

Welcome!

We are so glad you are here!

† indicates please stand if you are able

PRELUDE & CANDLE LIGHTING

“O That I Had a Thousand Voices”

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Kyle Houser

NFUMC MISSIONAL OUTREACH

“Lord I Lift Your Name on High” TFWs 2088

Blessing Baskets are for the benefit of

“Laurel House”

†CALL TO WORSHIP

Liturgist

Leader: We come carrying work unfinished, needs unmet, and responsibilities still waiting for us.

People: Yet Christ calls us to come away and rest awhile.

Leader: We are more than what we produce, more than what we accomplish, more than what others require of us.

People: We are beloved children of God, created for good works, but sustained by grace.

Leader: Better is one handful with quietness than two handfuls gained through restless striving.

People: Teach us to serve without losing our souls and to trust that the world rests in God’s Hands.

Leader: Let us lay down our hurry and turn our full attention toward Christ.

People: We come to listen, to receive, and to worship the One who calls us beloved.

†HYMN OF PRAISE *“This is My Father’s World”* UMH 144

OPENING PRAYER (Unison)

Gracious God, we come to you weary from doing, planning, helping, and carrying more than we were meant to hold. We confess that busyness can make us feel necessary while leaving little room to listen for your voice. Slow our hurried hearts. Remind us that our worth is not measured by how much we accomplish. Teach us to serve with love rather than anxiety, to rest without guilt, and to hold our obligations more lightly. Help us choose the better portion: to remain near Christ, to remember whom we serve, and trust that your grace is sufficient. Amen

POP-UP CHOIR

“For All the Faithful Women”

A TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

BRINGING TO GOD OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

“It Is Well With My Soul”

†DOXOLOGY

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JOYS & CONCERNS & THE LORD’S PRAYER

Kyle Houser

SCRIPTURE READING *Ecclesiastes 4:6 (The Voice)* Liturgist

†HYMN OF PREPARATION *“Dear Lord and Father of Mankind”*
UMH 358

†GOSPEL READING

Mark 6:30-32 (NIV)

Liturgist

Luke 10:38-42 (NIV)

TODAY’S MESSAGE

“Faithful Without Frenzy”

Pastor Della

†HYMN OF SENDING

“Come and Find the Quiet Center”

TFWS 2128

†BENEDICTION WITH BLESSING

POSTLUDE

“Come Away to the Skies”

Upcoming Liturgist

8/16 Don Combes
8/23 Eileen Godfrey
8/30 Jean Bendix

Upcoming Soundboard

8/16 Carl Mercer
8/23-8/30 Tawny DeCann

Today's Ushers

Chad & Diane Sheckler
And Bill Schrader
Greeter Gail DeFisher



*You may give to
any of the
ministries here at
NFUMC using
this QR code*

Pastor Garry will be on
vacation 8/17-9/1

This Week
Mon 17 EOC Free Lunch
Every Day @ 11 am

Tues 18
9:30 Rummage Sorting
7:00 Scouts

Wed 19
Choirs are on summer break

Thurs 20

Fri 21

Sat 22 Rotary Family Fest
11-7 @ Fireman's Field
Field

Sunday 23
9:00 Men's Study
10:00 WORSHIP

There are a number of things to
sign up for on the board next to
the communication table.

In Ministry Today

Liturgist: Don Combes
Sound Board: Carl Mercer Media Min. Luke Cornwell
Music Director: Stephanie Mercer
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Assoc. Pastor: Rev. Della Ludwig

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Walking Faithfully

— Faith, Not Frenzy —



Our Vision: Love God, Love your neighbor.
Our Mission: Seek God, Support each other,
Serve the World, to make disciples of Jesus Christ.