

NATIONAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Metropolitan Memorial Campus 3401 Nebraska Ave NW
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Washington, DC

Sunday, August 6, 2023



TODAY @ NUMC

Project Transformation DC

SSandwiches and Lunches

Please visit the Great Hall after worship today to make sandwiches and pack lunches for the Project Transformation DC campers.

Thank You!!

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Lego Sunday School

Lego Sunday School will be taking place today at 9AM worship in Room 203 during worship service. .



Please join us!

Directions for Communion

In today's service, gluten free bread and grape juice will be served to all participants. Bread is dipped into the cup.



We encourage participants to use hand sanitizer. Those who do not wish to receive the elements are still encouraged to come forward to receive a blessing.

Welcoming Music	<i>Concerto in D Minor, BWV 974 - Bach</i> <i>Andante spiccato - Adagio - Presto</i>	Junghoon Park, piano
Entrance	<i>Children are invited to gather at the back to receive bells to ring!</i> <i>At the sound of the chime, please be seated anticipating the arrival of children.</i>	
Welcome		Rev. Doug Robinson-Johnson
Song of Praise	<i>Come, Sinners, to the Gospel Feast</i>	UMH 339
Prayer of Thanksgiving		
Offertory*	<i>Be Near Me Still Ferdinand Hiller, Opus 46</i>	Katelyn Neumann, mezzo-soprano
	<i>Financial offerings will be received at this time. We support the Church with prayers, presence, gifts, service, and our witness.</i>	
Children's Time		Rev. Dr. Rachel Livingston
	<i>Young people are encouraged to gather near the chancel steps, exiting to Lego Sunday School afterward</i>	
Dedication of Offering		
	Give thanks with a grateful heart give thanks to the Holy One, give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, his son. And now let the weak say, "I am strong," let the poor say, "I am rich because of what the Lord has done for us." Give thanks. Give thanks.	
Reflection		Angela Pupino
Communion	<i>Lord's Prayer (Faith We Sing)</i>	Rev. Dr. Rachel Livingston
Song of Response	<i>Fill My Cup, Lord</i>	UMH 641
Call to Service		Angela Pupino
Closing Song	<i>Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service</i>	UMH 581
Blessing		Angela Pupino
Postlude	<i>Andante, Op. 19 No. 3 – Rachmaninoff</i>	Junghoon Park, organ

NOTE: This service is livestreamed on YouTube and Facebook.

Please join us for Table Talk following worship. Coffee, snacks, and family activities are in the Great Hall.



Prelude	<i>Come On In This House</i>	Wesley Choir
Words of Welcome		Rev. Dr. Rachel Livingston
Opening Praise Song	<i>Be Thou My Vision</i>	UMH 451
Opening Prayer & Passing of the Peace		Paula Pree
Scripture Reading	Luke 16:19-31	Dee Dee Parker Wright
Offertory	Wishful Thinking <i>Mercy Me</i>	Wesley Choir
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Message		Angela Pupino
Song of Response	<i>We'll Understand It Better By and By</i>	UMH 525
Invitation to Discipleship		Angela Pupino
Holy Communion		Rev. Doug Robinson-Johnson
<i>All present are welcome to receive the elements of communion, gluten free bread, and grape juice. All may then kneel in prayer at the chancel rail and light candles of remembrance.</i>		
Doxology and Prayer of Commitment		UMH 95
Praise God from whom all blessings flow! Praise God all creatures here, below. Praise God above the heavenly host, Praise Father, son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.		
Work through us and our gifts Lord, so what comes to us as seed, goes forth as flower. And what comes to us as flower, goes forth as fruit.		
Closing Song	<i>Pass Me Not, O Gentle Savior</i>	UMH 351
Call to Action, Benediction		Rev. Dr. Rachel Livingston
Announcements		Paula Pree
Postlude	<i>Si Tuvieras Fe</i>	Wesley Choir

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Please join us for More Than Coffee Hour, a free community meal for all!

Exit the sanctuary to the right into the Fellowship Hall!



ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Lyrics *Be Near Me Still* - Ferdinand Hiller, Opus 46

German:

Herr! Den ich tief im Herzen trage, sei du mit mir, du Gnadenhort in Glück und Plage, sei du mit mir. Behüte mich am Born der Freude vor Übermuth, und wenn ich an mir selbst verzage, sei du mit mir. Dein Segen ist wie Thau den Reben, nichts kann ich selbst, doch dass ich kühn das Höchste wage, sei du mit mir. O du mein Trost, du meine Stärke, mein Sonnenlicht, bis an das Ende meiner Tage, sei du mit mir.....

English:

Lord! In my heart's love deep I hide Thee, be near me still! Thou tower of strength, whatever betide me, be Thou with me. Oh, be my guard in life's bright places, lest pride prevail, when fear or self-mistrust override me, be near me still! Like dew upon the vine Thy grace is, I'm not alone, but when I storm the heights, then guide me to do Thy will; be near me still! O Thou my hope, my power unshaken, my soul's true sun, till earth's dark days shall be forsaken, be near me still!



Contribute to the Messenger

The Messenger is a monthly publication of National United Methodist Church.

If you have a ministry event coming up, a recent church event you want to celebrate, or a story of how God is at work in this community, we want to hear from you! The Newsletter will cover the months of September and October. **Deadline: August 23 by 10 am**

Please email submissions or questions to communications@nationalchurch.org



Finding God in Scripture Online Bible Study Tuesdays, 6-7 pm via zoom

New Study Topic Begins Next Week: The Adaptability and Inclusivity of the Early Church

The Book of Acts is a record of how the early church grew from a band of dispirited disciples gathered in Jerusalem to a movement that spanned the world of that day. In August, we will look at key chapters from Acts that reveal how the power of the Holy Spirit and the adaptability of the church's first leaders ignited the rapid spread of a new faith that would become a world religion.

Zoom Meeting ID: 883 4135 5662 | Passcode: 563020



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