



**WHEN
THE SPIRIT
MOVES**

Worship Series



Week Six

Fifth Sunday After Pentecost

"Giving What You Have"



ST. MARK'S
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

June 27, 2021, 9:30 am

In-Person & Live-Streamed on YouTube and Facebook

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GATHER

PRELUDE

Sue Combs

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Joe Payne

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Linda Payne

With friends and strangers,
with family and neighbors, we gather:

**Come among us, Healing God,
with that love which never ends.**

With faith reaching out to touch,
with hearts straining to trust, we hope:

**Come among us, Friend of the broken,
with your compassion which makes us whole.**

With word and wonder,
with silence and song, we wait:

**Come among us, Dryer of our tears,
to lift us to our feet to follow you.**

Written by Thom Shuman, and posted on Lectionary Liturgies. <http://lectionaryliturgies.blogspot.ca>. Reposted: <https://re-worship.blogspot.com/2012/06/contemporary-call-to-worship-proper-8-b.html>.

*OPENING HYMN "O For a Thousand Tongues"

UMH 57

*PEACE

The Peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

SCRIPTURE 2 Corinthians 8:7-15; Mark 5:21-43

HYMN "He Touched Me" v. 1

UMH 367

SERMON "Giving What You Have"

READING "The Risk Taker"
Stephon Carlisle Boyd

Linda Payne

HYMN "He Touched Me" v. 2

UMH 367

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The Lord's Prayer

HYMN "Breathe On Me, Breath of God" vv. 1-3 UMH 420

THANKSGIVING

OFFERING MOMENT

DISMISSAL

*HYMN "Jesus, United By Thy Grace" vv. 1, 2 & 6 UMH 561

*BLESSING

Response

"Take Jesus With You" words on screen
Words & Music by Gary Weaver

POSTLUDE

**Please stand, if able.*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Joys/Concerns

If updates are unknown, these items are listed for four weeks. Extended concerns are listed under "Continuing Prayers."

Memorial Service for Diana Griffith: 1:00 pm, Saturday, August 21.

- 6/20 From Aletha Lamar: "Joy" that my sister Ann is here with me today!
- 6/20 From Kym Nguyen: Prayers for back surgery on Tuesday.
UPDATE: Kym would like to thank everyone for their prayers and concerns as she begins to recover from this extensive surgery.
- 6/20 From Susan Bunte: Please pray for a friend's father who was diagnosed with stage 3 lung cancer.
- 6/20 Please pray for Barbara and Sherry who both are beginning their battle with cancer.
- 6/20 From the Aydletts: Please pray for our daughter Sharon Hoefelmeyer, who had knee-scopic surgery this past week.
- 6/20 Please pray for the family of Majorie Capehart who passed last Sunday. May her memory be a blessing. (Beloved friends of the Marshall's)
- 6/17 From Dianne Aiken: Stepmother (Norma Pester) has leukemia, undergoing treatment.
- 6:17 From Dianne Aiken: Nephew (Drew) had seizure. Badly injured and unresponsive at this time.
- 6/13 For Michael Anderson, who broke his nose in a bad fall.
- 6/13 Debbie Flannery: For former boss Collin Climer and family on the passing of his father, Bruce.
- 6/13 Congrats to Ben Hartwig and Meghan Davis on their wedding Friday, June 11.
- 6/13 From Sue Rumley: family of Bonnie Faucett, who passed away Friday, June 11.
- 6/13 From Ann & Andy Shellman: Two sons-in-law battling cancer.

- 6/6 Sympathy to friends and family of Linda Goegger, friend of the Aydlett's.
- 6/6 From Pat Pitman: son Jeff, recuperating from back surgery.
- 6/6 From Pat Pitman: Jeff Pitman's friend, Jeff Snell, who is in Hospice.

Continuing Prayers

Please help us keep this list current. Email or call the church office with any updates. (smumc@fairfieldstmarks.com / 844-1818)

All service Men & Women
Our Country
First Responders
United Methodist Church
Prayer & Bible Study Groups
Jean Stivers
Mitch Thomas

Lori Palmieri (Pat Coyle's daughter)
Merianne Cardas
Dick Brewer
Gina Hollinger
Sharon Hamp
Brenda Smoot

St. Mark's Homebound

Phyllis Tunning - Triplecreek
Dale Shreve - Birchwood, 201
(fractured vertebrae)
Byron Jones—Majestic Care of
Fairfield

AT HOME
Greg Pullem
Sue Webster
Virginia Shaw
Eleanor McCollum
Bob Netherland—home Hospice
Paul Schutte

ST. MARK'S WEEKLY CALENDAR

Keep informed! Check out our updated online calendar on our website at www.fairfieldstmarks.com/calendar.

