



Faith Community United Methodist Church

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Sunday, Jun 9th, 2019 Pentecost Sunday
10:00 AM ORDER OF WORSHIP

WE GATHER FOR PRAISE AND PRAYER

PRELUDE Keith Harmon

GREETING & VISITOR WELCOME John Grace

CALL TO WORSHIP:

The Lord has made so many things.

How wisely he made them all!

May the glory of the Lord last forever!

May the Lord be happy with what he has made!

All: Praise the Lord. Amen.

*OPENING HYMN: UMH #328 "Surely the Presence of the Lord"

[Red Hymnal]

PRAYER FOR FAITH:

Eternal God, our Creator and Sustainer, on the day of Pentecost you sent your Holy Spirit upon your church and promised that it would abide with us forever. Let that same Spirit rule our hearts in all things and empower us to do your will so that we may declare to all who will listen that whoever calls out to the Lord for help will be saved. Amen.

[Silent prayers of confession and forgiveness of others]

ASSURANCE OF PARDON:

Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

People: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

All: Glory to God! AMEN.

WE RECEIVE GOD'S WORD

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION: UMH p. 6 *[Red Hymnal]*

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON: Psalm 104:24-34, 35b (UM826)

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON: Acts 2:1-21

Reader: This is the Word of God for the people of God

People: Thanks be to God!

*HYMN OF PRAISE: FWS #2236 "Gather Us In" [Black Hymnal]

YOUNG PEOPLE'S BLESSING:

Kate Ehrenberger

FWS #2233 "Where Children Belong"

This, this is where children belong, welcomed as part of the worshipping throng. Water, God's Word, bread and cup, prayer, and song: This is where children belong.

HYMN OF PREPARATION: FWS #2272 "Holy Ground" [Black Hymnal]

HOMILY: Holy Spirit, You Are Welcomed Here

Pastor Ron Dodson

WE CELEBRATE OUR LIFE IN CHRIST

PRAISE REPORTS

PRAYER CONCERNS: *"Turn your eyes upon Jesus. Look full in his wonderful face. And the things of earth will grow strangely dim in the light of his glory and grace."*

PASTORAL PRAYER

WE OFFER THANKSGIVING

WORSHIP WITH TITHES AND GIFTS

OFFERTORY: *Thank you, God, for the gift of your Holy Spirit that enables us to catch a vision of what the world would be like if people everywhere turned to you. By that same Holy Spirit, empower us to follow these gifts with our prayers and our service so that we may all be one in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.*

*DOXOLOGY: UMH #95 "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow" [Red Hymnal]

WE DEPART TO SERVE

REMINDERS

BLESSING WITH A MISSION

POSTLUDE *Please remain seated until the candles are extinguished, and the music is finished, then go to the Fellowship Hall to meet and greet one another.*

Thought for your journey: The Holy Spirit brings us together in harmony.

We are ever growing in Christ, inviting each one to make a difference.

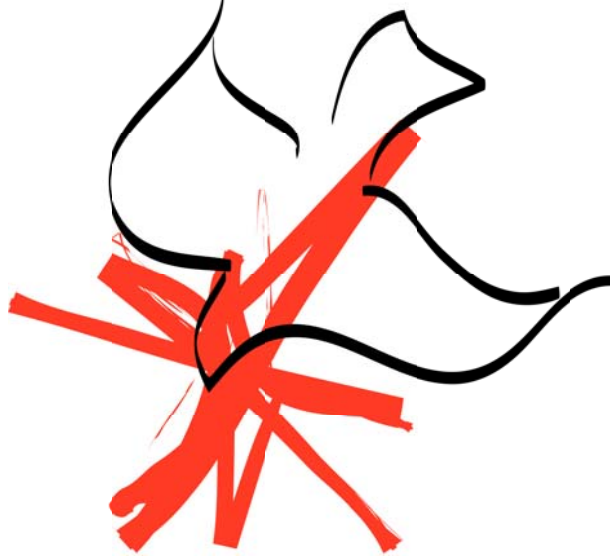
Scripture Lessons for June 16, 2019, Trinity Sunday:

- Proverbs 8:1-31
- Psalm 8
- Romans 5:1-5
- John 16:12-15

Calendar:

- Council/Trustee Meeting – today, 12n in the Great Room
- Joint Trustee Meeting with Eastern UMC – Thursday June 13, 6:30 p.m. in the Great Room

Save the date!
Church Picnic, Sunday August 11, 12n at Double Rock Park



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