

Prelude ~

Pam Campbell

Welcome & Announcements

Worship Leader: Jessica Dethloff

Christ’s Light Enters

**(Please stand as you are able)*

***Call to Worship**

The Lord is our shepherd, we shall not want.

Praise God, our Lord, and our life!

The Lord is our shepherd; we lie down in peace.

Praise God, our Lord, and our life!

Open our eyes, God, that we may recognize the sheep of your fold wherever they may be and whatever they may look like.

Praise God, our Lord, and our life!

***Opening Song** “He Leadeth Me” verses 1,2 #128

Opening Prayer

May the words of our mouths and the meditations of our hearts be acceptable to you, O God, our Rock, our Shepherd, our Redeemer. Amen.

Prayer for Our Mothers

A moment of silent prayer will follow each petition.

Leader: Together let us pray for our mothers, who have given us life and love, that we may show them reverence and love...

Let us pray for our mothers who have lost a child through death, that their faith may give them hope, and their family and friends support and console them...

Let us pray for women, though without children of their own, who like mothers have nurtured and cared for us...

Let us pray for mothers, who have been unable to be a source of strength, who have not responded to their children and have not sustained their families...

All: Loving God, as a mother gives life and nourishment to her children, so you watch over your Church. Bless these women, that they may be strengthened as Christian mothers. Let the example of their faith and love shine forth. Grant that we, their sons and daughters, may honor them always with a spirit of profound respect. Amen.

The Psalm Psalm 23 #754
Liturgist: Allison Poore

Children’s Message Pastor Melanie

Gospel Reading John 10:27-30

Sermon “The Lord is My Shepherd” Pastor Melanie Adams

Response “Amazing Grace” vs. 1,3,6 #378

Sharing of Prayers: Celebrations and Concerns

Silent Meditation & Pastoral Prayer
Lord’s Prayer #895

The Offering

Doxology #94

Offertory Prayer [Unison]
Good Shepard, you provide us with hope in a world often plagued by despair. Receive these gifts that will be transformed into messages and acts of hope to people in our community and across the world. Thank you, God, for this opportunity to be your stewards of hope. In Jesus we pray. Amen.

Recognition of our Graduating Seniors:

- Janessa Ade
- Jessica Dethloff
- Abby Dooley
- Dalton Long
- Taryn Mosher
- Tim Peltier
- Allison Poore
- KenaDee Snavelly
- Emily Spolar
- Addy Townsdin
- Madison Walter

***Closing Song**
“Just a Closer Walk with Thee” #2158

***Our Purpose**
What is our purpose?
To provide a place for all to BELONG to our community, BELIEVE in and experience the transforming love of Jesus Christ, and BECOME his disciples. BELONG! BELIEVE! BECOME!

***Benediction**

***Benediction Response** “Let There Be Peace on Earth” #431

Celebrating our College Graduates:
Braden Johnson
Davin Strait

Connect Card
May 12, 2019

(Please print first & last name clearly)

About me (mark all that apply)

- This is the first time here.
- This is my second time here.
- I am a member
- I regularly attend FUMC
- Visiting for special occasion

Please complete the portion below if:

- You are new to FUMC
or
- Your contact info has changed

Address

City State Zip

Home or Cell Phone

E-Mail address

If you have children under age 18,
please tell us their name(s) and birth
date(s).

How did you find out about FUMC?

Please place Connect Card in offering
plate during Offertory.

Let us know if you would like more
information on.

How to get involved at FUMC

- Other _____
- Would like to talk with Pastor
- Join the Choir
- Join Praise Band

Events this week in church:

Sunday, May 12th:

Graduate Recognition/Mother's Day

- 9:30 am Sunday School
- 10:30 am Worship Service
- 11:30 am Fellowship

Monday, May 13th:

- 6:00 pm Investment
- 7:00 pm Finance

Wednesday, May 15th:

- 10:00 am Commodities
- 5:30 pm Sittin' With Jesus
- 5:30 pm Choir Practice
- 5:45 pm Table Talk Meal
- 6:30 pm Table Talk Classes

Sunday, May 19th: Mission Buckets

- 9:30 am Sunday School
- 10:30 am Worship Service
- 11:30 am Fellowship

Thoughts to Ponder

How are you at times like a sheep?
What do you need from your
Shepherd? Offer a prayer of thanks
for God's presence with us that is like
a Good Shepherd.

Interested in Membership and/or Baptism? Contact the church
office to set up an appointment to visit with Pastor Melanie.

Welcome to our guests!

We are glad you are here. We hope you were blessed by your
experience at First United Methodist Church this morning and will
tell a friend!

PRAYERS

Please see the Prayer
Board outside the office
for ongoing prayer
requests.

Pray for our congregation:

For the ministry of
making, nurturing, and
sending out of disciples;
because we believe that
God's Love is the answer
for the most difficult
questions of our world
today.

Jesus changes lives!

Gerald Campbell

Willie Collins

Linda Culley

Mike Demanett

Tim Holt

Newborn Aubrey Lott

Family of

James Spellman

Richard Swenson

**HAPPY
MOTHER'S
DAY**



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