



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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Sunday Worship

October 18, 2020

** Please stand if you are able*

PRELUDE

*Concerto for Organ in B-flat Major
("del Signor Torelli"): Allegro (LV 139a)*

Johann Gottfried Walther

WELCOME AND CALL TO WORSHIP

***OPENING HYMN #384**

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

BEECHER

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE COMMUNITY

384 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

1. Love di - vine, all loves ex - cell - ing, joy of heaven, to
 2. Breathe, O breathe thy lov - ing Spir - it in - to ev - ery
 3. Come, Al - might - y to de - liv - er, let us all thy
 4. Fin - ish, then, thy new cre - a - tion; pure and spot - less

earth come down; fix in us thy hum - ble dwell - ing;
 trou - bled breast! Let us all in thee in - her - it;
 life re - ceive; sud - den - ly re - turn and nev - er,
 let us be. Let us see thy great sal - va - tion

all thy faith - ful mer - cies crown! Je - sus, thou art
 let us find that sec - ond rest. Take a - way our
 nev - er - more thy tem - ples leave. Thee we would be
 per - fect - ly re - stored in thee; changed from glo - ry

all com - pas - sion, pure, un - bound - ed love thou art; vis - it
 bent to sin - ning; Al - pha and O - me - ga be; end of
 al - ways bless - ing, serve thee as thy hosts a - bove, pray and
 in - to glo - ry, till in heaven we take our place, till we

us with thy sal - va - tion; en - ter ev - ery trem - bling heart.
 faith, as its be - gin - ning, set our hearts at lib - er - ty.
 praise thee with - out ceas - ing, glo - ry in thy per - fect love.
 cast our crowns be - fore thee, lost in won - der, love, and praise.

SPECIAL MUSIC

A Clean Heart

Benjamin Harlan

OUR TIME OF PRAYER

Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (Unison)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Congregational Hymn #405

Seek Ye First

LAFFERTY

Seek ye first the kingdom of God
And His righteousness,
And all these things
Shall be added unto you.
Allelu, alleluia!

Ask, and it shall be given unto you;
Seek and ye shall find;
Knock, and the door
Shall be opened unto you.
Allelu, alleluia!

Children ages 3 to 5th grade are invited to attend Kids Fellowship.

Look for leaders to usher them out.

SCRIPTURE READING

2 Samuel 11: 1-5

In the spring of the year, the time when kings go out to battle, David sent Joab with his officers and all Israel with him; they ravaged the Ammonites, and besieged Rabbah. But David remained at Jerusalem.

² It happened, late one afternoon, when David rose from his couch and was walking about on the roof of the king's house, that he saw from the roof a woman bathing; the woman was very beautiful. ³ David sent someone to inquire about the woman. It was reported, "This is Bathsheba daughter of Eliam, the wife of Uriah the Hittite." ⁴ So David sent messengers to get her, and she came to him, and he lay with her. (Now she was purifying herself after her period.) Then she returned to her house. ⁵ The woman conceived; and she sent and told David, "I am pregnant."

SPECIAL MUSIC

Be Thou My Vision

Slane

SERMON

Anatomy Lessons: David's Eyes

***CLOSING HYMN #410**

I Want a Principle Within

GERALD

I want a principle within
of watchful, godly fear,
a sensibility of sin,
a pain to feel it near.
I want the first approach to feel
of pride or wrong desire,
to catch the wandering of my will,
and quench the kindling fire.

From thee that I no more may stray,
no more thy goodness grieve,
grant me the filial awe, I pray,
the tender conscience give.
Quick as the apple of an eye,
O God, my conscience make;
awake my soul when sin is nigh,
and keep it still awake.

Almighty God of truth and love,
to me thy power impart;
the mountain from my soul remove,
the hardness from my heart.
O may the least omission pain
my reawakened soul,
and drive me to that blood again,
which makes the wounded whole.

