



Cheltenham United Methodist Church

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Upcoming *events*

Monday, September 20, 2021

Monday Methodists 9am

Church Council Meeting 7pm

Tuesday, September 21, 2021

Bible Study 7pm

Wednesday, September 22, 2021

Prayer on Facebook Live 12noon

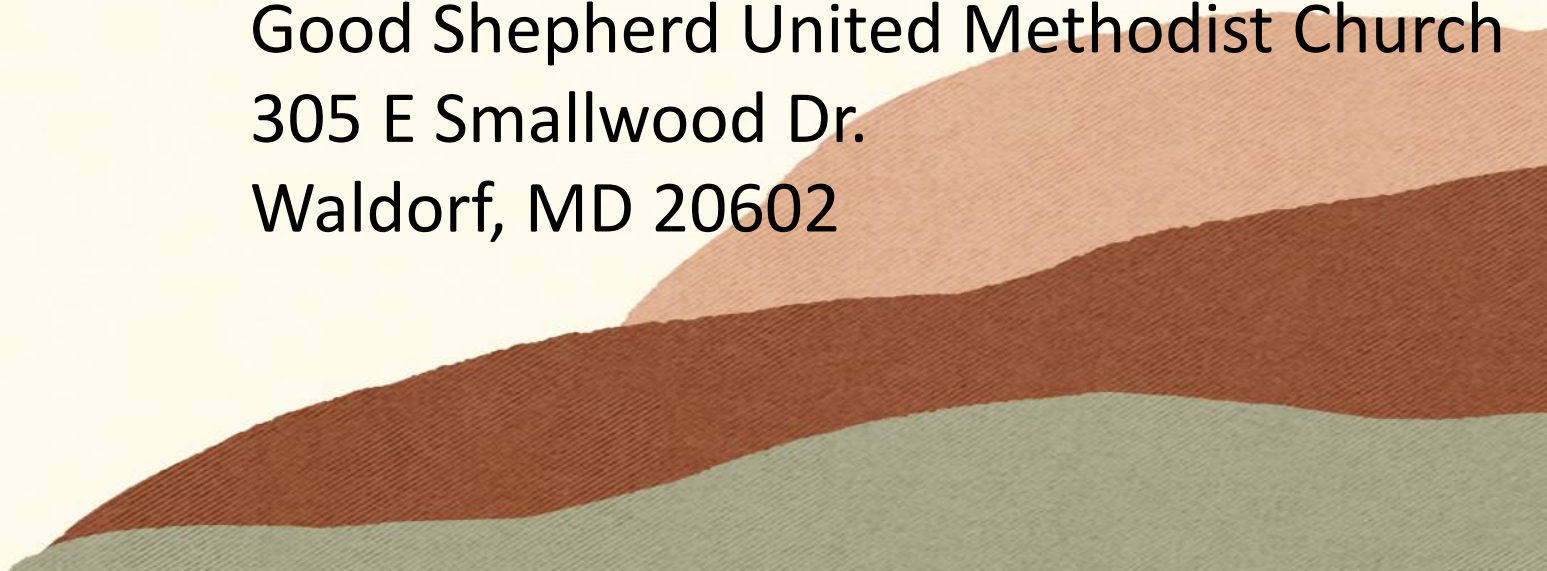
Saturday November 13, 2021

Church Conference 1pm

Good Shepherd United Methodist Church

305 E Smallwood Dr.

Waldorf, MD 20602





GREETING

UMH 738

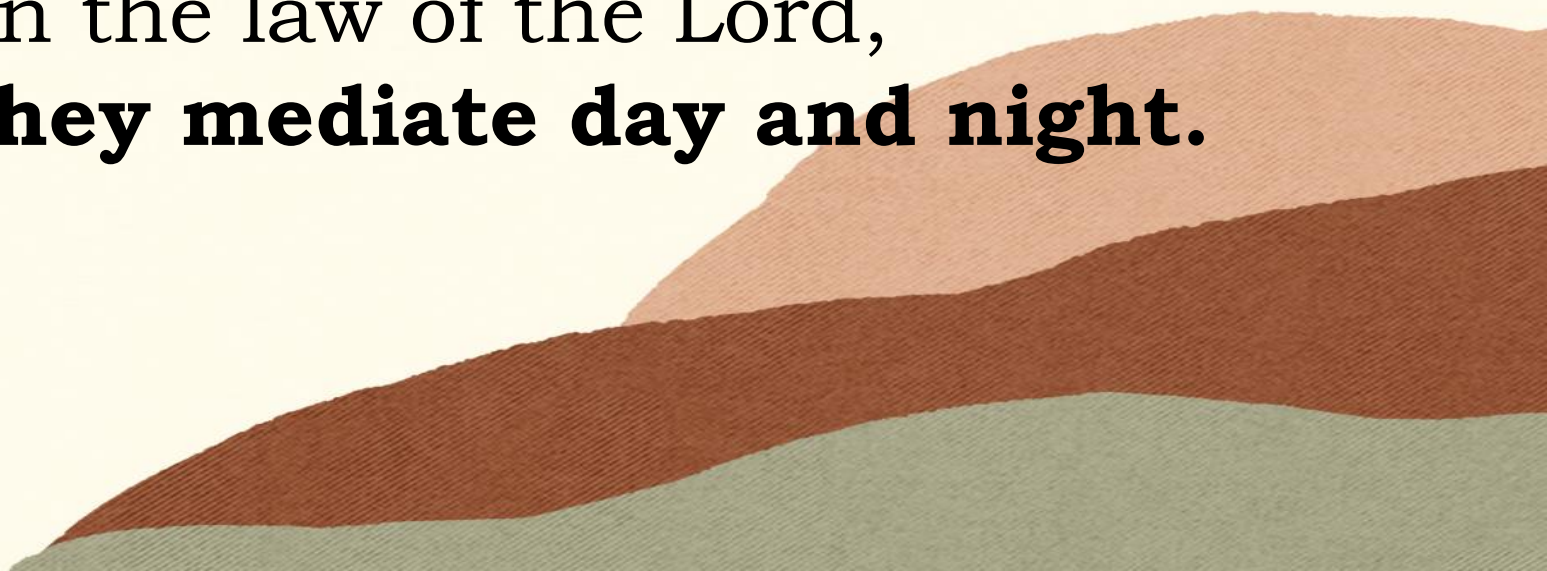
Psalm 1

Blessed are those who do not walk in the counsel of the wicked;

Or stand in the way of the sinners, or sit in the seat of scoffers;

but their delight is in the law of the Lord,

and on God's law they mediate day and night.





GREETING

UMH 738

Psalm 1

They are like trees planted by streams of water that yield their fruit in season, and their leaves do not wither.

In all that they do, they prosper. Walk in the light of God's counsel; delight in the law of the Lord.





GREETING

UMH 738

Psalm 1

The wicked are not so, but are like the chaff which the wind drives away.

Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment; nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous;





GREETING

UMH 738

Psalm 1

For the Lord knows the way of the righteous,
**But the way of the wicked will perish. Like a tree
that's planted by the water, we shall not be
moved.**






PRAYER

UMH 489

Howard Thurman, USA, 20th cent.

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**O Holy God, open unto me light for
my darkness, courage for my fear,
hope for my despair. O loving God,
open unto me wisdom for my
confusion, forgiveness for my sins,
love for my hate.**






PRAYER

UMH 489

Howard Thurman, USA, 20th cent.

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**O God of peace, open unto me
peace for my turmoil, joy for my
sorrow, strength for my weakness.
O generous God, open my heart to
receive all your gifts. Amen.**



The background features abstract, torn-edge style shapes in muted green, terracotta, and brown. A brown leafy branch extends from the top center. Two clusters of small, dark green, oval-shaped patterns are located on the left and right sides.

