



3RD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

JANUARY 22, 2023

WELCOME! WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

Welcome to Fairport UMC! We embrace the gift of diversity of our community and our world and proclaim that all persons are created in God's image. We celebrate all ways that the human family of Christ finds its diversity. Our vision is to nurture ALL people on their life journeys and to bring God's love to the world. *Masks are currently optional. Disposable masks are available in the coatroom and narthex for those who would like one.*

CHILDREN

We are glad you are here! There is a cart in the Narthex with Children's Activity Bags. We love to have children stay in worship (wiggles and giggles are welcomed and sacred sounds). We are not currently offering a staffed nursery, but the nursery room is available and open to parents and little ones. The service is also livestreamed in the nursery so you and your child can still participate in worship!

OPEN TABLE

Communion is celebrated once a month (usually on the first Sunday of the month) and all (including children) are welcome at the table. We have gluten free bread for those who need it. Please ask the servers when receiving. If you don't want to receive communion but would like a blessing, you can indicate that to the pastor.

WORSHIP ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS

*indicates to stand in body or spirit

bold print indicates congregational response

UMH – United Methodist Hymnal (large blue hymnal)

FWS – The Faith We Sing (small black hymnal)

W&S – Worship & Song (small green hymnal)



FUMC is a Reconciling Congregation where all persons of any age, gender, gender identity, race, ethnic origin, economic reality, family status, sexual orientation, diverse ability or social status are welcome without reservation to share in God's love.

→GATHERING AS GOD'S PEOPLE←

The chimes call us to gather.

It's time to celebrate; we are in the presence of God.

We invite you to prepare your hearts to receive God's love

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

Fugue in B^b Major

Bach

CALL TO WORSHIP

In the beauty of this moment

We worship you.

In the fellowship of your people

We worship you.

In the presence of your Spirit

We worship you.

In the company of all creation

We worship you.

*HYMN

Lord of All Hopefulness

FWS 2197

→LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD←

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

O God, we seek your wisdom and truth in the Scriptures. Send your Holy Spirit upon us to open our minds and hearts to receive the gift of your Word. Challenge and comfort us in what we hear, and strength us to follow Jesus, your Living Word.

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Corinthians 13:1-13

For the Word of God in Scripture; For the Word of God among us;

For the Word of God within us. **Thanks be to God!**

*PASSING THE PEACE

*HYMN

Into My Heart

FWS 2160

MESSAGE

UMC 101: The Quadrilateral

Rev. Richelle Goff

—RESPONDING IN LOVE—

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY

Beside a Stream of Living Water
(9:00) Early Choir (10:30) Chancel Choir

arr. Keesecker

*DOXOLOGY

UMH 94

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Loving God, we have so many reasons to say “thank You” to You. Your generosity, grace, and mercy are astounding and we pray that the gifts we offer in worship and throughout the week might be used in Your name. Help us to be generous with our money, but also with our talents and time. Strengthen us to recognize Your blessings, to be grateful, and to respond accordingly. Amen.

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.

*You are invited to use a name for God that is most meaningful to you.

—MOVING IN GOD’S WAY—

*HYMN

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

UMH 384

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Prelude in B^b Major

Bach

Let us take these few moments for preparation,
for worship is over the service begins.

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SERVICE MUSIC TEXT

Beside a Stream of Living Water

*Beside a stream of living water stands a tree of God's blest people,
Its roots run deep, from those before us.*

By grace, it grows by grace, the love of God abounding.

*So many rings, a living history. Some are thin from years of struggle,
Some circle wide from times of plenty.*

By grace, it grows by grace, the love of God abounding.

*The branches soar beyond the steeple, leaves as varied as its people;
So many gifts and yet one body.*

By grace, it grows by grace, the love of God abounding.

*O tree of life, O tree of glory, may our witness tell God's story
For all who follow in the future.*

By grace, it grows by grace, the love of God abounding.

PRAYER REQUESTS

- For Marilyn Kesel (Sharon Hegeman's sister) receiving end of life care after a stroke.
- For Shirley Robinson, who starts chemotherapy this week.
- For Evelyn Ambrose, who has been recently diagnosed with cancer. She will have surgery in the next few weeks.
- For Shirley Prudom, who has been admitted to Highland for pneumonia.
- For Richard and his family, who are struggling to make ends meet.
- For Gary Warren, recovering from eye surgery.
- For peace in our world instead of oppression, injustice, and violence.
- We continue our prayers for those who are in need of continued healing:*
**Annie Taggart, Jack Starr, Cindy Jack, Todd Christensen, Dave Eisler,
Jan Taylor, Ed Lewek, Carol Christensen, Dwina Joy, Maddie, Barb George,
Shirley Robinson, John Pattison, Chip Rieck, Sandy Baldwin, Terrie Sleeman,
Frank Mueller, Courtney Pedersen, Judy Darrer, Jeff Latsha, Wally Robinson.**

PRAYER REQUESTS (CONTINUED)

☐ *We pray for all those who are homebound or in nursing homes:*

**Dave and Carolyn Hebert, Ruth Howard, Janette Barley, Shirley Prudom,
Cindy Stanton, Emmet and Marge Vanderburgh.**

SAVE THE DATES

All Church Carnival

Mark your calendars for the **All Church Carnival - Sunday, February 5th** after the second service. There will be games, food, fellowship and fun!

More details will be coming so keep checking back each week!

Regional Meetings with Bishop Hector

Bishop Héctor is eager to meet laity and clergy throughout the Conference and has scheduled dates for regional meetings.

The meetings will be as follows:

- **Feb. 9, 2023 – Lakes Region – Leroy UMC**
- **March 1, 2023 – Lakes Region – Auburn UMC**

The clergy meetings will be from 1-3 p.m.

