



Welcome to Mt. Healthy United Methodist Church!

We hope you find a spiritual home with us or another church community.

Children are welcome here! We know it can be stressful to come to church with your family. If your child makes a little noise or is a little squirmy, we consider it a blessing. Activity bags are at the front of the sanctuary. Childcare and Sunday School are available during Sunday worship.

The nursery is located in the lower level of the education wing.

Children are also welcome to join us upstairs in the sanctuary for worship.

We welcome all people no matter where they are on the journey of faith, to find a spiritual home at Mt. Healthy United Methodist Church.

We believe that God is love and this love is expressed fully in the life, death and resurrection of Jesus. We live this out in loving community with one another and humble service to our neighborhood.

Come grow with us! We look forward to seeing you again!

Until then, check out our Facebook page, website and this worship guide.

You may find an opportunity that is just right for you!

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Adult Sunday School: 9 AM • Children's Sunday School: 10:10 AM

Sunday Worship: 10 AM

All Saints Sunday, November 03, 2024

Introit

(All Sing)

The Praise Team

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Jerome Weaver

Flowers for the Altar: Happy Birthday to Nicole Miller, granddaughter of Bud and Mamaw Payne, and to the glory of God.

See pages 5-6 for more details and ministry opportunities

Prelude "A Song of Hope" By: Donald Moore

Joe Dilley, organ

* Call to Worship

Jeff Vehr, Liturgist

(The liturgist (L) makes statements of faith. The congregation (C) reads the words in bold.)

L: In the beginning, God called the world into being, saying,

C: "Let there be light!"

L: In the fullness of time, Jesus came from God to us, saying,

C: "I am the Light of the world."

L: In our everyday life, we see the work of the saints,

C: The ones in whom God's light shines.

L: So let us give thanks for the saints this day,

C: And let us worship God.

L: We gather this morning to remember our call:

C: To do justice, to love kindness, and to walk humbly with God.

L: We bring with us the events of the week in the world and in our lives,

C: Trying to know how to be just and loving and humble in the midst of it all.

L: We gather here, and see those who are doing justice, who are kind beyond measure, who set the example for humility.

C: With gratitude for living saints, with thankfulness for the purpose of faith, let us worship God.

* Opening Hymn

Joe Dilley, organ

"For All the Saints verses 1-4"

The United Methodist Hymnal #711

* Opening Prayer

Rev. Jerome Weaver

(The pastor (P) leads the prayer. The congregation (C) reads the words in bold.)

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Eternal God, hope of all who trust in you, in Christ you weep with those who mourn even as you cry out in triumph over the grave. Unbind us from sin, release us from captivity, and with Lazarus, raise us from death to life, so that we may join that great crowd of saints who forever sing praise to your holy name; through Christ, the resurrection and the life, we pray;

C: Amen.

* Sharing the Peace of Christ

Rev. Jerome Weaver

P: May the peace of Christ be with you!

C: And also with you! *(During this time, we ask that you greet one another with a peace sign, an elbow bump, a bow or a simple nod of the head)*

* Indicates please stand, if able.

*** Children's Moments**

Rev. Jerome Weaver

(We invite children, 12 years of age and under, to come forward. After Children's Moments, we invite children to go with loving caregivers to Sunday school.)

"Jesus Loves Me" (Verse 1)

The United Methodist Hymnal, #191

The Old Testament Reading

Psalms 146 (niv)

Jeff Vehr, Liturgist

- 1 Praise the LORD. Praise the LORD, my soul.
- 2 I will praise the LORD all my life; I will sing praise to my God as long as I live.
- 3 Do not put your trust in princes, in human beings, who cannot save.
- 4 When their spirit departs, they return to the ground;
on that very day their plans come to nothing.
- 5 Blessed are those whose help is the God of Jacob, whose hope is in the LORD their God.
- 6 He is the Maker of heaven and earth, the sea, and everything in them—
he remains faithful forever.
- 7 He upholds the cause of the oppressed and gives food to the hungry.
The LORD sets prisoners free,
- 8 the LORD gives sight to the blind, the LORD lifts up those who are bowed down,
the LORD loves the righteous.
- 9 The LORD watches over the foreigner and sustains the fatherless and the widow,
but he frustrates the ways of the wicked.
- 10 The LORD reigns forever, your God, O Zion, for all generations. Praise the LORD.
L: The Word of God for the people of God.

C: Thanks be to God!

