

# Community of Faith United Methodist Church Bequiled by Beauty:

Awakening to Beauty, Falling in Love with the World August 2, 2020

Guide for Online Worship

#### PREPARE FOR TODAY'S WORSHIP

Grab a something that has a crack in it! And light a candle near you. Both will be helpful for worship during this sacred time.

## THOUGHT FOR THE MORNING

"Art and creativity open underground rivers in our soul. They give us enormous pleasure. They open us to rich layers of meaning, symbol, myth. They help us criticize what is wrong with society and celebrate what is right." The psalms do all these things in a profound way.

-- Wendy Farley

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

**INTRODUCTION & A TIME OF QUIET CENTERING** 

OPENING PRAYER

**HYMN OF BEAUTY** 

Hymn of Promise
Words are captioned on screen

**UMH 707** 

SEARCHING FOR BEAUTY: A TIME FOR CHILDREN

**ANTHEM** 

Beautiful Things Dr. Mary Ann McKavitt East, vocalist

#### LECTIO DIVINA

THE PSALM

Psalm 147:1-11

SERMO DIVINA - WITNESS TO THE WORD

Hannah Godfrey

VISIO DIVINA

OFFERING PRAYER OF DEDICATION

INVITATION TO PRAYER

## 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.

In addition to these prayers, you are encouraged to join in prayers at 10AM and/or 11AM – Zoom links are below.

**HYMN** 

Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing
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**UMH 400** 

#### BLESSING & DISMISSAL

The world is so varied and beautiful.

Seek wisdom wherever it is to be found.

And may the goodness of the Creator,
the companionship of the Christ,
and the insight of the Spirit,
infuse your life now and always.



## INVITATION TO PRAYING TOGETHER USING ZOOM

We will open a Zoom room for prayers at **10AM & 11AM**. Just click: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/9072600313?pwd=T0xxdHNFVmJmVWZHUE4vaEtVSFF2QT09

Sunday worship is posted online to Community of Faith's Vimeo page at <a href="https://vimeo.com/user87801901">https://vimeo.com/user87801901</a> A Sunday early morning email will also offer a link to the worship bulletin, Zoom and announcements.

## 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.

# **Community of Faith Sunday Worship**

#### FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTIONS

Offerings may be made online at the church website <a href="www.cofumc.org">www.cofumc.org</a>. They can also be made by texting to 73256 and in the message, enter COFUMC. Gifts can also be mailed to 13224 Franklin Farm Road, Herndon, VA 20171-4034.

We are keenly aware of the financial toll this unprecedented crisis continues to have on many of you. We grieve with those of you whose employment is uncertain, whose basic provisions are a daily unknown and whose health is compromised.

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### FOOD DISTRIBUTION MINISTRY

This past week served 112 families! Help is welcomed on Mondays & Tuesdays from 11AM to 1PM. Clients are now served Tuesday afternoons from 4PM to 5:30PM. If you are available to assist or able to pick up from donors, just contact Cathy Spaine at cfspaine@gmail.com.

## ADULT CHURCH SCHOOL @ 9AM SUNDAY

Adult church school continues. Connect at 9AM via Zoom – connect by clicking here.

## WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

- SUNDAY (August 2) Adult Church School @ 9AM by Zoom
- SUNDAY (August 2) Boy Scout Office Hours | outside 5-6PM
- SUNDAY (August 2) Vespers at 7PM | outside at COF
- MONDAY & TUESDAY MORNINGS Food Distribution Prep @11AM
- TUESDAY (August 4) Food Distribution @ 4PM
- SATURDAY (August 8) Boy Scout Movie Night outside at COF 8:30PM

## **OFFICE HOURS**

Our office manager, Di Hannum is working from home. You can reach Di at Office@cofumc.org, dihannum@gmail.com, or 703-599-8212.

#### REALM CONNECT

If you need help with Realm, contact Di Hannum at DiHannum@gmail.com or 703-599-8212.







# **PRAYERS of the COMMUNITY**

Health care workers Prayers for health Betty Duddey, Gail Harman Birthday joys for Melody Hoffman's sixth birthday

## For our parents and families

Chuck Timanus for health Bruce, brother-in-law of Marcia Johnston, surgery Kevin Hoffman as he cares for his mom Parents of Laura Babbitt (Nancy), Bane Vaughn (Betty Shamburger), Jeannine Maynard (Jim), Jeff Mowery (Fred), Chris Gohrband (Virginia), Mary Ann East (Jackie), Winnie Rosenberger's mom

## For our friends and neighbor

Dena and Barbara, two friends of Penny Beuch Sara Marie's recognition for a life of service, co-worker of Mike Gary and Briana, friend of Bill Huff

#### For the nation and world

National leadership for racial justice
School teachers, administrators, students, and parents during this time of fall school preparation
Persons feeling isolated during these days
Essential workers during the pandemic

# Expressions of Christian Sympathy are extended to:

- ♦ Steve Maas, upon the death of his mom, Charlotte on July 29
- Terri Timanus upon the death of Aunt Jean of Ephrata,
   Pennsylvania, July 16

# Ministers - The Entire Congregation

Lay Leaders – Greg Carter, Jocelyn Gabriel
Music Director: Mary Ann East; Music Accompanist: Kelly Nam
Children's Coordinator – Kelli Timanus; Youth Director: Hannah Godfrey
Nursery Care – Miyo Shimoda; Office Manager – Di Hannum Beatty
District Superintendent – Sara Calvert; Bishop – Sharma Lewis

