

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

Third Sunday after the Epiphany | Sunday, January 21, 2024 | 8:45 AM | 9:45 AM | 11 AM

THE CHURCH GATHERS AND PROFESSES ITS FAITH

Broadway Café Preview

Regards to Broadway! arr. Besig

Greeting

*Call to Worship

Pastor: Hungering and thirsting, we come to the

Lord.

People: Jesus is the bread of life!

Pastor: Feed us with your love and healing power, O

Lord.

All: Praise be to you, O Lord, for your steadfast

love! Amen.

*Opening Hymn | UMH 510

Come, Ye Disconsolate (CONSOLATOR)

*The Apostles' Creed, Traditional Version UMH 881

THE CHURCH LISTENS FOR GOD'S WORD

Children's Time | 11 AM

Hymn of Preparation | TFWS 2218

You Are Mine (YOU ARE MINE)

Scripture Lesson

John 6:1-15 NRSV NT p. 97 | SPARK p. 1178

Sermon

3 Big Questions: Identity Rev. Chris Dowd

Anthem

Child of God by Miller Women's Chorus

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

THE CHURCH RESPONDS

Meet the Dekkers (Video)

Offertory

Children of the Heavenly Father arr. Helvey

*Doxology | UMH 94

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow (LASST UNS ERFREUEN)

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

O God, most merciful and gracious, of whose bounty we have all received, accept this offering of your people. Remember in your love those who have brought it and those for whom it is given, and so follow it with your blessing that it may promote peace and goodwill among all peoples, and advance the kingdom of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.

THE CHURCH GOES FORTH

*Closing Hymn | UMH 529

How Firm a Foundation | verses 1, 2, & 5 (FOUNDATION)

Benediction

Benediction Response | TFWS 2280

The Lord Bless and Keep You by Strathdee

Postlude | 9:45 & 11 AM

Trumpet Tune in D by Purcell

The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are in celebration of Dusty and Gila Montfort's 55th wedding anniversary!

UPCOMING EVENTS

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

LEARN MORE ABOUT ALL OF OUR UPCOMING EVENTS + PROGRAMS AT CUMC.COM/CONNECT



GET CONNECTED

If this is your first time here, or you are thinking about making Christ United your church home, our team would love to meet you. Stop by the Get Connected area to learn more.

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MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS

CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

Acolyte Training | Jan 28 | 12 PM | Donut Room

Current and future acolytes (3rd-5th graders), join us for pizza lunch and training.

Contact: kristin@cumc.com | REG REQUIRED

CHILI COOK OFF | Feb 4 | 5 PM

Join us for our second annual chili cook off! It will be a fun night of fellowship and food.

Contact raegan@cumc.com | REG REQUIRED

WINTER + SPRING STUDIES

Join us for a season of study and community!

There are great book + Bible studies kicking off, or continuing, for Women, Men, and all ages + stages.

Learn More + Register: cumc.com/biblestudies

YOUTH MINISTRIES

Youth Sunday Planning Tonight | 5:15-7 PM

Youth will lead worship February 11th. Join us to plan this important day!

Contact: kenzie@cumc.com

MUSIC MINISTRIES

Men's Chorus - Come join us! No audition necessary!

Next Rehearsals: Feb 11 at 3 PM | Feb 14 at 8 PM

Next Performance: Feb 18 | All Services

Contact: ben@cumc.com

SERVING OTHERS MINISTRIES

Serve On the Go TODAY | Atrium

Help pack supplies for our neighbors in need.

Visit the VOLT Eyeglasses Table TODAY | Atrium

View their vision demonstration and learn more.

Pancake Dinner Fundraiser | Feb 13 | 6 PM

Enjoy a guest pancake artist + dinner to support our local missions.

Learn More + Register: cumc.com/connect

CARE MINISTRIES

The Assisted Living Ministry Team is looking for individuals who can assist on a rotating basis to help lead Sunday worship at a local community.

Contact: mike@cumc.com

MEET OUR STAFF

CONTACT THEM AT CUMC.COM/STAFF CLERGY:

Rev. Chris Dowd | Senior Pastor

Rev. Raegan Gilliland | Pastor of Outreach & Engagement

Rev. Mike Flynn | Pastor of Care Ministries

Rev. Julie Henson | Pastor of Modern Worship & Adult Discipleship

Rev. Don Underwood | Pastor Emeritus & Director of Donor Relations

MUSIC & WORSHIP:

Ben Turner | Director of Music Ministries and Youth Choir
Nancy Laine | Associate Director of Music & Organist
Angie Hawkins | Children's Music Coordinator

MINISTRY AREAS:

Kristin Steed | Director of Children's Ministries
Kenzie Ericson | Director of Youth Ministries
Betsy Crawford | Director of Serving Others Ministries
Denise Stavely | Director of Children's Discovery Center
Josh Beasley | Director of Sports & Recreation