The laity meetings will be from 7- 8:30pm (also for clergy unable to attend earlier).

Finger Lakes District Leadership Growth Week (formerly “District Training Days”)

From Thursday evening, February 2 through Wednesday evening, February 8, the Finger Lakes District Leadership Team will be hosting workshops in the following areas of church life and discipleship ***via ZOOM**.

- **Thursday, Feb 2, 6:30-8:00 pm Trustees**
- Friday, Feb 3, **NO Workshop**
- **Saturday Feb 4, 9am-12:00 noon Safe Sanctuaries Training**
- **Saturday, Feb 4, 2:00-3:30 pm S / SPRC**
- **Sunday, February 5, 2:00-3:30 pm Prayer Ministries**
- **Monday, February 6, 6:30-8:00 pm Administrative Board, Church Council**
- **Tuesday, February 7, 6:30-8:00 pm Keeping Christ in Outreach**
- **Wednesday, February 8, 6:30-8:00 pm Starting Small Groups**.

***RSVPs will be necessary to receive the ZOOM links for the particular workshops in which you wish to participate - Save the dates now!**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

St. Pauly Box - Fairport UMC 2022 Impact

Dear Friends,

Happy New Year! We're excited to share with you the impact your clothing shed made over the last year:

- 86,580 pounds of clothing were donated to your shed in 2022
- Enough to clothe an estimated 15,949 people all over the world
- Based on this volume, your organization received over \$3,463.00 in return for having the shed onsite

Thank you so much for everything you do, to your volunteers, and to the overall community that supports the clothing shed program!

Sincerely,

The Team at St. Pauly Textile, Inc

Valentines for Seniors

Help brighten Valentine's Day for those living in one of the senior housing complexes co-sponsored by our church—Fairport Apartments and Jefferson Park as well as the Fairport Baptist Home.

Last year the youth and adults of our church contributed 128 cards and there were hundreds more from other churches! Your Valentines may be original creations or store bought, simple or elaborate. Pictures drawn or colored by students are treasured like refrigerator art.

All you need to do is sign a card with your first name and name of our church then place it in the box on the table between the narthex and parlor on or before Sunday, February 5.

Please contact Rick Hill at rickhillco@aol.com if you have any questions.

College Care Packages

Today and next Sunday (Jan. 22nd and 29th), Youth Ministry is collecting items for the College Care Packages which we send to our young adults who are in college. We are looking for donations of pre-packaged snacks, gift cards and other goodies which can be distributed among 20 boxes.

Please place your donations in the box in the Parlor **by Sunday, January 29th.**

Thank you in advance for your contributions.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Cakes and Cupcakes! Bakers needed for the Church Carnival

Calling all bakers! United Women in Faith need your help for our Cake Walk on February 5th at the Carnival. ***Please bake cakes or cupcakes for this fun event!*** Drop them off in the Parlor when you come to church on the February 5th.

Altar Flowers

Please think about providing flowers for the altar on Sunday. The process is so simple--sign up on the chart in the hall opposite the main office for the Sunday you would like, include any details that you know, and Terrie or Jane will call you to be sure everything is set for your Sunday.

Or call Terrie at 662-3483 or Jane at 789-8140. We will take care of ordering them and getting them to church. All you need to do is send Kevin the \$20, and take home the flowers after services on Sunday.

Thanks for beautifying our sanctuary during the winter months.

Cooking Ministry / Food Prep

Helpers are needed for meal preparation for our Sunday Dinner Ministry – which includes meals delivered to the Francis Center and Sanctuary House. Please consider joining the Cooking Ministry / Food Prep team. We meet from 9am to 12pm (in the kitchen) on the Friday preceding the 4th Sunday of each month (2/24, 3/24, 4/21 etc).

Contact Mark Renfro at: mrenfro53@gmail.com. Thank you so much!

Fairport UMC Cancer Support Group:

Former FUMC Pastor John McNeill is forming an online support group for those who are being tested for cancer, or are preparing for, undergoing, or recovering from cancer treatment. The group will meet every other week for 60 to 90 minutes.

The meeting day and time will be determined once we know who would like to participate. *The group is open to members and friends of FUMC.*

If you are interested in being a part of the group, please email Pastor John at johnwmcn@gmail.com.

SPIRITUAL GROWTH & FELLOWSHIP THIS WEEK

<i>Sunday</i> , January 22	8am 9am 9 & 10:30am 12:30pm 4pm	Early Choir - 113 Adult, Youth, & Children's Sunday School Worship Sunday Dinner - K / FH Senior High Youth Group - Games
<i>Monday</i> , January 23	1pm 7pm	Godmothers Group - 204 Boy Scouts - FH
<i>Tuesday</i> , January 24	10:15am 12 & 4pm 6:30pm 7pm	Staff Meeting - Parlor The Bible Year Study Group - 204 Joyful Noise - 206 Church Council
<i>Wednesday</i> , January 25	11:30am 7pm	Joy Club (Games) - Parlor Chancel Choir - 113, S
<i>Thursday</i> , January 26	6:30pm	Bell Choir - S
<i>Friday</i> , January 27	10:30am	Heart Listening Small Group
<i>Saturday</i> , January 28	12pm 7pm	Al Anon- P Senior High Sleepover
<i>Sunday</i> , January 29	8am 9am 9 & 10:30am 4pm	Early Choir - 113 Adult, Youth, & Children's Sunday School Worship Junior High Youth Group

MINISTERS AND STAFF OF FUMC

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HELPING IN TODAY'S SERVICE

Livestream Operator: Julie Woodruff

Reader: 9am - Betsy O'Connor 10:30am - Emily Pedersen

Feed the Spirit Hostess: Brenda Deever