Freely, Freely

UMH 389

Words: Carol Owens, 1972 (Mt. 10:8; 28:18-20)

Music: Carol Owens, 1972

Tune: FREELY, FREELY

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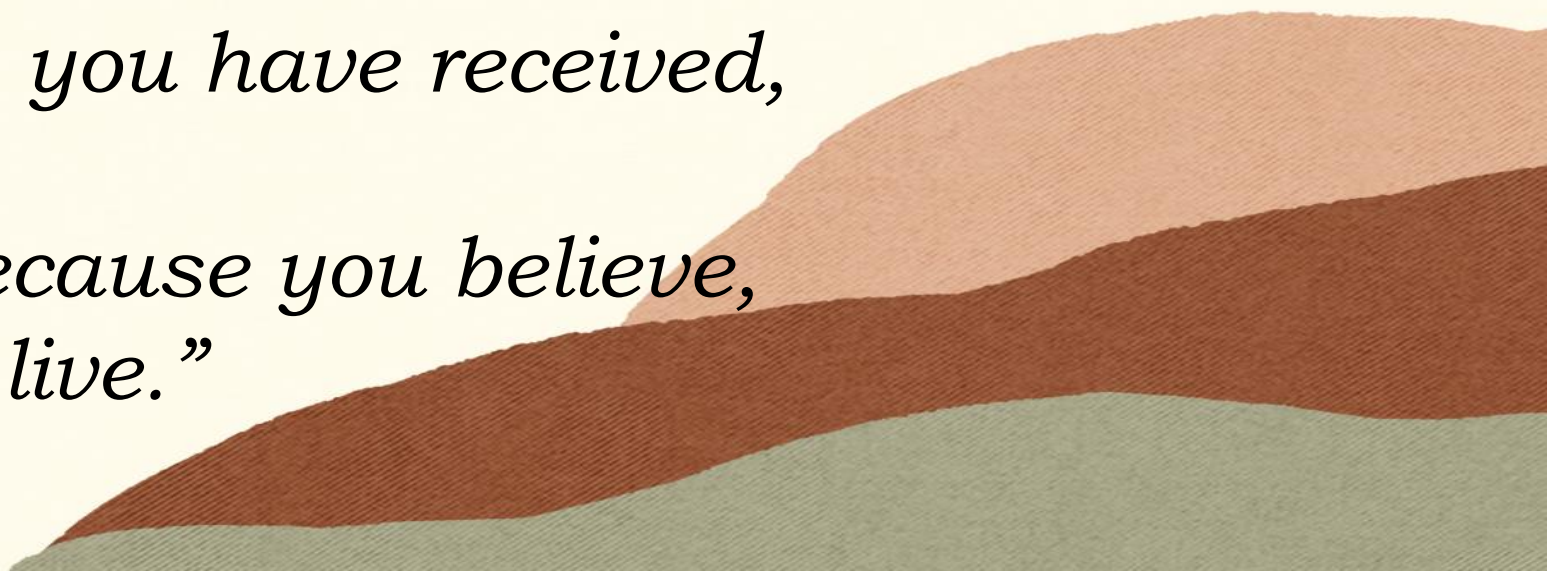
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God forgave my sin in Jesus' name,
I've been born again in Jesus' name
and in Jesus' name I come to you
to share his love as he told me to.

*He said, "Freely, freely you have received,
freely, freely give.*

*Go in my name, and because you believe,
others will know that I live."*





All power is given in Jesus' name,
in earth and heaven in Jesus' name,
and in Jesus' name I come to you,
to share his power as he told me to.

*He said, "Freely, freely you have received,
freely, freely give.*

*Go in my name, and because you believe,
others will know that I live."*





+PASSING OF THE PEACE

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
Hallowed be thy name.**

**Thy kingdom come; thy will be done
On earth as it is in heaven.**

Give us this day our daily bread

And forgive us our trespasses

As we forgive those who trespass against us

**And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us
from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the
glory forever. Amen.**



Lord, I Want to Be a Christian

UMH 389

Words: Afro-American spiritual

Music: Afro-American spiritual; adapt. And arr. by William Farley Smith, 1986

Tune: I WANT TO BE A CHRISTIAN

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Lord, I want to be a Christian in my heart,
in my heart;
Lord, I want to be a Christian in my heart.

