

Contemporary Service

05.15.22



Sermon: Hope — The Water of Life

Scripture: Revelation 21:1-6

Preaching: Jenny Caughman

Worship Leaders: Mark Flynn, Jeff Kile, Emily Aiken,

Naomi Asher, Dave Tull, Jake Byrd,

Tom Holler, Michael Hulse, Melony Dodson

Opening

“I Saw the Light”

“We Lift You Up”

“My Lighthouse”

Welcome

Scripture

Sermon

Centering Worship

“I Feel A Hand”

Confession

Prayer

Response

“Build Your Kingdom Here”

“I’ll Fly Away”

Benediction

We embrace Jesus’ message that God loves and accepts every person. Therefore, we welcome all to share in the life and ministry of this community of faith. Our welcome knows no boundaries of age, race, ethnicity, culture, gender identity, sexual orientation, marital status, economic condition, physical ability or mental ability.



First Youth

Kelsey also invites any high school senior that would like to put their handprint on the walls in the loft to contact her at kelseym@fumcor.org. Together, a time will be planned for everyone to add their handprints.

A New Sunday Morning Host Needed

We have been blessed to have Claire Gibson as our Sunday morning host over these last few months. She has done an excellent job of overseeing our hospitality ministry of welcoming visitors; answering questions; overseeing coffee and doughnuts; and reminding us all to be hospitable to one another. However, Claire has accepted a job offer for an internship out of state. So, we are in search of our next Sunday morning host. If you or anyone you know is interested in this part-time position, please contact Linda Bowen in our Finance and Administration office or one of our pastors.

Special Activities For “Mental Health Awareness Month”

During May, we will offer a Sermon Series on the connection between spirituality and mental health, focusing on how our faith can help us both improve mental health and manage stressful life events. Our sermons will explore the topics of acceptance, forgiveness, peace and hope.

We will also offer a three-week Sunday School Class beginning May 8. Each week there will be a presentation by our visiting professional, followed by a time for discussion about where God is in all this and how these topics overlap with our spirituality. The classes will be meeting at 10:00 am in the Chapel.

Finally, a Book Group Discussion will be led by church-member and published author Melanie Hutsell. The group will read Melanie’s *The Book of Susan*, a novel which explores a woman’s life as she develops and learns to cope with bipolar disorder. Melanie’s book addresses how spiritual issues can be a part of this experience. The group will be meeting on Sunday evenings from 6–7:30 pm beginning May 22. To register please contact either the office ([483-4357](tel:483-4357)) or Pastor Jenny (icaughman@fumcor.org).



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