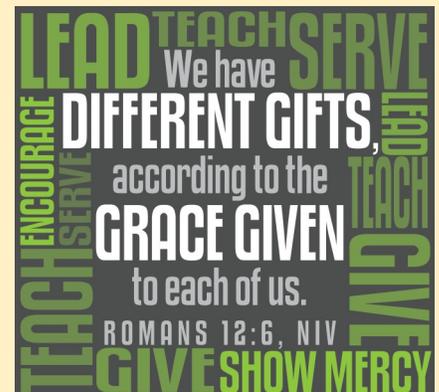
We need help from all in the fellowship. We want to explore more ministries that are needed and may be accomplished within the constraints of this time we are living in.

Please pray and send in your ideas you receive from God.

Remember we can't risk coming into on another's homes but we might have brief porch visits... Email or text your ideas to us and we will see how we might expand our ministry in creative ways.

Email is office@fumc-kaufman.org, call/text Jerry at 972-658-4648 or Pam 214-538-4727

In Christ's Love,
Pastor Jerry



The Upper Room

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From Ashleigh McCaleb, Children and Youth Director

Hey friends, Jordan and I have an exciting life update! I have accepted a position as the full-time youth minister at Lutie Watkins Memorial UMC in Llano, Texas! We are moving at the end of the month and can't wait for everything God has in store for us and our new church family. Of course we will miss our friends, family, and church here in Kaufman so much! Thank you to everyone who has loved, supported, and prayed for us.

On July 18th there will be a drive thru prayer sesh to say goodbye before the big move. We will be in our front yard from 5pm - 7pm. If you would like the opportunity to say goodbye and have us pray over you, you can pull up to the apartment during this time span. Remember to wear your mask and to remain socially distanced.

Love, Ashleigh and Jordan

From Marty Spaulding:

1 Corinthians 13:16 "Be on your guard; stand firm in the faith; be courageous; be strong."

Hello First United Methodist Church Family and Friends,

We need each other. We are family and the old saying, "the family that prays together, stays together" sure rings true. Being surrounded by this pandemic sometimes makes you feel alone. Do not lose heart, do not be afraid, stand firm in faith and draw near to our God. Focus on how big our God is. He IS all that we need. He IS our strength.

I hope that you are watching our online Sunday Morning Worship. This is our time together. We schedule the time for 10:00 am so that hopefully we are all sitting around our computers and watching "together". Listening to the amazing music "together". Praying "together". Hearing God's word "together" and receiving a message "together".

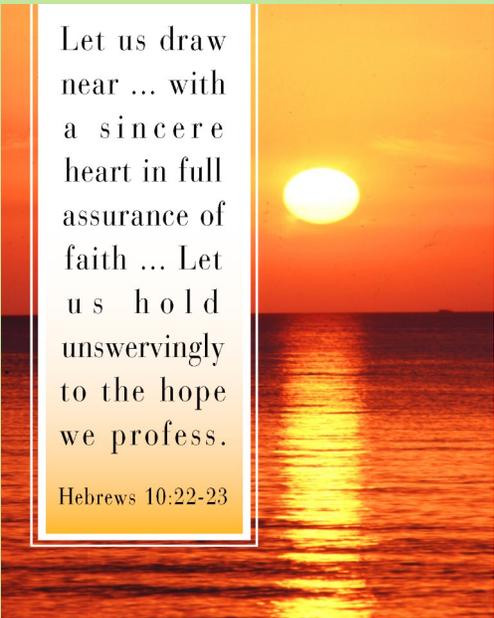
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So, here is your virtual hug for today. Let's do this together, wrap your arms around yourself and "squeeeeeeeez". Okay, I feel better, how about you? I miss my church family and I hope that these weekly tidbits from me to you somehow gives you the feeling of being together.

Until next time, "Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus." 1 Thessalonians 5:15-18

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A photograph of a sunset over a body of water. The sun is a bright yellow circle on the horizon, casting a long, shimmering reflection on the dark water. The sky is a gradient of orange and red.

Let us draw
near ... with
a sincere
heart in full
assurance of
faith ... Let
us hold
unswervingly
to the hope
we profess.

Hebrews 10:22-23

**Word of Encouragement From Karen Park:
LIVING LOVED**

The secret to loving is "living loved". It's the forgotten first step in any relationship.

Whether it's our relationship with our families, our neighbors, our friends or even the strangers we meet.

Remember Paul's prayer? "May your roots go down deep into the soil of God's marvelous love" (Ephesians 3:17).

I think in these trying times, one of the hardest things to do is give love. It's easy to feel love for our family and even our friends, but it is sometimes so very hard to love the people that our brain tells us "I don't even like you how can I love you?"

Many people tell us to love but only God gives us the power to do so. We know what God wants us to do. "This is what God commands. . .that we love each other." (1 John 3:23).

But how can we? How can we be kind to those who are unkind to us? How can we love as God loves? By receiving God's love. By following the principle: receive God's love first and give our love second. God gives us the ability to share an unfailing love. To love unconditionally, to love our enemies! (This is what I struggle with each and every day...to love my enemies!)

God loves each and every one of us personally...powerfully...passionately! He loves us with an unfailing love. Others have promised and failed. But God has promised and succeeded!

So I challenge you as I challenge myself...each and every day, try loving someone that the day before you wanted to say "I really don't like you"!!!! Maybe together we can make a difference in this turbulent world we are living in...by saying I Love You instead of I don't like you!!!!

Much love to you all and please, find Joy in the Love God gives to us and SHARE IT!



A Prayer for us from Dave Spaulding:



Lord God, our Father; We thank You for all of the gifts You have given us! We praise Your name and we worship You! You are the one true God and You are the Creator of all things. We thank You for the food You have given us to nourish our bodies, teach us to share our bounty! We Thank You for keeping us safe from all of our enemies and especially the pandemic we now face. Lord we ask that You wipe this virus off of the face of this earth. Guide our doctors and scientists to find a cure and a vaccine that will also protect us.

We ask Your forgiveness for the sins we have committed this week. We know that we have not loved our neighbor or taken care of the needs of those who have less than we do. We have sinned against You in thought, word and deed. Forgive us we pray! We know that Jesus gave his life that we might be forgiven and we thank You for giving us Him.

Lord, we ask, above all else that You teach us to love as Jesus loved. Forgive, as You forgive and teach as You have taught! Watch over all of those in our church family that are ill or hurting, and help those with addictions to look to you and heal their soul. Many of us are stressed and worried, remind us of Your mercy and give us Your grace.

Lord, we yield our lives to You! Mold us and make us new! We love You Lord!

In Jesus Holy name, Amen



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