*In my heart,
in my heart,
Lord I want to be a Christian in my heart.*





Lord, I want to be more loving in my heart,
in my heart;
Lord, I want to be more loving in my heart.

*In my heart,
in my heart,
Lord I want to be more loving in my heart.*





Lord, I want to be more holy in my heart,
in my heart;
Lord, I want to be more holy in my heart.

*In my heart,
in my heart,
Lord I want to be more holy in my heart*





Lord, I want to be like Jesus in my heart,
in my heart;
Lord, I want to be like Jesus in my heart.

*In my heart,
in my heart,
Lord I want to be like Jesus in my heart.*






OLD TESTAMENT LESSON:

Psalm 1

¹ Happy are those who do not follow the advice of the wicked, or take the path that sinners tread, or sit in the seat of scoffers; ² but their delight is in the law of the LORD, and on his law they meditate day and night.






OLD TESTAMENT LESSON:

Psalms 1

³ They are like trees planted by streams of water, which yield their fruit in its season, and their leaves do not wither. In all that they do, they prosper. ⁴ The wicked are not so, but are like chaff that the wind drives away.






OLD TESTAMENT LESSON:

Psalm 1

⁵ Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous; ⁶ for the LORD watches over the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.






NEW TESTAMENT LESSON:

Mark 9:30-37

³⁰ They went on from there and passed through Galilee. He did not want anyone to know it; ³¹ for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them, “The Son of Man is to be betrayed into human hands, and they will kill him, and three days after being killed, he will rise again.”






NEW TESTAMENT LESSON:

Mark 9:30-37

³² But they did not understand what he was saying and were afraid to ask him. ³³ Then they came to Capernaum; and when he was in the house he asked them, “What were you arguing about on the way?” ³⁴ But they were silent, for on the way they had argued with one another who was the greatest.






NEW TESTAMENT LESSON:

Mark 9:30-37

³⁵ He sat down, called the twelve, and said to them, “Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all.” ³⁶ Then he took a little child and put it among them; and taking it in his arms, he said to them,






NEW TESTAMENT LESSON:

Mark 9:30-37

37 “Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes not me but the one who sent me.”





SERMON

Get Over Yourself

Pastor Rachel B. Livingston

OFFERTORY “Breath On Me Breath of God”

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DOXOLOGY

Words: Thomas Ken, 1674

Music: attr. to Louis Bourgeois

UMH 95, Tune: OLD 100th

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Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below;

