



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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Trinity Sunday

May 30, 2021, 10:00AM

PRELUDE

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

ANNOUNCEMENTS

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Liturgist: God so loved the world that he gave his only Son that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.

People: **Let those who know they are redeemed celebrate it! Those who have been reclaimed from deep trouble!**

Liturgist: Though we were as good as dead, God made us alive with the grace of Christ through whom we are rescued and healed.

People: **O give thanks to God for such unswerving love, for such wonderful deeds for the children of earth.**

***OPENING HYMN** 77 How Great Thou Art

***OPENING PRAYER**

**Holy Spirit of God, invisible like the wind,
we do not see you moving among us,**

but the effect we see—

come to our hearts:

that we may be renewed and reborn.

Open our minds:

that we may perceive your kingdom.

Lift up our eyes

to where the cross of Christ

stands for our healing:

so may we believe,

and in believing not die

but have eternal life;

through him who

in your love for us

you sent into the world,

Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

JOYS CONCERNS PRAYERS

***SCRIPTURE READINGS**

Isaiah 6:1-8

¹In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord, high and exalted, seated on a throne; and the train of his robe filled the temple. ²Above him

In Our Prayers..

Theresa Wachter

-(mother of Sarah Strohman)

Nancy Hunsaker

Burt Hersom

Lincoln Coakley

-(grandson of Joann Coakley)

Irene Goff

Carol Ensley

Steve & Lynne Farnsworth

Deb Nissen

-(sister-in-law of Deb Wickman)

**Those who are hospitalized or are in long term care facilities*

**Hospital & nursing/assisted care facility staff, essential workers, & our military members.*

**All individual prayer requests will be listed for 6 weeks. At which time they will be removed from the list. If you wish for a name to remain, be removed, or to be put back on the list, contact the church office at 712-852-2154. Thank You!*

were seraphim, each with six wings: With two wings they covered their faces, with two they covered their feet, and with two they were flying. ³And they were calling to one another:

“Holy, holy, holy is the Lord Almighty; the whole earth is full of his glory.”

⁴At the sound of their voices the doorposts and thresholds shook and the temple was filled with smoke.

⁵“Woe to me!” I cried. “I am ruined! For I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips, and my eyes have seen the King, the Lord Almighty.”

⁶Then one of the seraphim flew to me with a live coal in his hand, which he had taken with tongs from the altar. ⁷With it he touched my mouth and said, “See, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away and your sin atoned for.”

⁸Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, “Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?”

And I said, “Here am I. Send me!”

ANTHEM “Swing Low, Sweet Chariot”

-Jim Stevens

John 3:1-17

¹Now there was a Pharisee, a man named Nicodemus who was a member of the Jewish ruling council. ²He came to Jesus at night and said, “Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God. For no one could perform the signs you are doing if God were not with him.”

³Jesus replied, “Very truly I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God unless they are born again.”

⁴“How can someone be born when they are old?” Nicodemus asked. “Surely they cannot enter a second time into their mother’s womb to be born!”

⁵Jesus answered, “Very truly I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God unless they are born of water and the Spirit. ⁶Flesh gives birth to flesh, but the Spirit gives birth to spirit. ⁷You should not be surprised at my saying, ‘You must be born again.’ ⁸The wind blows wherever it pleases. You hear its sound, but you cannot tell where it comes from or where it is going. So it is with everyone born of the Spirit.”

⁹“How can this be?” Nicodemus asked.

¹⁰“You are Israel’s teacher,” said Jesus, “and do you not understand these things? ¹¹Very truly I tell you, we speak of what we know, and we testify to what we have seen, but still you people do not accept our testimony. ¹²I have spoken to you of earthly things and you do not believe; how then will you believe if I speak of heavenly things? ¹³No one has ever gone into heaven except the one who came from heaven—the Son of Man. ¹⁴Just as Moses lifted up the snake in the wilderness, so the Son of Man must be lifted up, ¹⁵that everyone who believes may have eternal life in him.”

¹⁶For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that

whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. ¹⁷For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him.

MESSAGE OF LIFE Hojin Shin
“Born of the Spirit”

OFFERING

***DOXOLOGY** 95 Praise God From Whom Blessings Flow

***CLOSING HYMN** 569 We’ve A Story To Tell To the Nations

***BLESSING**

SONG OF SENDING FORTH 697 America (v.1 & 4)

POSTLUDE

God is Good!



VBS begins June 7th!

We are SO EXCITED to have
VBS back First UMC!

We still need Volunteers and some supplies!

We ask that you prayerfully consider helping with
this valuable ministry.

You may sign up in the back of the church
or contact the church office at 712-852-2154.

Birthdays...

May

30 Hunter Strohmman
Mike Frederick

31 Bret Hoyman

June

2 Vicki Ellis

3 Ken Kassel

5 Jennifer Meyer

6 Ben Morey

Kyro Gonzales

Anniversaries...

May

30 Rick & Candy Bisenius

31 Bill & Bonnie Whitney

June

4 Jim & Jane Stevens

Empowering EFUMC Ministry

5/23/2021

General Fund \$1,435.00

Total \$1,435.00



Upcoming Liturgists

6/6 Jodi Ward

6/13 Marilyn Carlstrom

6/20 Sarah Strohmman

6/27 Michelle Kogel

7/4 Danielle Ditch

7/11 Sarah Strohmman

Upcoming Events and Celebrations



Memorial Day
May 31, 2021

Iowa Annual Conference 2021



CONNECTED IN CHRIST
Watching Over One Another in Love

June 4-6th, 2021 - Much of the 2021 Iowa Annual Conference will be held virtually through the Zoom Webinar platform.



First UMC
Annual Garage
Sale

Family Life Center

Friday (4th) 8am-4pm
Saturday (5th) 8am-Noon



Mark Your Calendar!

Time Change!

June 6---Worship Service---9AM.



* **VBS 2021**
Jun 7-11

Program & Party
on June 13

Farewell Celebration for
Pastor Hojin and the Shin
family!

June 13th-Family Life Center
Following Worship Service



happy
father's
day

June 20, 2021