

Order of Worship
Friendship United Methodist Church
Sunday, June 7, 2026

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turn off the Wi-Fi on your cell phones.*

Today's communion rail offering benefits Meals on Wheels.

Gathering
Greeting/Announcements

"This Is The Day"

Call to Worship

from Psalm 33

L: Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous.

Praise befits the upright.

P: *Praise the Lord with the lyre;*

make melody to him with the harp of ten strings.

L: Sing to the Lord a new song;

play skillfully on the strings, with loud shouts.

P: *For the word of the Lord is upright,*

and all God's work is done in faithfulness.

All: *O Come, let us worship the Lord.*

***Hymn of Celebration**

CWH #88

"Break Thou the Bread of Life"

*Break now the bread of life, dear Lord, to me,
as Thou didst break the loaves beside the sea.*

*Beyond the sacred page I seek thee Lord;
my spirit waits for thee, O living Word.*

*Bless thou the truth, dear Lord, to me, to me,
as thou didst bless the bread by Galilee.*

*Then shall all bondage cease, all fetters fall;
and I shall find my peace, my All in all!*

*Thou art the bread of life, dear Lord, to me,
Thy holy word the truth that savest me.
Give me to eat and live with thee above;*

teach me to love thy truth, for thou art love.

*O send thy Spirit now, dear Lord, to me,
that he may touch my eyes and make me see.
Show me the truth concealed within thy Word,
and in thy book revealed I see thee, Lord.*

Prayer of Confession

UMH #12

L: Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him,
who earnestly repent of their sin
and seek to live in peace with one another.
Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

P: *Merciful God,*

we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart.

We have failed to be an obedient church.

We have not done your will,

we have broken your law,

we have rebelled against your love,

we have not loved our neighbors,

and we have not heard the cry of the needy.

Forgive us, we pray.

Free us for joyful obedience,

through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

All pray in silence.

L: Hear the good news:

Christ died for us while we were yet sinners;

that proves God's love toward us.

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

P: *In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!*

All: *Glory to God. Amen.*

Gloria Patri

UMH # 70

*Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.*

Scripture Reading**Matthew 25:31-36**

“When the Son of Man comes in his glory and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory. All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left. Then the king will say to those at his right hand, ‘Come, you who are blessed by my Father; inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world, for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me.’

L: *This is the Word of God, for the people of God*

P: *Thanks be to God!*

Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings**Linda Pease*****The Doxology****UMH # 95**

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise him, all creatures here below
Praise him, ye heavenly host
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen*

Kid’s Time**Roy Spore****Sharing Our Joys and Concerns/Pastoral Prayer**

During this time, the congregation is invited to offer up their concerns by speaking their name or typing them into the “chat” box on Facebook. When offering up individuals, please type only their first name to protect their privacy. As each name is spoken, let the congregation respond “...Lord, hear our prayer.”

Message**Roy Spore**

“A Gift of Caring”

Hymn of Preparation**FWS #2005****“Sanctuary”**

*Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary,
pure and holy, tried and true;
with thanksgiving, I’ll be a living
sanctuary for you.*

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING**UMH 13**

The Lord be with you

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts;

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise

It is right, and a good and joyful thing ...

...And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

***Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might
Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the lord. Hosanna in
the highest.***

Holy are you, and blessed is Jesus Christ ...

... And so, in remembrance of these, your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ’s offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered together, and on all these gifts ...

RECEIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

At this time, let each person lift up the wafer as the pastor says:

The Body of Christ, broken for you.

Let each person lift up the cup as the pastor says:

The Blood of Christ, shed for you.

Hymn of Discipleship

CWH #151

“Just As I Am”

*Just as I am, without one plea,
but that thy blood was shed for me,
and that thou bidd'st me come to thee,
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.*

*Just as I am, and waiting not
to rid my soul of one dark blot,
to thee, whose blood can cleanse each spot,
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.*

*Just as I am, though tossed about
with many a conflict, many a doubt,
fightings and fears within, without,
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.*

*Just as I am, thou wilt receive,
wilt welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve;
because thy promise I believe,
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.*

Benediction

Opportunities for Involvement and Ministry

Each Sunday

9:50 – Sunday School

11:00 – Worship

Each Wednesday

10:00 – Friendship Crafters

June 14 – August 23

10:00 – Our Methodist Heritage
(during Sunday School)

Wednesday, June 17

1:30 – Church Council

Sunday, June 28

Church Picnic (after worship)

Worship Leaders

Rev. Roy Spore – Pastor

Shirley Waldrum – Music leader

Linda Pease - Pianist

Karen Spore – Technical Assistant

Jane Pollard – Lay Reader

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