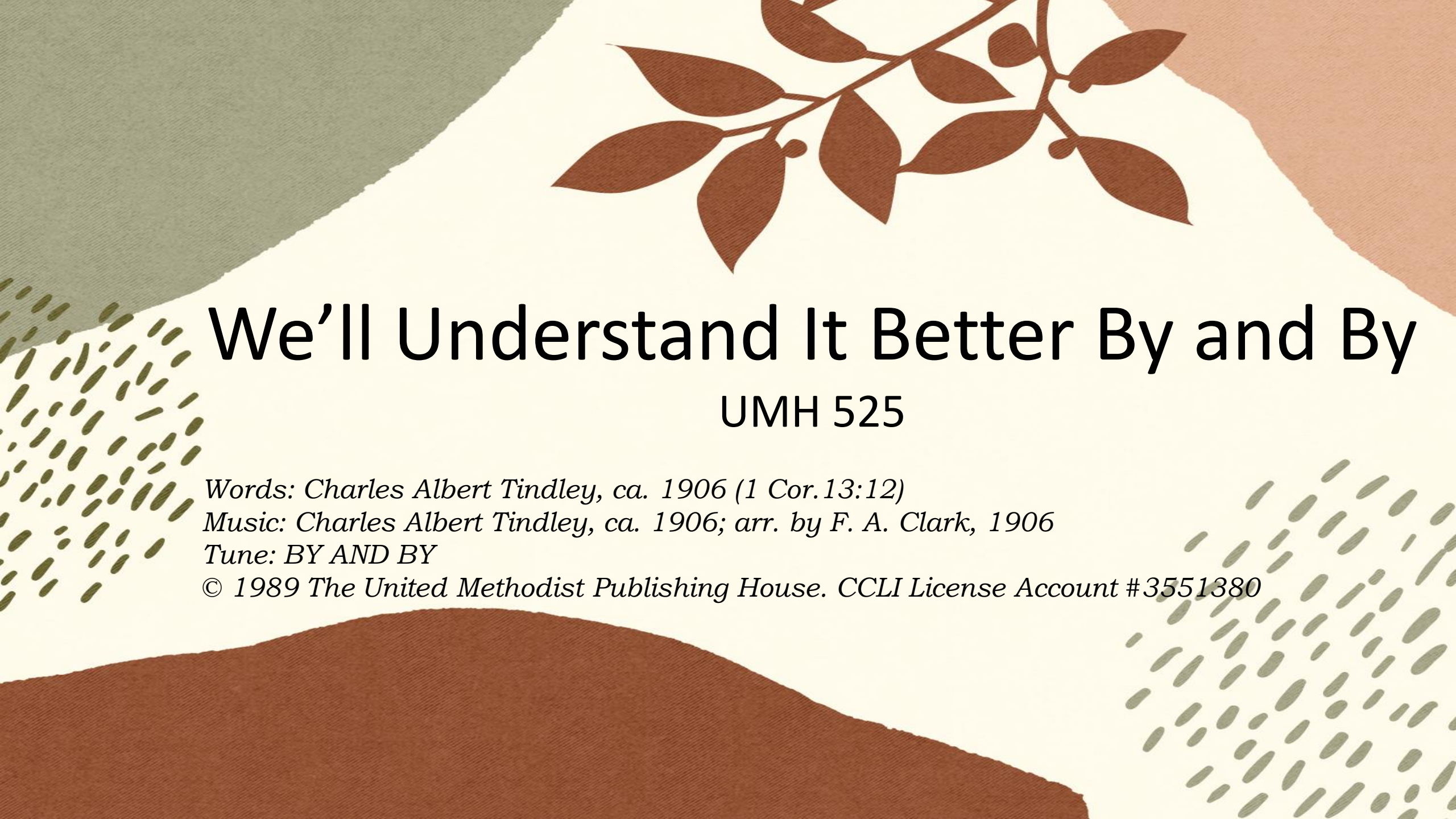
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

ALTAR CALL





We'll Understand It Better By and By

UMH 525

Words: Charles Albert Tindley, ca. 1906 (1 Cor.13:12)

Music: Charles Albert Tindley, ca. 1906; arr. by F. A. Clark, 1906

Tune: BY AND BY

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We are tossed and driven in the
restless sea of time;
somber skies and howling
tempests oft succeed a bright
sunshine;
in that land of perfect day, when
the mists have rolled away,
we will understand it better by
and by.





*By and by, when the morning comes,
when the saints of God are gathered home,
we'll tell the story how we've overcome,
for we'll understand it better by and by.*





We are often destitute of the
things that life demands,
want of food and want of shelter,
thirsty hills and barren lands;
we are trusting in the Lord, and
according to God's word,
we will understand it better by
and by.





*By and by, when the morning comes,
when the saints of God are gathered home,
we'll tell the story how we've overcome,
for we'll understand it better by and by.*





Trials dark on every hand, and we
cannot understand
all the ways that God will lead us
to that blessed promised land;
but he guides us with his eye, and
we'll follow till we die,
for we'll understand it better by
and by





*By and by, when the morning comes,
when the saints of God are gathered home,
we'll tell the story how we've overcome,
for we'll understand it better by and by.*





Temptations, hidden snare often
take us unawares,
and our hearts are made to bleed
for a thoughtless word or deed;
and we wonder why the test when
we try to do our best,
but we'll understand it better by
and by.





*By and by, when the morning comes,
when the saints of God are gathered home,
we'll tell the story how we've overcome,
for we'll understand it better by and by.*





+BENEDICTION

Goodbye
have a fantastic week

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