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July 30, 2023
10:00 am

Prelude – Cindy White "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" arr. Manz

Welcome and Greeting

Call to Worship – Unison

Called by God to be people of prayer,
we gather today as people of prayer.
Come, let us worship and pray together.

Opening Hymn – O Church of God United UMH 547

Opening Songs - Cody Choraliers

"When I Lift Up My Head" by Dottie Rambo

"Feelin' Fine" by Mosie Lister

Prayer of Illumination – Amazing God, we come to give you thanks for everything your people have received. May we feel the joy our ancestors felt in their covenant with you. Open us to your call, to witness to your grace, in the words and actions of our lives. Speak to our hearts through your holy scripture. AMEN

New Testament Scripture - Philippians 2:1-4

VBS choir - "This Little Light of Mine" & "Stellar Theme Song"

Middle Hymn – Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying TFWS 2193

Gospel Scripture - Luke 18:9-14

Sermon - Pharisee and Humble Man – Kristen Howell

Prayer Time and Lord's Prayer

Next Steps

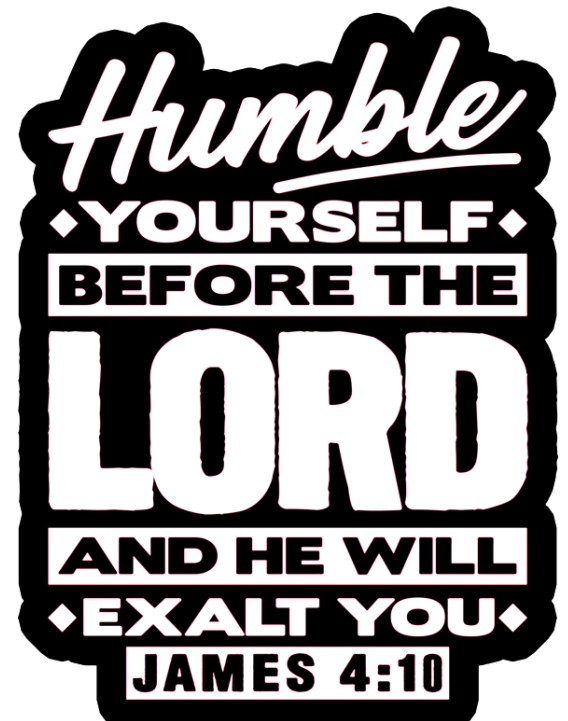
Offering - VBS video

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Doxology UMH 95

Closing Hymn – Amazing Grace UMH 378 v. 1,2,3,6

Benediction

Postlude - "They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love" arr. Smith





Jennifer Bell, Norm Dawson, Maurice Wheeler, Doug Hall
Alice Hall, Charles Edington, McCowen family

We'll go back to two services on Aug. 6.
Traditional will be at 8:30 am and
Contemporary will be at 11:00 am.
Sunday School will be at 9:45 am.



Randy & Sue Jessen from Global Hope will be our special guests on August 13 for both services. Come and hear the latest news about their work with orphans in Romania, India and Kenya.

Church Family Chats start on Monday. Come and share your thoughts about the church and your dreams for the future. There are six different time options. Sign up in the foyer today. If you worship online and want to sign up contact Sandy swood@fumclvks.org

Church Family Chats

August 1, 6:30 pm
August 2, 10:30 am
August 3, 6:30 pm
August 7, 6:30 pm
August 8, 1:00 pm
August 10, 6:30 pm

Sign up in the foyer today!



**Samaritan's Buffet
needs desserts &
volunteers for
this Saturday's meal.**

Samaritan's Buffet is serving this Saturday. They could use volunteers and desserts. If you can help, please contact Jim Wolfe jwolfe7971@gmail.com

We'll have a potluck on Aug. 2 at 5:30 pm to welcome new families. Join us and make a new friend. Please bring a main course and side or dessert to share. For info, contact Sandy swood@fumclvks.org



Fifth and sixth grade students are invited to stay after the worship service TODAY for pizza and fun. Their next meeting will be August 13 when they will go to the Legends for a scavenger hunt. See Nancy for info nshade@fumclvks.org.

Seventh through twelfth grade students are invited to a lock-in on Friday, August 4, starting at 6:00 pm. They will be going to the Legends for an Amazing Race scavenger hunt and there are other fun activities. For more info, contact Kristen khowell@fumclvks.org.



Stronghold is a food pantry on Ft. Leavenworth for military families. They're gathering school supplies and backpacks for kids going back to school. There is a plastic tote in the foyer. For info, contact Ed at egarven@fumclvks.org.



The HUB is a UMC food pantry. In July, we're collecting paper products and canned beans. You can bring the items to the box in the foyer.



Monday, July 31

1:00 pm AIR Ministry

Tuesday, August 1

1:00 pm Book Club

6:30 pm Church Family Chat-Hansen's house

Wednesday, August 2

10:30 am Church Family Chat-Moody's house

5:00 pm Welcome Potluck

6:30 pm Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, August 3

8:30 am Staff Meeting

6:30 pm Church Family Chat-Anderson's house

Friday, August 4

9:00 am Samaritan's Buffet prep

6:00 pm Youth Lock-in

Saturday, August 5

9:00 am Samaritan's Buffet serving



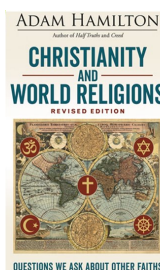
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Online giving is available at fumclvks.org/product/give or use the QR code above to go directly to the website. You can use a check or credit card. For help, contact Steven at sshade@fumclvks.org



We have an urgent need for 2 Nursery workers. If you love babies, contact Nancy at nshade@fumclvks.org.

New Life Seekers Sunday School class is starting a fascinating new study "Christianity and World Religions" by Adam Hamilton. They'll begin on Aug.6, at 9:45 am in room 205. Contact Donna for info dcramsey@kc.rr.com.



Interfaith Community of Hope is seeking an Intake Coordinator. For more info, contact Margaret DelDebbio, (913)704-8053 or margaretdeldebbio@gmail.com.