CLOSING PRAYER

POSTLUDE

Festal Flourish

Gordon Jacob

Dismissal: In order to help our church family stay safely distanced, Ushers will dismiss us a few pews at a time during this morning's Postlude.

Offering: In order to minimize the sharing and handling of common objects, we are not passing offering plates during the service. You are invited to place your offering in one of the plates on the tables in the front of the Sanctuary as you leave the Sanctuary this morning.

October Loose Coin Offering will support the **Operation Christmas Child** to cover a portion of shipping costs or to purchase additional supplies for boxes. Operation Christmas Child kickoff is October 18 and runs through November 11. The amazing journey of a simple shoebox gift begins with you. See the bulletin for a list of supplies needed for the boxes. Join us on November 11, for a packing day! Come as your schedule permits for packing a few boxes. We will conclude that evening with pizza at 6 PM. **Let God change the world through you and your change.**



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Thank you to **John and Eileen Ireland** for sponsoring today's Altar Flowers in honor of **Savannah's** Birthday (**Auburn's** Mother)



Discipleship Groups

The new Discipleship Groups will be beginning in November!

Specifically on **Sunday, November 8 at 10 AM** and on **Tuesday, November 10 at 4 PM**.

Now is your opportunity to become real disciples of Jesus. Our year-long Discipleship Groups will teach you, train you, and equip you to live your life with Jesus, to live your life like Jesus, and to live your life for Jesus. It is a life-changing experience! Email Lina (lgreen@fumcgb.org) to let her know you are interested, to ask questions or to give her your preference of times. It is truly an amazing experience!

How Firm a Foundation

This year's program is a video study produced by Dr. Hugh Ross. "Navigating Genesis" records Ross' experience as a scientist reading and wrestling with the first 11 chapters of Genesis. Does "the big bang" contradict the Bible? Does the Bible contradict science? Does the fossil record prove evolution? These are some of the fundamental questions that we're exploring together with the help of Dr. Ross' expertise.

Join us through **November 4** as we navigate Genesis together, and as we discover how very firm a foundation has been laid for our faith in God's excellent word!

For those who want to attend in person, this class is held in the Gathering Area at 6:00 PM.

For those joining by Zoom, the link is <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/655339081>



Operation Christmas Child Information 2020

October 18 -- Operation Christmas Child kicks off this weekend. Pick up information in the gathering area. Final drop off is Sunday, November 8 or before the packing party on Wednesday, November 11. This is great family activity that can be completed at home and a great opportunity to help those less fortunate, both in the United States and around the world. Unable to shop? Cash donations are also accepted and we will do the shopping for you. If you would like to do a box, Lynn Schad is willing to drop off at your home. Call 920-680-2716. Thanks to those that have already donated items this fall!

Here are some ideas for the boxes (which will be available on October 18):

- * Crayons
- * Markers
- * Pens
- * Notebooks
- * Socks
- * Colored Pencils
- * Tooth Brushes
- * Ivory soap
- * Erasers
- * Scissors
- * Wash cloths,
- * Small toys, games, cards, flash lights, sewing kit, etc.

November 8 -- Final drop off date for completed boxes.

November 11 – Packing day event. Details to come.

If you still are interested in participating but can't fill a box or gather items, cash donations to cover shipping are a wonderful way to help. Questions call Lynn Schad at 920-680-2716.

Calling all Third Graders!

The Third Grade Bible Workshop will be on Friday, November 6, from 5:30 - 7:00 PM. We will have a pizza dinner before we have our sessions with Logan and Pastor David. Parents, there are sessions for you and we can provide child care and supper for siblings. The Bible presentation will be on Sunday, November 8, during the 8:45 AM Sanctuary Worship Service. Please sign-up with Logan (lpourchot@fumcgb.org). The event is always a wonderful and memorable time for everyone.

