

Community of Faith
United Methodist Church
September 25, 2022 | 10:30 AM

Worship Guide

THOUGHT FOR THE MORNING

How do we treat others, and especially those in need? Are we even willing to see them, to acknowledge them, to allow their claims on us as fellow human beings and children of God to make a demand on our lives? -- David Lose

WELCOME

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP (From Psalm 91)

Those who love God,

God will deliver.

Those who know God by name,

God will protect.

Those who call out to God,

God will answer.

We gather this morning,

as those who trust God.



*The Rich Man and the Poor Lazarus
by Hendrick ter Brugghen, 1625*

*HYMN

Lift High the Cross

UMH 159

If you are singing, the use of a mask is respectfully requested – thank you

(Refrain) Lift high the cross the love of Christ proclaim
Till all the world adore His sacred name

1 Come Christians follow this triumphant sign.
The hosts of God in unity combine. *(Refrain)*

2 Each newborn servant of the Crucified
bears on the brow the seal of him who died. *(Refrain)*

3 O Lord once lifted on the glorious tree,
as thou hast promised, draw the world to thee. *(Refrain)*

4 So shall our song of triumph ever be:
Praise to the Crucified for victory! *(Refrain)*

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

UMH #883

We are not alone; we live in God's world.
We believe in God: who has created and is creating,
who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh,
to reconcile and make new, who works in us and others by the Spirit.
We trust in God. We are called to be the church:
to celebrate God's presence, to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil,

to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope.
In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us. We are not alone.
Thanks be to God. Amen.

*GLORIA PATRI

#71

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

TIME FOR CHILDREN

MUSIC

Be Humble
Sanctuary Choir

Janie Marie Nebecker

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Luke 16:19-31

WITNESS TO THE WORD

Rev. Rob Vaughn

*OFFERING

*DOXOLOGY

UMH #94

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God the source of all our gifts! raise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER

*HYMN

Take My Life and Let it be Consecrated

UMH 399

1. Take my life and let it be, consecrated, Lord, to thee.
Take my moments and my days; let them flow in endless praise, let them flow in endless praise.
2. Take my hands and let them move, at the impulse of thy love.
Take my feet and let them be swift and beautiful for thee, swift and beautiful for thee.
3. Take my voice and let me sing always, only, for my King.
Take my lips and let them be filled with messages from thee, filled with messages from thee.
4. Take my silver and my gold; not a mite would I withhold. Take my intellect and use
every power as thou shalt choose, every power as thou shalt choose.
5. Take my will and make it thine; it shall be no longer mine.
Take my heart it is thine own; it shall be thy royal throne, it shall be thy royal throne.
6. Take my love; my Lord, I pour at thy feet its treasure store.
Take myself, and I will be ever, only, all for thee, ever, only, all for thee.

*BLESSING & DISMISSAL

Go Now in Peace

UMH #665

*POSTLUDE



Announcements

Financial Contributions - Offerings may be made online at the church website www.cofumc.org, by texting to 73256 and in the message, enter COFUMC or checks can be mailed to 13224 Franklin Farm Road, Herndon, VA 20171. The Pastor's Discretionary Fund can receive donations at any time online or in offering plate or baskets. Such funds support persons in more critical need in our community.

For **United Methodist News** - visit www.umnews.org, www.um-insight.net or www.umc.org

Friday, September 30 at 7PM | Smores and yard games at the COF fire pit. Fun for all ages! A great event for friends and neighbors! Please help us plan for your attendance and signup by clicking here or by email at Children@cofumc.org.

Conversation regarding a change in leadership structure today at 3PM – over the last few months, our Administrative Council has been considering a change and will recommend to our Charge Conference in November a change to a *Simplified Accountable Structure* for the work of our administrative teams (Trustees, Finance, and Staff-Parish) and our Admin Council. A gathering for more information and conversation regarding how this will work at CoF will be today at 3PM at church. To Zoom in, [please use this link](#).

What's Happening this Week

SUNDAY (September 25) Adult Class 9:30AM
SUNDAY (September 25) Youth Group
SUNDAY (September 25) Worship Meeting 11:45AM
SUNDAY (September 25) CWA Worship 1PM
SUNDAY (September 25) Church Meeting 3PM
SUNDAY (September 25) Cub Pack Meeting 3:30PM
SUNDAY (September 25) Girl Scout Meeting 4PM
SUNDAY (September 25) Court of Honor 4PM
MONDAY & TUESDAY AM – Food Prep @11AM
MONDAY-FRIDAY Oak Hill Preschool
MONDAY (September 26) Boy Scout Leaders 7PM

TUESDAY (September 27) Food 4:30-6PM
TUESDAY (September 27) Vespers with Pastor Rob
WEDNESDAY (September 28) Boy Scouts 7PM
THURSDAY (September 29) Sanctuary Choir 7:30PM
FRIDAY (September 30) Smores by the Firepit 7PM
SATURDAY (October 1) Capital Harmonia 10AM
SUNDAY (October 2) Card Making 1PM
SUNDAY (October 2) Blessing of Animals 4PM
SUNDAY (October 16) Celtic Worship Service 5:30PM

Prayers

Rich Rosenberger for medical testing
Elain David as she travels to care for her sister, injured in a motor vehicle accident
Mya Hoffman for recovery from a fall
Corrine Wellman for recovery from a back injury
Arron Wellman for upcoming medical testing
Violet Durfee, Chuck Timanus for health
William McKnight and family as they celebrated the life of his grandmother, Katherine

For our parents and families

Garrison family upon a violent death and the Culpepper community
Jill (friend of Ali Greenberg) upon her pregnancy
Rory Maynard's mom for continuing medical procedures
Mallory (Greg & Beth Carter's 24-year-old niece) recovery from a stroke
Madeline & Shawn, Terri Orvis's daughter and son-in-law, as they foster two of their elementary students
Bob – Terri Timanus' brother-in-law, for health
Parents of Lara Fries (Shelby), Bane Vaughn (Betty Shamburger), Fred Mowery (Fred), Chris Gohrband (Virginia),
Mary Ann East (Jackie), Kim Fuller (Joanne)

For Friends & Neighbors

John Coch, principal at Navy Elementary

Twins of Ashley & Victor (colleagues of Rory Maynard) for the continued growth and health

For our state, nation, and world

People of Ukraine

Welcome

Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. (Matthew 10:40)

At Community of Faith, we believe each individual is of sacred worth and dignity as part of God's creation and as demonstrated by the life and ministry of Jesus Christ. We celebrate the beautiful diversity of all races, nationalities, and ethnicities. We welcome and affirm you whether you are rich or poor; love the Church, have never been to Church, or have been wounded by spiritual communities; gay, straight, or whatever your gender identity, expression, and sexual orientation may be; married or single; a person with children or without children; able-bodied, differently-abled, or challenged with mental or emotional health issues; certain of many things or full of questions. We vow to be a safe community truly open to everyone to grow in faith – God's love has no bounds.



Ministers - The Entire Congregation

Lay Leaders – Jocelyn Gabriel & Ghazel Chilan | *Music Director*: Dr. Mary Ann East

Music Accompanist: Dr. Kelly Nam | *Children's Coordinator* – Kelli Timanus | *Nursery Care* – Ali Greenberg

Youth Director & Food Ministry Administrator: Hannah Godfrey | *Office Manager* – Di Hannum Beatty

District Superintendent – Sara Calvert | *Bishop* – Sharma Lewis

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