Responsive Special Music

The Chancel Choir; Joe Dilley, Director

"When We All Get to Heaven"

By: Emily D Williams

The Worship of God with Tithes and Offerings

Jeff Vehr, Liturgist

The Offertory *"Sweet Hour of Prayer"*

By: Robert J Hughes

Joe Dilley, organ

*** Doxology**

Joe Dilley, organ

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

The United Methodist Hymnal, #95

*** Prayer of Dedication**

Congregation, led by Liturgist

Compassionate God, who weeps with us and offers us eternal hope, we present our gifts with grateful hearts. Just as you called Lazarus from the tomb, call us to new life and purpose through our giving. Use these offerings to build your kingdom and bring comfort to the grieving and light to those in darkness. May our contributions reflect your love and grace, transforming our community into a place of hope and renewal. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen. (John 11:32-44)

Invitation to Prayer

Joe Dilley, organ

"He Who Began a Good Work in You"

The Faith We Sing, #2163

Morning Prayer

Rev. Jerome Weaver

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

*** Indicates please stand, if able.**

*** The Gospel Reading** *Mark 12:28-34 (niv)* **Rev. Jerome Weaver**

28 One of the teachers of the law came and heard them debating. Noticing that Jesus had given them a good answer, he asked him, "Of all the commandments, which is the most important?"

29 "The most important one," answered Jesus, "is this:

'Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one.

30 Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.'

31 The second is this: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.'

There is no commandment greater than these."

32 "Well said, teacher," the man replied. "You are right in saying that God is one and there is no other but him.

33 To love him with all your heart, with all your understanding and with all your strength, and to love your neighbor as yourself is more important than all burnt offerings and sacrifices."

34 When Jesus saw that he had answered wisely, he said to him, "You are not far from the kingdom of God." And from then on no one dared ask him any more questions.

L: The word of God, for the people of God!

C: Thanks be to God!

Sermon *"The Greatest Love of All"*

Rev. Jerome Weaver

A Time of Remembrance: Role of the Victorious

Jeff Vehr, Liturgist

As each name is read by the pastor, a designated member of the family will come forward to light a candle in their memory. Please take a moment to offer a silent prayer for all who grieve.

James Ivory

Dennis Smith

Shirley Hinderberger

Amy Castro

William Scholz

Kenneth Jenkins

Eileen Witt

Sonny Feltner

Donald Kretzer

Alice Kent

Bailey Jones

David Weaver

*** Closing Hymn**

"Hymn of Promise"

Joe Dilley, organ

The United Methodist Hymnal, #707

*** Benediction**

Rev. Jerome Weaver

*** Postlude:** *"God of Majesty and Hope"*

By: Beatrice A. Miller

Joe Dilley, organ

*** Indicates please stand, if able.**

NOTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Flowers for the Altar: Happy Birthday to Nicole Miller, granddaughter of Bud and Mamaw Payne, and to the glory of God.

New Online Class: Starting **Thursday November 14th**, Pastor Weaver will start an online class entitled **"Coping with Grief During the Holidays."**

The class will run from **7:00 :8:15 PM**. More information coming soon.

Messy Church: Saturday, November 23, 5-7 pm. All Families are invited for free food, stories, crafts, family faith, and fun!

Office Hours: Office will be closed **November 28th**, for Thanksgiving.

Free Pancake Breakfast: December 7th, 10:00am - 12:00pm.

Enjoy music, children's crafts, and free Pancakes! **Come Hungry!**

Volunteers Needed: to run the PowerPoint for the TV monitors on Sunday's. See

Gerry DeMarco or **Tim Vehr**, or call the office (513-931-5827) and leave a message.

Service opportunity: Children's Sunday School teacher for the **K-2 class** on the **5th Sunday** of the month. **(4 times a year)** Start date **Dec. 29th**. Please see or contact **Jeanine Smith** at **513-764-5040** or **jds718@ gmail com**. **Thank you!**

Thanksgiving Donations for our annual gifts to the Mt Healthy **Alliance Pantry**. Items needed most are deodorant, shampoo, toothpaste, toothbrushes, toilet paper and hand soap, and non-perishable boxed or canned goods. Collection bins here until Thanksgiving. Thank You!!!



Free Pancake Breakfast

Mt. Healthy United Methodist Church

7612 Perry St.

Mt. Healthy, OH 45231

10:00 AM -12:00 PM

All you can eat pancakes, juice, fruit, sausage and children's crafts

Dine in or Carry-out. Everyone Welcome!

Saturday, December 2nd, 2024



Come learn about God's love
through crafts, activities,
a story and shared meal!

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Everyone of all
ages is welcome!