

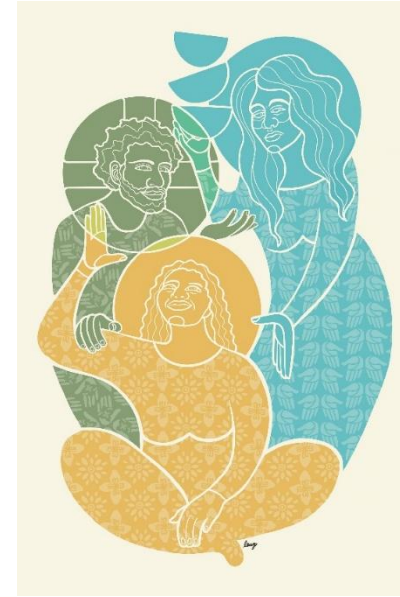
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9 am Worship

March 16, 2025

This week		
Sunday	10:15 am	Lenten Discussion Group
	6:30 pm	Confirmation
Monday	6:30 pm	The Final Days Bible Study
Tuesday	5:30 pm	Messy Church Leadership
	7 pm	The Quiet Center
Wednesday	2:30 pm	Congregational Care Team
	7 pm	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
Thursday	6:30 pm	Town Hall Meeting



Faith & Works

SCRIPTURE: Luke 10:38-42

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We invite you to participate in worship as we connect with God and each other. You are welcome to remain seated, stand, or move around, whichever you prefer.

Order of Worship

Gathering Music

Welcome

Prelude

Screen Door

Call to Worship

Leader: Come as you are.

**All: If you have deep faith
or your faith has run dry,**

Leader: if you know every scripture
or none at all,

**All: if you have calloused hands
and live your faith through good works,**

Leader: or if you kneel at God's feet,
with a million hungry questions,

All: come as you are.

Leader: This is God's house.

All: None are turned away.

Leader: All are welcome here.

Opening Song

O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing

Scripture Skit

Invitation to Children and Youth for age-level groups

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

God of Grace, we long to do the "right" thing.

We long to make the "right" choice.

We long to stand on the "right" side of the dividing line.

In our earnestness, we sometimes miss the sacred right in front of us. In our earnestness, we sometimes miss opportunities to show love.

Show us how to hold our heart's desire for perfection loosely. Show us how to lead with grace and love, over anything else. For even more than our desire to be right, we desire to be close to you. Show us the way. Amen

Words of Forgiveness

Solo

Slow Me Down

Message

Affirmation of Faith

**All: We believe in a Christ who teaches, sees, affirms,
and celebrates all of who we are.**

**We believe in a Christ who invites us to use our gifts
for good and celebrates every step we take in that
direction.**

**We believe in a Christ who understands our anxieties
and is gentle with our concerns.**

**And we believe in a Christ who looks at us with
undiluted love.**

**The world will try to rank, rate, and declare winners,
but we know love has no limit.**

**So with God's help, may we nurture our faith
and do good work. Amen.**

Response in Song

Ministry and Presence

Community Prayer

Closing Song

I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me

Benediction

Exit Music

Worship Participants

Ron Mourad, Randy Umfleet, Joy Barrett

Brian Brill, keys

Brian Carson, guitar

Seth Campbell, bass

Wesley Fritzemeier, drums

Kaci Friss, vocals