Good Morning Church!

NORTH BEND UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, February 19, 2023

Because God is worthy we worship *indicates to stand, if able

GATHERING AND WELCOME

Prelude

Announcements

ASH WEDNESDAY is February 22. We will hold a service that evening at 7:00pm. Ash Wednesday begins the season of Lent. The first Sunday of Lent is February 26. We will observe the sacrament of the Lord's Supper that morning.

TRAM: All Non-perishable food, personal care, and household items are welcome. Especially needed this week: canned fruit, spaghetti, canned tuna, cereal, and paper towels.

(Are there any other Announcements?)

COME BEFORE THE LORD

*Call to Worship¹

Leader: As God called to Moses from the mountain,

People: we are called to be God's people.

Leader: As Jesus called the disciples to climb with him to the peak of another mountain,

People: we are called to follow wherever he leads.

Leader: As the disciples stood in awe at the sound of God's voice,

People: we are called to worship in wonder and praise.

*Singing	O Worship the King	UMH #73
		(v. 1, 5)
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O worship the King, all glorious above,
 O gratefully sing God's power and God's love;
 our Shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days,
 pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.

5. Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail,

in thee do we trust, nor find thee to fail; thy mercies, how tender, how firm to the end, our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend. **PRAY UNTO THE LORD**

*Praying Together¹

Holy One, Light of light, God of all creation, long ago you showed yourself to the disciples in Jesus' transfiguration his face glowing like a field of daffodils on a bright, spring morning. Shine in us, around us, and through us, that the world may see your glory in the faces of your people—faces transfigured in the light of your love. Amen.

Joys & Concerns

Silent & Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

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.

HEAR THE WORD OF THE LORD

Anthem

Will the Circle Be Unbroken

Reading the Scripture	Exodus 20:12 (NIV)
20:12 "Honor your father and your mother, so tha	t you may live long
in the land the LORD your God is giving you	

Leader: The Word of God for the People of God.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

Proclaiming the Gospel

Fifth Commandment

RESPOND IN THE SPIRIT OF THE LORD

*Singing

 Happy the Home
 UMH #445

 When God Is There
 (v. 1, 2, 3, 4)

 Happy the home when God is there, and love fills every breast;
 when one their wish and one their prayer, and one their heavenly rest.

2. Happy the home where Jesus' name is sweet to every ear; where children early speak his fame, and parents hold him dear. 3. Happy the home where prayer is heard, and praise is wont to rise; where parents love the sacred Word and all its wisdom prize.

4. Lord, let us in our homes agree this blessed peace to gain; unite our hearts in love to thee, and love to all will reign.

GO IN THE GRACE OF THE LORD *Receiving the Blessing Postlude

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