

**ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR THE 26th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
A HEALING SERVICE**

10 a.m.

November 17, 2024

** indicates "stand if you are able." UMH is the blue hymnal. TFWS is the small black book.*

PRELUDE

A Sonnet
by Enrique Granados

INTROIT

A Gospel Alleluia
by Greg Gilpin

CUMC Adult Choir
Previously Recorded

WELCOME ALL CHILDREN OF GOD

GREETINGS

One: The Grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: The risen Christ is with us.

All: Praise the Lord!

PASSING OF THE PEACE

One: The peace of the Lord be with you

All: And also with you

One: Let us share God's love and peace with one another.

*HYMN

Shout to the Lord

TFWS #2074

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: We have been blessed by the Eternal God, who has been faithful to us.

All: As thankful stewards, we will remain faithful to God.

One: The mystery that has been hidden through the ages is Christ in you,
the hope of glory.

All: As redeemed stewards, we will remain faithful to Christ.

One: God has empowered us with the Holy Spirit to be our Comforter and Guide,
our unfailing source of strength.

All: As Spirit-filled stewards, we will remain faithful to Christ.

OPENING PRAYER

God of infinite blessings, you touch our lives with love and blessings all around us. We come to this place today ready to hear your voice working through us, ready to celebrate your spirit among us. Help us to be open to your Word and to answer your call to each one of us. Amen.

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

Virginia Lorenzi

A TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

"Children's Message"

Virginia Lorenzi

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

One: Trusting in God's tender mercy, we open ourselves in honesty to God.

All: We confess our sin; we confess our need for God's grace and mercy.

One: For letting fear and anger guide us, for all selfish thoughts,

All: we need your mercy, God, and we pray for your grace. ...

One: For our wounds and weakness, for our sorrow and despair,

All: we need your mercy, God, and we pray for your grace. ...

One: For our divisions as a nation, for judging and excluding whole groups of people,

All: we need your mercy, God, and we pray for your grace. ...

One: For those whom we blame and judge, for the sake of their wholeness

All: we need your mercy, God, and we pray for your grace. ...

One: For hope in the face of despair, for courage in the face of injustice,

All: we need your mercy, God, and we pray for your grace.

One: We pray in the name of Jesus, who healed the sick, who loved the outcast, who forgave the sinner.

All: Forgive us, God, in your mercy. Heal us with your grace. Make us whole, Lord.

Make us one.

SILENT PRAYER

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

One: When we were dead in our sins, God made us alive with Christ. He forgave us all our sins, having canceled the charge of our legal indebtedness, which stood against us and condemned us; he has taken it away, nailing it to the cross. You are forgiven.

All: You are forgiven. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING FROM THE GOSPEL

Mark 10: 17-31

One: The Word of God for the people of God

All: Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE

"When You Lack Just One Thing"

Rev. Sue H. Yun

JOYS & CONCERNS

A MOMENT OF HEALING BLESSINGS

See Insert

INVITATION TO GIVE OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Jesus called all whom he met—young and old, poor and rich—to transform their lives by sharing their gifts. God uses what we offer today to bless us and others in our community and in the wider world through mission and service.

WEEKLY OFFERING & NOISY OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *Even Then* Tyler Stankiewicz
by Kyle Lee, Michael Tyler, & Tony Wood Vocal Soloist

*DOXOLOGY *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* UMH #95

THANKSGIVING PRAYER

Almighty God, we thank you for all the gifts You have given us: our lives, our loved ones, all that we have and all that we are. Most of all, we thank You for Jesus, your Son and our Redeemer, who came among us to show us the way to eternal life. Jesus was the perfect steward of your gifts, showing that complete trust in You is necessary, and that giving of self is a most important part of following Him. May the offerings of our time, our talents, and our material resources be made in the same spirit of sacrifice that Jesus taught us by His life and death for us. Amen. (Thomas Merton)

*HYMN *Freely, Freely* UMH #389

*BENEDICTION AND SENDING FORTH

As you go from this place, go with trust in God, the source of our blessings. Go with the spirit of gratitude, looking for the people and places to share generously, as we are a people rooted in God’s abundance. May the love of God surround you, the Peace of Christ be within you, and the power of the Holy Spirit sustain you, now and always. Amen.

FAREWELL *Go Now in Peace (2x)* UMH #665

POSTLUDE *Sing to the Lord of Harvest*
arr. by Michael Burkhardt

OUR WORSHIP HAS ENDED

NOW OUR SERVICE BEGINS

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