

Union Chapel United Methodist Church

At Union Chapel, We Love Big In Our Small Way May 7, 2023

Prelude

Lighting Altar Candles

Welcome and Announcements

Time of Fellowship

*Call to Worship ~ Affirmation of Faith page 885 in hymnal

Pastor: Where the Spirit of the Lord is,

There is the one true church, apostolic, and universal,

Whose holy faith let us now declare:

ALL:

We believe in God the Father, Infinite in wisdom, power, and love, Whose mercy is over all his works, And whose will is ever directed to his children's good.

We believe in Jesus Christ. Son of God and Son of Man. The gift of the Father's unfailing grace. The ground of our hope, And the promise of our deliverance from sin and death.

We believe in the Holy Spirit As the divine presence in our lives, Whereby we are kept in perpetual remembrance Of the truth of Christ. And find strength and help in time of need.

We believe that this faith should manifest itself In the service of love As set forth in our example of our blessed Lord, To the end that the kingdom of God may come upon the earth, Amen.

*Opening Hymn

When Morning Gilds the Skies #185

Scripture Reading

1 Peter 2:2-10

page 1508 in the pew Bible

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God

Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

*Doxology #95

*Offertory Prayer

Hymn My Hope is Built *v* 1,2,4 #368

Holy Communion #9

*The Gospel Lesson John 14:1-14

page 1340 in the pew Bible

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Message "Rooms"

*Closing Hymn Wonderful Words of Life #600

Benediction

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May Missions collection ~ Shepherd's House for homeless Veterans

The mission of Shepherd's House is to rebuild the
lives of those who society views as hopeless into
sober and productive assets to the community.

Shepherd's House believes that 'Only two forces have ever given their lives for us; Jesus Christ for our Salvation... And the American Soldier for our Freedom'

✓ MARK YOUR CALENDAR

May 11 @ 6 ~ Missions & Ministry Meeting – all are welcome Watch for Trustee Work Day at Union Chapel scheduling soon

Worship Servants

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^{*} Please stand if you are able.