



Cheltenham United Methodist Church

THE LITTLE CHURCH WITH THE BIG HEART

Sunday, August 4, 2024

10am

welcome
to worship
Thanks for Coming

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**Sunday, August 4, 2024
(11th Sunday after Pentecost)**

GATHERING

WELCOME

CONGREGATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

GREETING

Blessed be the Lord of Hosts, who cleanses and heals our lives.

Praise be to God!

Blessed be the Holy One, who brings us from despair to hope.

Praise be to God!

Blessed be the Giver of Life, who nurtures and comforts us.

Let us praise God with our whole hearts and souls! AMEN.

PRAYER

**Along life's pathways, we search continually for signs to point us in positive directions.
Christ has given us a sign which points us to healing and hope:
that is the sign of the Bread of Life.**

**No more shall we hunger and thirst after the things which cannot sustain us.
Now we have been fed and nourished by Christ! Open our hearts in gratitude,
Lord, for all the wondrous things you have done for us.
Open our Spirits to hear your words of hope for us today. AMEN.**

+HYMN

"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"

UMH 133

Words: Elisha A. Hoffman, 1887 (Dt. 33:27)

Music: Anthony J. Showalter, 1887

Tune: SHOWALTER

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What a fellowship, what a joy divine,
leaning on the everlasting arms;
what a blessedness, what a peace is mine,
leaning on the everlasting arms.

Refrain

*Leaning, leaning,
safe and secure from all alarms;
leaning, leaning,
leaning on the everlasting arms.*

O how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way,
leaning on the everlasting arms;
O how bright the path grows from day to day,
leaning on the everlasting arms.

Refrain

What have I to dread, what have I to fear,
leaning on the everlasting arms?
I have blessed peace with my Lord so near,
leaning on the everlasting arms.

Refrain

+PASSING OF THE PEACE

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE 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.**

+PRAISE & WORSHIP

“Change My Heart, O God”

TFWS 2152

Words: Eddie Espinosa (Isa. 64:8)

Music: Eddie Espinosa

Tune: CHANGE MY HEART

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Change my heart, O God, make it ever true.
Change my heart, O God, may I be like you.
(2x)

You are the Potter, I am the clay.
Mold me and make me, this is what I pray.

Change my heart, O God, make it ever true.
Change my heart, O God, may I be like you.

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Change my heart, O God, may I be like you,
may I be like you.

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON
NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

2 Samuel 11:26-12:7a, 13a
Ephesians 4:15-16

SERMON

“Broken and Building Up”

Rev. Daein Park

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

+OFFERTORY

“Let Us Break Bread Together”

UMH 618

+DOXOLOGY

UMH 95

*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.*

OFFERTORY PRAYER

CELEBRATION OF OUR LORD’S SUPPER

† *Invitation*

† *Confess and Pardon*

Hear the good news:

Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God’s love toward us.

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

Glory to God. Amen.

† *The Great Thanksgiving*

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Almighty God, creator of heaven and earth. ... And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

... And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ’s offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

... By your Spirit make us one with Christ, one with each other, and one in ministry to all the world, until Christ comes in final victory, and we feast at his heavenly banquet. Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy Church, all honor and glory is yours, almighty Father, now and forever. **Amen.**

† *Giving the Bread and Cup*

GOING FORTH

+PRAISE & WORSHIP

“Light of the World”

TFWS 2204

Words: Michael Card (John 6:35, 48; 9:5; 16:33)

Music: Michael Card

Tune: LIGHT OF THE WORLD (CARD)

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You are the Light of the World, O Lord,
and you make your servant shine.
So how could there be any darkness in me
if you are the Light of the World?
You are the Light of the World.

You are the Bread of Life, O Lord,
and broken to set us free.
So how could there be any hunger in me
if you are the Bread of Life?
You are the Bread of Life.

You've overcome the world, O Lord,
and given us victory.
So why could I fear when trouble is near
if you've overcome the world?
You've overcome the world.

+BENEDICTION

Upcoming Events

After Worship Service – Coffee Hour

Today:

Next Sunday:

Monday, August 5, 2024

Monday Methodists 9am

Knitting Circle 10am

Council Meeting 7pm

Wednesday, August 7, 2024

Pastor's Office Hour 2pm-4pm

Thursday, August 8, 2024

Pastor's Office Hour 10pm-12pm

**If you need to connect with the pastor for a meeting, you can send an email to cumcpastorpark@gmail.com or give him a call at 202-802-4302*

Saturday, September 28, 2024

Church Street Block Party 10am-2pm

At 14515 Church Street in Upper Marlboro

SCRIPTURE LESSONS

2 Samuel 11:26-12:7a, 13a NRSV • ²⁶ When the wife of Uriah heard that her husband was dead, she made lamentation for him. ²⁷ When the mourning was over, David sent and brought her to his house, and she became his wife and bore him a son. But the thing that David had done displeased the LORD,

¹ and the LORD sent Nathan to David. He came to him and said to him, “There were two men in a certain city, the one rich and the other poor. ² The rich man had very many flocks and herds, ³ but the poor man had nothing but one little ewe lamb that he had bought. He brought it up, and it grew up with him and with his children; it used to eat of his meager fare and drink from his cup and lie in his bosom, and it was like a daughter to him. ⁴ Now there came a traveler to the rich man, and he was loath to take one of his own flock or herd to prepare for the wayfarer who had come to him, but he took the poor man’s lamb and prepared that for the guest who had come to him.” ⁵ Then David’s anger was greatly kindled against the man. He said to Nathan, “As the LORD lives, the man who has done this deserves to die; ⁶ he shall restore the lamb fourfold because he did this thing and because he had no pity.” ⁷ Nathan said to David, “You are the man!”

¹³ David said to Nathan, “I have sinned against the LORD.”

Ephesians 4:15-16 NRSV • ¹⁵ but speaking the truth in love, we must grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, ¹⁶ from whom the whole body, joined and knit together by every ligament with which it is equipped, as each part is working properly, promotes the body’s growth in building itself up in love.