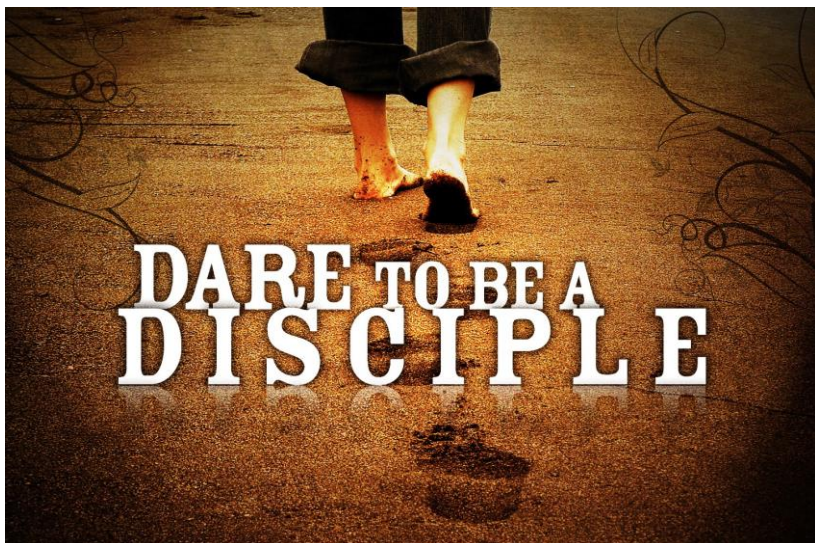




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ANTHEM*“Walk Humbly with Your God”*

Joel Raney

Chancel Choir

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Beverly Alexis

SCRIPTURE:

Alison Johnson

Old Testament: Psalm 66:1-12 (NRSV)

Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth; sing the glory of his name; give to him glorious praise. Say to God, “How awesome are your deeds! Because of your great power, your enemies cringe before you. All the earth worships you; they sing praises to you, sing praises to your name.” *Selah* Come and see what God has done: he is awesome in his deeds among mortals. He turned the sea into dry land; they passed through the river on foot. There we rejoiced in him, who rules by his might forever, whose eyes keep watch on the nations—let the rebellious not exalt themselves. *Selah* Bless our God, O peoples; let the sound of his praise be heard, who has kept us among the living and has not let our feet slip. For you, O God, have tested us; you have tried us as silver is tried. You brought us into the net; you laid burdens on our backs; you let people ride over our heads; we went through fire and through water; yet you have brought us out to a spacious place.

New Testament: 2 Timothy 2:8-15 (NRSV)

Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, a descendant of David—that is my gospel, for which I suffer hardship, even to the point of being chained like a criminal. But the word of God is not chained. Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, so that they may also obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus, with eternal glory. The saying is sure: If we have died with him, we will also live with him; if we endure, we will also reign with him; if we deny him, he will also deny us; if we are faithless, he remains faithful—he cannot deny himself.

A Worker Approved by God

Remind them of this, and warn them before the Lord that they are to avoid wrangling over words, which does no good but only ruins those who are listening. Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved by him, a worker who has no need to be ashamed, rightly explaining the word of truth.

HYMN OF PREPARATION: *(please rise as you are able)*
"Come and Find the Quiet Center" TFWS #2128

SERMON: *Dare to be a Disciple* Rev. Laura Steele

OFFERING

MUSIC FOR MEDITATION
"Voluntary on "Crusader's Hymn"
William Teubner, Trumpet

***DOXOLOGY** *(please rise as you are able)*
"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH #94

***CLOSING HYMN:** *(please rise as you are able)*
"Because He Lives" UMH #364

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE "Majestic Recessional" Marc Charpentier

** Please rise in body or spirit as you are able
Please join us after service for Coffee Hour in the Social Hall.*

*Nursery Care is available for children ages 0-4 year old every Sunday
from 9:30am-12:30pm.*

In Our Thoughts and Prayers

Family of Marlene Frere, Dottie Zottie, Warren Pierce, Jamie Noonan, The Vance Family, K.S., Norma, The Miles Family, Bertha, Mervin The Boggan Family, The Reyes Family, Jerry Gaston, Ukraine, family of Clyde Branson, Helga Ruttkamp, the family of Adrea C. Linder: Joseph, Joshua, and Hannah, family and friends of Mike Cruz, family of Christopher Juliano, Joan D, Gregory Carter, Kathy Whipps, Walter, Doug, Jonathan, those struggling with mental health Christine Zotti, Betty, Madi, Mrs. Judith Ventura, Dadi Hove and family loss of mother, Mary Ellen De Johns brother Mike. Arthur Sinski, Warren Pearce

This Week's Schedule

Sunday, October 9:

9:00am -10:00am	Instrumentals (Sanctuary)
9:30am-10:30am	Chancel Choir (Chapel)
9:30am-10:15am	Drama Club (Green Room)
10:30am-11:30am	In-person/online Worship (Sanctuary)
10:45am-11:30am	Sunday school (2 nd Floor Education Building)
11:30am-12:30am	Coffee Hour (Social Hall)
11:30am-12:00am	Bell Choir (Sanctuary)
12:00pm-12 15am	Singing Believers (Sanctuary)
12:15pm-12:45pm	Contemporary Ensemble
1:00pm-6:00pm	Applause Theatre (Social Hall)
7:30pm-8:30pm	Pilgrim Group (Basement)

Monday, October 10:

9:00am-5:30pm	Brain Train Learning Center (Classroom #3)
7:00pm-9:00pm	Contemporary Worship Rehearsal (Social Hall)
7:30pm-8:30pm	Pilgrim Group (Basement)
7:45pm-9:30pm	GA (Chapel and Fellowship Room)

