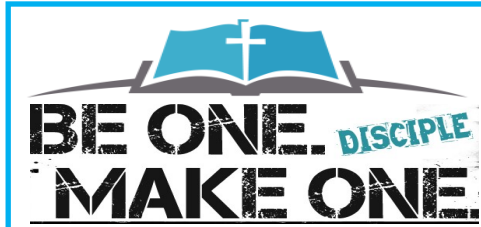




Welcome to First Church, we are so happy that you chose to worship with us! Here are some resources available to you this morning:

- **Children's Activity Packs** are located at the entrance and rear of the sanctuary.
- **Nursery Childcare** (under 3 years of age) is available during services (pagers available at the Check-In Childcare Greeter Desk).
- Please bring your infant with you to worship! A **Comfort Corner** is available for your convenience, ask an usher for directions.
- **Wee Worship** (ages 3 to 5) and **Kids Worship** (ages 6 through 5th grade) follow the Children's Message at the 10:45 service. This program is designed to help children become accustomed to the structure and purpose of worship. Wee Worship is in Room 118 and Kids Worship in Room 216.
- For **Hearing Assistance**, wireless receivers are available. See an usher for assistance.
- **Large Print Hymnals** are available, see an usher for assistance.
- **Seat Cushions** for the wooden pews are available at the Sound Desk located in the rear of the Sanctuary.

Thank you for joining us today and we hope to see you again! Please visit the **Welcome Desk** (located outside the multipurpose room) for more information and to receive a special gift.



**Week 7: Theme ~ Hospitality**

Daily Bible Readings

- February 12** *Biblical Hospitality*  
Matthew 25:31-46; 1 Peter 4:7-11
- February 13** *Extending Invitations*  
Luke 14:1-24, 24:13-36; Hebrews 13:1-3
- February 14** *Hospitality in the Church*  
Acts 2:42-47, 21:1-6, 28:1-10; 3 John
- February 15** *Households Believed*  
Acts 16
- February 16** *Radical Hospitality*  
James 2:14-26; 1 John 3:16-24
- February 17** Relax & Reflect
- February 18** Worship

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*Rev. Dr. Dennis Keller  
Rev. John Shellenberger*

**Sunday Services**

**Worship** 8:15 AM, 10:45 AM  
**Sunday School for all ages** 9:30 AM

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**YOUTH SUNDAY**  
**8:15 AM & 10:45 AM**



Welcome and Prayer

\*Worship Through Music

- "O Come to the Altar"
- "Death was Arrested"
- "What a Beautiful Name"

Children's Message

Offering

"Be Thou My Vision"

Skit ~ Part 1

Scripture Focus:  
 Hebrews 12:1-2

Sermon

"Fix Your Eyes" ..... Alex Clark

Worship Through Dance

"We Dance" ..... Courtney Nuss and Maya Bowen

\*Closing Song

"Alive"

Announcements and Benediction ..... Pastor Denny

*\*As you feel led, please stand or be seated.*

**SUNDAY SCHOOL ~ 9:30 AM**

☪ Children's Sunday School ☪

- Classes for 3 year olds to 5th grade are using the Deep Blue Curriculum where kids dive deep into the bible and learn more about God, Jesus, faith and how it all fits together into life today. All classes learn the same bible lesson, but at different levels appropriate for their age.
- Classes for babies and toddlers are located on the first floor of the Children's Department. Check in with the greeter who will guide you to your child's room.

☪ Youth Sunday School: 4G ~ Morning Edition ☪

Middle School: B003  
 High School: Youth Lounge  
 UMHC Students: B005

☪ Adult Sunday School ☪

**Walk-in visitors and new class members are welcome in all classes.**

- **FAITH IN EVERYDAY LIFE** (Room 207) - A group of singles and couples age 25ish and above, but all are welcome. A discussion-based class that values friendship. Come discuss a variety of contemporary topics related to living out the Christian faith, compassion, and social justice.
- **FAITHFUL FAMILIES** (B001A, off Youth Lounge) - This class is made up of parents who are in the child-raising stage of life, and who enjoy discussion-based Bible studies related to living a faithful, Christ-centered life.
- **CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP** (Room 223) - A multi-generational adult class that selects short-term studies which generate challenging discussion of Christian principles. Ray Vander Laan will lead us in a 5 week DVD series called The Mission of Jesus. Discover how Jesus triumphantly made God's presence known on earth, and how he asks you to do the same – bringing God's shalom to the chaos of others.
- **GROWING IN CHRIST** (Room B004) - A mixed class of single adults and couples of all ages that select short-term studies intended to challenge thinking and create fruitful conversation of Christian principles.
- **GUYER CLASS** (Room 123) - A well-established group of elders in the church who study the United Methodist Quarterly Adult Bible Studies, which are designed as encouragement and instruction in living a life of faith.
- **HELPING HANDS CLASS** (Room 105 in office wing) - A group of active seniors who focus on studies designed as encouragement and instruction on living a life of faith. Interactive studies and discussions are led by several class members. Also, class members enjoy many Christian social activities together.

*For information on adult **Bible studies** held during the week and other **small-group opportunities** contact Tina Eaton at [adultministry@fumchurch.com](mailto:adultministry@fumchurch.com) .*

**LEADING IN TODAY'S MORNING WORSHIP**

Preaching ..... Alex Clark  
 Worship Leader ..... Youth  
 Sound & Media ..... Youth

**SERVING OUR CHILDREN DURING MORNING WORSHIP**

Sunday School Greeter . TBD  
 Worship Greeter ..... Sandy Walton (8:15); Brandy Zimmerman (10:45)  
 Crib/Toddlers: ..... TBD (8:15);  
   Marcia Espenshade, Jody Smithmeyer (10:45)  
 Wee Worship (10:45)..... Karen Hutter, Kylee Fisher  
 Kids Worship (10:45) ..... Linda Shuey, Amy Erno

**NOTES FROM TODAY'S MESSAGE**

Lined area for taking notes from the message.