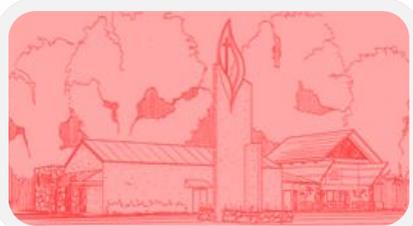


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Traditional Worship Service

July 12, 2020—11:00 AM

Welcome

Pastor Donna

Prelude *In Christ Alone My Hope is Found*

Patty Moody

Call to Worship

Susie Lawson

L: *Come, let us worship the Lord our God,*

P: **For the Lord is our God, and we are the Lord's people.**

L: *As we wait upon the Lord, let us open our ears,*

P: **That we wait might both hear and heed the word of the Lord.**

L: *As we wait upon the Lord, let us open our eyes,*

P: **That we might both see and perceive the will of the Lord.**

L: *As we wait upon the Lord, let us open our hearts.*

P: **That we might understand with our hearts and turn to the Lord for healing.**

Opening Prayer

Susie Lawson

We have listened to the words of the street corner and the marketplace. And we have heard the words of our friends and neighbors. These words have often left us confused. They have not pointed the way to a clear and compelling goal. So we come to you, O Lord, in search of the Word that will give direction and meaning to our lives. AMEN.

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

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1. Come, thou Fount of every blessing,
tune my heart to sing thy grace;
streams of mercy, never ceasing,
call for songs of loudest praise.
Teach me some melodious sonnet,
sung by flaming tongues above.
Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it,
mount of thy redeeming love.
2. Here I raise mine Ebenezer;
hither by thy help I'm come;
and I hope by thy good pleasure,
safely to arrive at home.

Jesus sought me when a stranger,
wandering from the fold of God;
he, to rescue me from danger,
interposed his precious blood.

3. O to grace how great a debtor
daily I'm constrained to be!
Let thy goodness, like a fetter,
bind my wandering heart to thee.
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it,
prone to leave the God I love;
here's my heart, O take and seal it,
seal it for thy courts above.

The United Methodist Hymnal, 1989

Pastoral Prayer

Special Music

The Love of God

Ron Gray

Offering Prayer

Scripture

Matthew 13:1-9

Pastor Donna

¹ That same day Jesus went out of the house and sat by the lake. ² Such large crowds gathered around him that he got into a boat and sat in it, while all the people stood on the shore. ³ Then he told them many things in parables, saying; “A farmer went out to sow his seed. ⁴ As he was scattering the seed, some fell along the path, and the birds came and ate it up. ⁵ Some fell on rocky places, where it did not have much soil. It sprang up quickly, because the soil was shallow. ⁶ But when the sun came up, the plants were scorched, and they withered because they had no root. ⁷ Other seed fell among thorns, which grew up and choked the plants. ⁸ Still other seed fell on good soil, where it produced a crop—a hundred, sixty or thirty times what was sown. ⁹ Whoever has ears, let them hear.”

Message

Listen

Pastor Donna

The Lord’s Prayer

O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee

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| <p>1. O Master,
let me walk with thee
in lowly paths of service free;
tell me thy secret;
help me bear the strain of toil,
the fret of care.</p> | <p>3. Teach me thy patience;
still with thee in closer,
dearer company,
in work that keeps faith sweet
and strong,
in trust that triumphs
over wrong.</p> | <p>4. In hope that sends a shining ray
far down the future’s
broadening way,
in peace that only
thou canst give, with thee,
O Master, let me live.

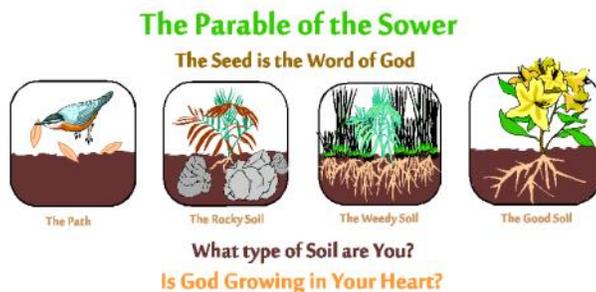
(TheUnited Methodist Hymnal, 1989)</p> |
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When Our Confidence Is Shaken

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| <p>1. When our confidence is shaken
in beliefs we thought secure,
when the spirit in its sickness
seeks but cannot find a cure,
God is active in the tensions
of a faith not yet mature.</p> | <p>4. God is love, and thus redeems us
in the Christ we crucify;
this is God’s eternal answer
to the world’s eternal why.
May we in this faith maturing
be content to live and die!</p> |
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(TheUnited Methodist Hymnal, 1989)

