

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
WELCOME TO SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

JANUARY 22, 2023

11:00 A.M.

Joys and Celebrations

Chimes of the Trinity

Prelude

Please be seated and prepare for worship with quiet
meditation and prayer.

Choral Call to Worship

“Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus”

Responsive Call to Worship

People of God, who do you come to worship?

We come to worship the one true God.

How will you worship?

Not with words alone, but by living lives of justice and love.

Come, you who belong to God. Come, you who are foolish in the eyes of the
world.

**Come and abide in God’s tent and in God’s heart, now and forever.
Amen.**

*Hymn 327

“Crown Him with Many Crowns”

Opening Prayer

Words of Welcome

Offering of Our Gifts

Offertory

*Doxology 95

The Apostles’ Creed 881

Anthem

“Be Thou My Vision”

Children’s Sermon

John Crabtree

Prayers and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer 885

*Scripture Reading

1 Corinthians 1:18-31

The Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

*Gloria Patri 70

Sermon

"The Unexpected Nature of God"

*Hymn 175 (Sing Twice)

"His Name Is Wonderful"

*Benediction

*Choral Benediction 671

"Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing"

The Congregation is invited to sing with the Choir.

*Postlude

Items in **Bold** are unison. Items with an asterisk (*) denote standing as you are able.

Announcements

Jan. 29: Holston Children's Home Collection. Please pick up your envelope and start saving those dollars. Sharon (423) 707-8476

Concerns: If you want to make changes to the prayer list or to have an announcement placed in the Sunday bulletin, please contact Pastor John Crabtree.

Online: Do not forget you can join both the weekly Bible Study sessions and Sunday Worship Service on YouTube, Facebook, or the church website. Both are archived on YouTube and Facebook.

Reminder: If you have any holiday decor (Fall or Christmas) for which you nor yours no longer have a use, please either put it aside and save to donate for next Fall's Bazaar OR take to Boutique where they MIGHT have room to store it. All donations are appreciated and most are sold.

Volunteer Schedule

Date	Coffee	Greeters	Children's Sermon	Children's Church
01-Jan	Holder	Holder	Communion	Robinson
08-Jan	Bellamy/Smith	Sijthoff	R. Kruger	Pennington
15-Jan	Glenn	Evans/Peake	Fortune	Bontrager
22-Jan	Wright	Stout/Robinson	Crabtee	Walsh
29-Jan	Walsh	Bartholomew	5th Sunday	Stout

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