Today, 6/27

- 9:30 am Worship, sanctuary and livestreamed.
Nursery open for infants—age 3.
- 9:30 am G.L.O.W. children's ministry, Fellowship Hall
Youth help with G.L.O.W.
- 10:45 am "Taste the Bread" POSTPONED

MONDAY, 6/28

- 10:00am Crafter Group (time approximate)

TUESDAY, 6/29

- 7:00 pm Scouts, picnic shelter

WEDNESDAY, 6/30

- 7:30 am Men's Prayer Group (Prayer Room and by phone)
- 6:30 pm St. Mark's Choir "Hymns by the Yard." Meet at church.
- 6:30 pm Wednesday Night Bible Study, Fellowship Hall

THURSDAY, 7/1

- 7:00 pm Narcotics Anonymous, Fellowship Hall

FRIDAY, 7/2

SATURDAY, 7/3

SUNDAY, 7/4

- 9:30 am Worship, Holy Communion, sanctuary and livestreamed.
Nursery open for infants—age 3.
NO G.L.O.W. (children's ministry)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

"TASTE THE BREAD" class scheduled for today has been postponed.

INTERESTED IN MEMBERSHIP?

Our next Membership Exploration Class will be held soon. Mark your interest on the back of the Welcome Card and you will be contacted about dates and times.

FAITHFUL and INCLUSIVE: New Classes to begin soon.

Now that St. Mark's is exploring the possibility of becoming a Reconciling Church, this class is an opportunity for you to learn more about it. In this 6-week class, we will dive into the Scriptures. We will look at the culture of today and of 2000+years ago. We will look at these passages through the lens of the life of Jesus Christ. This Bible study will aid in your study of the whole Bible. So far, 42 folks have taken the class. Dates and times are forthcoming. If interested, **sign your name on the back of your Welcome Page.**

PART-TIME ADMINISTRATOR

St. Mark's has an opening for a part-time office administrator. 20 hours per week. A job description is available on request. Contact Jennifer Rinker (jlrinker1@aol.com, (513) 703-5063).

SPRC UPDATE

We wanted to provide the congregation with a quick status update on the administrative assistant/bookkeeper position. We have received 11 applications at the time of this writing (mid-June) and are currently reviewing resumes. Once we narrow the applicants to a manageable number, we will begin interviewing. We hope to have the position filled by the end of July (We are still accepting applications).

SPECIAL OFFERING

Last week's offering for Benji Sayre and family and the Wesley Foundation at UC was \$1355! **THANK YOU** for your generosity!! We will take donations today as well.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES NEEDED

We will be collecting school supplies during the month of July for Fairfield students. Supplies collected will be given to Dougie and Ray's to include in their back-to-school backpacks. There will be collection bins in the narthex and the Fellowship Hall. July 25th will be the last day to donate. Please donate only what is asked for as this is what the Fairfield Schools require: **Glue sticks, #2 pencils, 4 oz Elmer's glue bottles, dry erase markers, 24 count Crayola crayons, 12-24 count colored pencils, packs of 3x5 index cards, packs of loose-leaf paper (wide or college ruled), composition notebooks, and packs of blue, black, or red pens.**

SERVE CITY MEAL

Our next Serve City meal will be Friday, July 23. We will be having a cookout theme for this meal. All donations need to be in the church kitchen by 5:15 on that day. If you would like to prepare something for this event, please see the sign-up on the St. Mark's Cares bulletin board or talk to Charlotte Tierney.

BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS RUN4KIDS 5k WALK/RUN: This year's walk will be in person and St. Marks will have a team! The event is on Saturday, August 14th, check-in and opening ceremony at 8:30 and the 5K beginning at 9:30. If you'd like to join our team, go to <https://amplify.e-activist.com/19381/run4kids2021/event> or see Lynne Schumacker, our team captain! She will guide you in getting signed up!

St. Mark's United Methodist Church

Our Mission: To make disciples of Jesus Christ
for the transformation of the world.

STAFF

Pastor	Joe Payne
Administrative Assistant	Brenda Smoot
Director of Music	Chris Beiser
Organist	Sue Combs
Director of Children & Family Ministries	Peggy Smith
Director of Youth Ministries	Julie Mislansky
Pastor Emeritus	Bob Klingel

OTHER PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY'S SERVICE

Liturgist	Linda Payne
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