Benediction



TRANSFORMING LIVES THROUGH CHRIST’S LOVE

Prayer Requests

IN MOURNING FOR THE FAMILY & FRIENDS OF:

Frank Cloyd, Jr.—passed away on July 3, 2020
 (Jeanie Ryan’s friends son)
 Pat Davis—passed away in Michigan on July 6, 2020
 (Judy Woodbury’s sister)
 Peggy Pieczynski—had heart problems-passed away
 June 24, 2020 in Parsippany, NJ
 (Connie Wildberger’s sister)



Praise for Selina Turdock...her uncle has been released from hospital —Covid Free (Karin Smuts’ friend)

GENERAL PRAYER CONCERNS/PRAISE FOR THE WEEK:

Brandon Carter—for healing (Elke Thomas’ grandson)
 Dana Jacobsen—has Covid-19 & is quarantined
 (Jim & Hedy Jacobsen’s son)
 Erik King—eye surgery scheduled for 7/14/20
 (Dianne King’s son)
 Duane Lawson—in hospital in LA with Covid-19
 (George Lawson’s nephew)
 Lynn Lyndh—(Chantelle O’Connor’s friend)
 Kim McCarty—recovering from surgery 7/9/20
 (Dianne King’s daughter)
 Danny & Stacey Merritt—both have Covid-19
 (Susie Lawson’s cousins/
 Shirley Vickers’ niece/nephew)
 Robert Thomas—recovering from heart surgery 7/3/20
 (Shirley Vickers’ cousin)
 Angel Wootten—cancer returned (Joy Hughes’ cousin)

BIRTHDAYS



15—Wilma Montgomery +
 16—Lillian Slight
 17—Debi Laibe
 17—Shelia Warren
 18—Connie Wildberger +
 +=80 and over

ANNIVERSARIES

19—Andy & Melissa Macnab
 19—Sam & Dawn Showers



Movies Under the Palms

July 17th Breakthrough

All movies will begin at 8:30 p.m. or dusk.

(Indoor showing at 8PM if weather is bad).

Tuesday Matinee 1p.m. Choir Room



TODAY’S ALTAR FLOWERS ARE GIVEN BY:



Mary Carol Schwanke

“In loving memory of my husband, Wayne”

Flower Arrangements by: B J’S FLOWERS and PLANTS

ASSISTING AS USHERS

Shirley Vickers & Susie Lawson
 If you need to use the rest room,
 please ask an usher.



Christmas Under the Palms Meeting
 Monday, July 13th at
 6PM in the Choir Room. Please wear masks and practice social distancing.

Edgewater United Methodist Church
211 N. Ridgewood Ave., Edgewater, Florida 32132
Beginning June 21, 2020
Outdoor Worship - 9 a.m. & Indoor Worship - 11 a.m.
Both services will be live-streamed on social media.

Current Guidelines for a Safe Experience at Drive-in/Outdoor Worship
Please follow these guidelines for everyone's safety and comfort.

Arrive 10 to 15 minutes early.

Enter from the Lamont St. entrance and exit onto Ridgewood (Rt. 1)

Drive safely in the parking area, follow instructions of parking attendants and ushers.

Park as the parking attendants direct you.

Leave sufficient space for the persons in the car next to you to exit their vehicle if they need to.

Do not have close contact with others.

Do not shake hands or hug even if the other party says it is okay.

Do not sing close to others outside your car even with a mask on. (16 feet apart is the recommended distance for singing on a non-windy day).

Do not come to worship if you do not feel well or have a fever.

Please use the restrooms one person at a time.

Current Guidelines for a Safe Experience for Worship in the Sanctuary

Please follow these guidelines for everyone's safety and comfort.

Reservations are required. Call for reservations Monday - Friday between 9:00 a.m. and Noon.

When our capacity is reached, you will be placed on a waiting list and contacted if space is available.

Arrive 10 to 15 minutes early.

Enter and exit only through the front entrance of the sanctuary.

Seating will be assigned ahead of time based on social distancing guidelines.

Masks must be worn for inside worship at this time.

Do not have close contact with others.

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Do not sing even with a mask on. (16 feet apart is the recommended distance for singing)

Do not come to worship if you do not feel well or have a fever.

Please use the restrooms one person at a time.

Come to church prepared to worship God and love one another. Come to experience the gifts of the Holy Spirit. Come to express your belief in Jesus and God's gift of saving grace. Protect and give assurance to others that our being "together" is safe by wearing masks, social distancing and following the rules we hate to have to follow. Please follow the rules even if you do not agree with them so others are comfortable here. The church is counting on you. Christ is counting on you. Your friends at church are counting on you. Those who are seeking Jesus in this miserable, scary time are counting on you. Thank you for trusting your church to have worship in as safe a way as possible.