Audio/Video Volunteer

Would you like to be a movie director? A music producer? If so, then you should begin with being an Audio or Video volunteer at church! Lina is in search of some folks to join this amazing ministry team. You will be able to volunteer on the dates that you choose. Lina recently learned how to use the system...and if she can do it, YOU CAN! Training is provided! Contact Lina if you would like to join this group of important church volunteers.

Shop with Scrip

By purchasing SCRIP gift cards to buy your weekly groceries and/or gas, you are putting money back into programs right here at church -- our youth, our children, our UMW, our Food Pantry, our Preschool and our Mission groups to Lithuania and Kenya. Let's challenge one another to strongly consider supporting our SCRIP program by simply using it to buy your weekly groceries or gas. It doesn't cost you anything! Stop by the Welcome Center on Sunday for details.

Communication from the Leadership Board

In April of 2020 congress passed a covid financial relief bill known as the Paycheck Protection Program (PPP). The intent of the PPP was to keep employees of small businesses and selected non-profits on payrolls to minimize the impact of the resulting shut downs on people and the economy. This was accomplished by providing loans through the US Small Business Administration to the organizations. We applied for and have been the recipient of one of these loans. We anticipate that the Small Business Administration will forgive this loan if all employee retention criteria are met, and the funds are used for eligible expenses. We believe we have met the required criteria. If the loan is forgiven, the money received will have a significant positive impact on our 2020 finances.

For more details see the ALB website print out available at the welcome center or go to the ALB website at <http://www.fumcgb.org/leadership>.

NEW Community Shelter needs:

Small Fruit Cups

Individual Bags of Chips

Items can be dropped off at church or at the NEW Community Shelter on 301 Mather Street Green Bay, WI 54303



DATES TO KEEP IN MIND:

October 23-24: WI UMC Annual Conference

November 1: Daylight Savings Time (clocks fall back at 2 AM)

November 11: Operation Christmas Child Packing Event

November 18: Advent, Décor and Preparation

November 25: No Wednesday programs

November 26: Thanksgiving

November 27: Office Closed

December 1: Women's Advent Tea, 6:30 PM

December 2, 9 and 16: *The Nativity Story* movie and discussion

December 23: No Wednesday Programs

December 25: Office Closed

December 27: One Service at 10 AM, no Sunday School

December 30: No Wednesday Programs

January 1: Office Closed

Fall 2020 @ a Glance

SUNDAYS	8:45 AM	Worship Service Nursery Care Kids' Fellowship	Sanctuary 209 (upstairs) 204 (upstairs)
	10:00 AM	Sunday School of all ages Sermon Café (adults) Youth Sunday School Children's Sunday School Preschool Sunday School Nursery Care	Wesley Hall (main level) Gathering Area (main level) 204 (upstairs) 201 (upstairs) 209 (upstairs)
	11:00 AM	Virtual Coffee Fellowship https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84988995597	Zoom
MONDAYS	10:00 AM	WOW	Z120 (Ziemer Building)
TUESDAYS	9:00 AM	Good Will Place Pantry	518 Doty St. (in our parking lot)
	5:30 PM	Tuesdays with Lina	Side Chapel (Sanctuary)
WEDNESDAYS	12:00 PM	Books Between Bites	108 (main level)
	4:00-4:30 PM	zPray https://us02web.zoom.us/j/406082550	Zoom
	6:00-7:30 PM	How Firm a Foundation https://us02web.zoom.us/j/655339081 Youth Children Nursery Care	Gathering Area and Zoom Youth House (Ziemer Building) 204 (upstairs) 209 (upstairs)
FRIDAYS	6:30 AM	BOB	108 (main level)



The printed last name option is only available to individuals who are requesting a prayer for him or herself and/or immediate family.

CONTINUE TO KEEP IN PRAYER:

All those who are working to heal and provide services

Family & Friends of Jill Hull

Family & Friends of Ed Mattick

Family & Friends of Jim Bethurem

Family & Friends of Mark Leistickow

Students, Teachers, and Families

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Ann

Annie and Dan

Anthony

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Bev Smith

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