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In-house and Live-stream Worship

June 23, 2024

10:00 a.m.

5th Sunday after Pentecost

Gathering

Gathering Music

Praise Band

Pastoral Welcome with Rev. Frank Hallock

Opening Prayer with Dakota Koenig

We are welcomed into your presence this day by your gracious hospitality, O God. Grant that we will lay aside our cares and anxieties to concentrate our thoughts on you alone. Open us to the teaching and guidance for living which we receive, that we will be strengthened to walk with you and follow wherever you lead us. Through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Savior. Amen.

Song of Welcome

Shine, Jesus Shine

Words and Music: Graham Kendrick

Praise Band

***Children's Time** (and released to Sunday School)

Sharing the Word

Scripture with Dick Muir

[Esther 4:14-16 and Esther 8:16-17](#) (NRSV)

Message

Life Walk

Claire Williams

Song of the Word

Come and Find the Quiet Center FWS 2128, Vs. 1-3

Words: Shirley Erena Murray

Music: Attr. To B.F. White

Praise Band



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Congregational Prayer with Lord's Prayer with Rev. Frank Hallock

O Lord, how easy it is to turn away from portrayals of a world in which so many of your children exist in abject destitution alongside our colossal opulence. Break our hearts with that which breaks your own, O Lord. Till the unplowed ground of our souls with Christ's very hand, that we might become a living sacrifice of first fruits for all those who hunger and thirst. Empower us to be and bring manna amid the deserts of despair, through Jesus Christ, the bread of life. Amen.

Response to the Word

Special Music

Sing to the Lord

Words: Psalm 47 & 34, adapted

Music: Ken Medema

Chancel Choir

***Call to Offering and Action with Beth B. Hallock**

Invitation and Dedication: Prayer

God of love and peace, you created the vast universe! Through Christ your Son, you redeemed the world from human disobedience. Open our eyes to see the reflection of your image in each person. By your Spirit, inspire us to contribute to the flourishing of people, creatures, and the environment that you made to be very good indeed. Use these gifts and offerings to support our church's mission of hope and assistance for people in our wider community. We pray through our faithful Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Commissioned into the World

Song of Sending

For the Healing of the Nations UMH 428, Vs. 1-4

Words: Fred Kaan, 1965

Music: John Hughes, 1907

Adam Ferrara

Benediction with Rev. Frank Hallock

Postlude

Adam Ferrara

Pastors: Senior Pastor, Rev. Dr. Leigh Ann Shaw, Associate Pastor of Music and Visitation, Rev. Frank Hallock and Dakota Koenig, Certified Lay Minister and Assistant to the Clergy



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Announcements

Reconciling Ministries and UMC Vista celebrate Pride Month in June! We believe all are welcome members of the family of God.

Annual Conference Review: Special thanks to Dakota Koenig, Heidi Kendall, Barbara Mitchell and (alternate) Beth Brainard Hallock for attending AC. Ask them about the work of our conference.

SPRC Update: We look forward to welcoming Pastor Broghan Hunt in July. More info in the Spark and July Flame.

Wear your nametags: As we welcome our new pastor, its a great time to wear your name tag. If you don't have one, please call the office and talk to Paula.

Our Ministry Budget is behind: Please help us catch up to keep our ministry funded! Can you put a few extra dollars in the offering plate? We'd really appreciate your support! Thank you!

The **Call to Offering and Action** highlights our response to God's love through our action, service and financial support. Each week we pray for a community partner, special project and/or people who are making a difference in our community and world. The United Methodist Church and this local congregation live our faith through our giving in many ways. Your giving starts here and is multiplied by God. Thank you.

Giving thanks for your Support and Contributions: You are essential to all we do for Vista and beyond. Please consider making a financial contribution to the ongoing work of this faith community. Your monetary gifts can be dropped in the offering box, put through the secure mail slot near the office or use your credit card at the Scrip table. Thank you!

Memorial Service for Jim Pence, Tuesday, June 25 at 1 p.m.

Church Alarm: Entering the facility without shutting off the alarm is resulting in fines from the city. We have had six alarms to date resulting in \$100 fine each time. Please check alarm is off when entering building. For more information, please check with Scott Lyons.



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