

LOVE NEVER ENDS & ^{Disney}ENCANTO

Worship Series

January 23, 2022

GATHER

Welcome and Announcements

Moments of Praise Mil Voces Para Celebrar UMH 59 Vs. 1-3



Call to Worship

L: We each have many gifts to offer in service to God.

P: Some will be teachers; others preachers; some will be capable leaders, others will be skillful workers; some will be those who have visions of all possibilities; others will find ways to make those visions a reality; some will develop ministries of peace and justice; others will seek to change unjust systems.

L: Each person here has been blessed by God.

P: Lord, help us to use those blessings to help others.

AMEN.

WORD

Scripture Lesson

1 Corinthians 12:12-31a

NRSV

12 For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. 13 For in the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—and we were all made to drink of one Spirit.

14 Indeed, the body does not consist of one member but of many. 15 If the foot would say, “Because I am not a hand, I do not belong to the body,” that would not make it any less a part of the body. 16 And if the ear would say, “Because I am not an eye, I do not belong to the body,” that would not make it any less a part of the body. 17 If the whole body were an eye, where would the hearing be? If the whole body were hearing, where would the sense of smell be? 18 But as it is, God arranged the members in the body, each one of them, as he chose. 19 If all were a single member, where would the body be? 20 As it is, there are many

members, yet one body. 21 The eye cannot say to the hand, “I have no need of you,” nor again the head to the feet, “I have no need of you.” 22 On the contrary, the members of the body that seem to be weaker are indispensable, 23 and those members of the body that we think less honorable we clothe with greater honor, and our less respectable members are treated with greater respect; 24 whereas our more respectable members do not need this. But God has so arranged the body, giving the greater honor to the inferior member, 25 that there may be no dissension within the body, but the members may have the same care for one another. 26 If one member suffers, all suffer together with it; if one member is honored, all rejoice together with it.

27 Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it. 28 And God has appointed in the church first apostles, second prophets, third teachers; then deeds of power, then gifts of healing, forms of assistance, forms of leadership, various kinds of tongues. 29 Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? 30 Do all possess gifts of healing? Do all speak in tongues? Do all interpret? 31 But strive for the greater gifts.

L: The word of God to the people of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

Children’s Time

Sermon

You Are the Body

Pastor Kelsey

RESPONSE

Response Song Christ, From Whom All Blessings Flow UMH 550

Prayers of the People

Passing of the Peace Offering & *Doxology

SEND

*Closing Song

Blest Be the Tie That Binds

UMH 557

*Benediction Postlude



Welcome to Worship at HUMC

Welcome to Parents with Children

*Thank you for what you do when you bring your children to church.
Please know that your family – with all of its noise, struggle, commotion,
and joy – are not simply tolerated: you are a vital part of this community.
We love to have you and your children with us.*

Parents: please ask an usher for worship packs for your children.

Hospitality and Accessibility

- Bathrooms are located next door in the fellowship hall.
- Nursery and changing area are located downstairs.
- Large print materials are available in the narthex
- **Join us for food and fellowship next door after worship!**

Getting Connected

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| To receive church updates | text HopkinsUMC to 84576 or
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Announcements January 23, 2022

Jan. 26 - First Worship Wednesday, HUM Hall @ 5:30pm

Jan. 30 - 5th Sunday potluck following worship

Love Never Ends & Encanto Sermon Series

The time between now and Lent is called the Season of Epiphany. This year, the lectionary takes us through the middle part of Paul's first letter to the Corinthians which brings us a theme of Love Never Ends. The passages talking about spiritual gifts and the Body of Christ connect well to the new Disney movie, "Encanto!" We will talk about how Love Never Ends and use the movie Encanto to help illustrate what Paul was trying to share throughout the series.

Super Children's/Family Ministry

Jan 26 5:30pm - 7:00pm

On the 4th Wednesday of each month, join us for Worship Wednesdays! We will start with a simple snack followed by a short lesson and an activity or game or two. We will close by sharing a meal together. We hope parents will stick around and take part with their children. Those without children are also welcome! Our first event is Wednesday, Jan. 26th. **Please sign up, in HUM Hall, to help with a lesson and/or provide food and drink for the meal.**

We will follow the theme of: SUPERHEROES. Sometimes superheroes do great things. Other times it's the little things that make them super. Big and small things add up to a life that honors God and allows us to do some super things for others.

Annual Souper Bowl Collection

We will, once again, be collecting cans of soup for the food pantry. We will collect through Sunday, February 13th. Bring your donations into the sanctuary for all to see the progress.

While any donation is welcome, in speaking to Pastor Linda, she said the soups they give out most often are *tomato, chicken noodle soup, cream of mushroom and cream of chicken*. She also said that they currently have LOTS of macaroni and cheese.

Prayer Requests and Thanksgivings

We pray with thanksgiving for... Those who are willing to take part in church leadership; those who work to keep our church buildings and grounds safe and well taken care of; COVID vaccine & booster, the food pantry, those who have gotten jobs.

We pray God's blessing for... Alys Edgell; Bert & Jim Tew; those dealing with transitions; all caretakers; the many grieving deaths and losses; those without jobs and looking for jobs.

We pray for the church and for the world... Communities affected by storms & natural disaster; Increasing Homeless populations across the US; pandemic continuing and rising in the US; Amelia Green our seminarian; the future of the UMC; Bishop Bard and DS Bagley; Pastor Kelsey and Brennen; immigrants and asylum seekers; all who tend and farm the land; for leadership of our nation; for first responders, health care and essential workers; for teachers, students, and families; for social and racial justice.

Share your requests! Call Pastor Kelsey (248-613-0366) or Bert Tew (269-793-7424)

Worship Volunteers

Greeters - Deb Lemmer, Holly & Lilly

January 23

Children's Message - Mary Howard

Liturgist - Mitzi Crowe

Coffee Fellowship - Mitzi Crowe &
Jane Kaule

January 30

Linda Burton-Collier

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Potluck!

(Becks & Deb Lemmer)

HUMC Giving

Weekly budget needs: \$1350.00

Last week's offering: \$982.00

January Birthdays

4 - Phyllis Thomas

6 - Deanna Haas

9 - Bill Howard

12 - Julie Saganski

23 - Alys Edgell

29 - Darcie Mack