Tuesday, October 11:

9:00am-5:30pm	Brain Train Learning Center (Classroom #3)
9:15am-10:15am	Baby Bandstand (Social Hall & Playground)
1:00pm-9:30pm	Debby's Dance (Dance Studio)
7:30pm-8:30pm	Pilgrim Group (Basement)

Wednesday, October 12:

1:00pm-9:30pm	Debby's Dance (Dance Studio)
9:00am-5:30pm	Brain Train Learning Center (Classroom #3)
7:15pm-9:15pm	Toastmasters (Social Hall)
7:30pm-8:30pm	Pilgrim Group (Basement)

Thursday, October 13:

9:00am-5:30pm	Brain Train Learning Center (Classroom #3)
3:30pm-9:00pm	Debbie's Dance (Dance Studio)
7:00pm-8:00pm	Contemporary Worship Service (Sanctuary)

Friday, October 14:

9:00am-12:00pm	Music Together (Social Hall & Playground)
9:00am-5:30pm	Brain Train Learning Center (Classroom #3)
7:30pm-8:30pm	Pilgrim Group (Basement)

Saturday, October 15:

8:00am-3:30pm	Debby's Dance (Dance Studio)
9:00am-12:00pm	Music Together (Social & Playground)
12:00pm-1:00pm	Charge Conference (Zoom)
2:00pm-9:30pm	EMC Shalom (Fellowship Room)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SAVE THE DATE!

Rummage Sale October 22nd

White Elephant-Furniture,
Appliances, Kitchen ware, Kids
Toys. No Clothing! Drop off will
begin on Sunday 10/16
Volunteers needed. Please see
Faye Cunningham, Kim Goldman
or Debbie Picorale for info.



SAVE THE DATE!

Holiday Bazaar & Cookie Walk 12/3/22

10am-4pm

CALLING ALL BAKERS!!

It's time to reconvene for your
favorite time of year! You

guessed it.....UMC of Summit's Annual Cookie Walk....After our
'brief' layoff we will commence with our 5th year of hosting this
event and will once again need your generous help for continued
success. This year the cookie walk will be on Saturday December
3rd, 2022 So mark your calendars, check your recipes and dust
off those cookie sheets. The time will be here before you know it.
Thanks in advance for your help! *Kim Goldman, Faye
Cunningham, Debbi Picorale*



NEW! Contemporary Worship Service
"Waves of Grace"
Thursday October 13th, 7PM



Sandwich Making Ministry

NEW! Hands-On Mission Opportunity! **Sandwich Making for Bridges Outreach**

First Wednesdays of the Month – 6:30PM – October 5th

Starting October 5th, 2022; UMC Summit will be hosting a multi-generational hands-on mission opportunity every first Wednesday of the month. We will be putting together sandwiches and lunches for Bridges Outreach Inc., located right here in Summit. Bridges ends homelessness through volunteer-driven outreach and individual case management focusing on health, housing, and independence. We will put the lunches together and also share in a meal together! All ages are welcome. The UMC Circle Three ladies will be sponsoring this first sandwich making event. If you have any questions, please contact Lay Leader Beverly Alexis



NEW! Outreach Opportunity **Pluckemin Medical Equipment Ministry**

Collecting: *Hospital beds, wheelchairs, scooters motorized wheelchairs, crutches, canes, walkers, commodes, lifts, adult diapers, shower seats, bed rails, rolling tables, transport chairs, CPAP and BiPAP machines...* If you are interested in donating, please drop items off to the church office Mon-Fri from 9am-1pm or Sunday mornings clearly marked: "Pluckemin Equipment Ministry". Please contact Darren Halverson if you have any questions

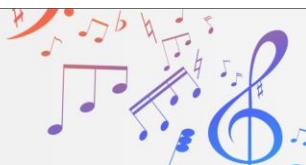


Summit Psychological Services is presenting a complimentary **Caregivers Workshop on Sunday October 23, 2022 at 2:00pm – 4:00pm at The United Methodist Church of Summit** to assist family caregivers. The Facilitator for Caregiving for Loved Ones: The Trials and Tribulations will be Dr. Michael Keren Ph.D. The workshop is geared toward all types of

caregivers. **Please register for the workshop by calling SummitPsychological Services at 908-273-5558 x 0**



MUSIC MINISTRY



Welcome All Music Makers!!

Chancel Choir

Won't you come and join us as we sing joyful songs to the Lord? It is a joy to work together and lift our voices in praise.

The Chancel Choir rehearsals continue at 9:30am each Sunday, Additional Saturday afternoon rehearsals will begin in October. Come Before His Presence with Singing!

Calling all Children!

Wesley Choir

Calling all children to come and sing joyful songs of the church. Let us grow together in our faith, through music. Rehearsals are at 11:30 am on Saturday mornings in the Sanctuary. Come and make music to the Lord.

Bell Choir

Making a joyful sound is the mission of our Bell Choir. Come and try ringing Hand bells and Hand chimes with your church friends.

Rehearsals are Sunday's following worship in the Sanctuary and we will begin on Sunday, October 2nd.

Singing Believers

All children 4 years old and young people are invited to learn the youth songs of the church. Let us share the light of Christ through music. Our first Rehearsal of the fall season will be on Sunday, October 2nd at 12:00 noon in our beautiful Sanctuary. Come and Sing "We are the Church Together"

Contemporary Ensemble

Our Contemporary Ensemble share music for Holy Communion each month. The Ensemble prepares music from the contemporary hymnals. "The Faith We Sing" and "Worship and Song". Rehearsals are at 12:15 in the Sanctuary. Rehearsals resume October 2nd. All are welcome.

Please contact Director of Music JoAnne Teubner Prussak 908-277-1700 or office@umcsummit.org