

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

Sunday, July 30, 2023

Summer Series "Re: Parables"

Shrewd Manager / Merciful Actions



TODAY @ NUMC

Project Transformation DC

Backpack Assembling

Come to the Vestry today at 10AM to fill backpacks with school supplies for Project Transformation DC Campers and kids in Friendship Place.

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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!

Happy Birthday Paula Pree!



The Wesley Campus community is dedicating "More than Coffee Hour" to Ms. Paula Pree in celebration of her 80th birthday!

All NUMC participants are welcome to drop in to fellowship today at Noon on the Wesley campus.

Welcoming Music *Bist du bei mir, BWV 508 - Bach* Junghoon Park, piano
Study in Canonic Form, Op. 56 No. 1 - Schumann

Entrance

*Children are invited to gather at the back to receive bells to ring!
 At the sound of the chime, please be seated anticipating the arrival of children.*

Welcome

Angela Pupino

Song of Praise

For The Beauty of the Earth

UMH 92

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Rev. Doug Robinson-Johnson

Offertory

This Day
 Lowell Alexander

Beth Revell, alto

Financial offerings will be received at this time. We support the Church with prayers, presence, gifts, service, and our witness.

Children's Time

Rev. Doug Robinson-Johnson

Young people are encouraged to gather near the chancel steps, exiting to Lego Sunday School afterward

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.

Parable for the Day

Luke 16:19-31

Angela Pupino

Reflection

Rev. Doug Robinson-Johnson

Song of Response

Go down, Moses

UMH 448

Prayers of the People

Angela Pupino

Call to Service

Rev. Doug Robinson-Johnson

Closing Song

Help Us Accept Each Other

UMH 560

Blessing

Angela Pupino

Postlude

Postlude in C, Op. 28 No. 8

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>Bridge to You</i>	Mike Wheaton
Words of Welcome		Angela Pupino
Opening Praise Song	<i>Since Jesus Came into My Heart</i>	TFWS 2140
Opening Prayer & Passing of the Peace		Paula Pree
Scripture Reading	Luke 16:19-31	Laura Harper Powell
Offertory	<i>Said I Wasn't Gonna Tell Nobody</i> David Porter, Isaac Hayes	Wesley Choir

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Message		Rev. Doug Robinson-Johnson
Song of Response	<i>Sois la Semilla (You Are the Seed)</i>	UMH 583
Invitation to Discipleship		Angela Pupino
Holy Communion		Rev. Doug Robinson-Johnson

*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.*

Doxology and Prayer of Commitment		UMH 95
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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>Bring Forth the Kingdom</i>	TFWS 2190
Benediction, Announcements, Call to Action		Rev. Doug Robinson-Johnson
Postlude	<i>Cry of my Heart</i>	TFWS 2165
	Postlude in C, Op. 28 No. 8 – Cappelán	Junghoon Park, organ

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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



Project Transformation & Friendship Place: School Backpack Assembling

Join MVP as we gather school supplies to support Friendship Place and their Neighbors First Families program which provides Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) and support for highly-vulnerable, chronically homeless families. All participants in the program are provided with permanent housing—along with comprehensive long-term case management—to ensure a better quality of life and stability.

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American Red Cross Give Blood, Help save lives – Blood Drive

Thursday, August 3 from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm in the Metropolitan Memorial Campus Vestry

You may sign-up online at www.redcross.org and search by sponsor code “National UMC” or call 1-800-REDCROSS to make your life-saving donation.



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

The Courageous Women on Jesus’s Family Tree - Jesus’s genealogy (Matt:1) includes something usually missing from Biblical genealogies – the names of five women. In July and August, we will look at these female forebearers of Christ and why their names and stories are part of Jesus’s family tree. This is a 101-level experience open to anyone. No prerequisites. No homework. And no question is too simple or out of bounds. Newcomers are welcome to jump in at any time.

Aug 1 - One Little Ewe Lamb. Bathsheba (2 Samuel 11 – 12)

Zoom Meeting ID: 883 4135 5662 | Passcode: 563020



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