

All Are Welcome Here

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF LONDON

August 3, 2025 ~ 10:00 a.m. ~ Order of Worship

~Our Church Mission~

First United Methodist Church of London will strive toward the embodiment of God's presence, on earth as it is in heaven, through both word and action.

Chiming of the Hour - Let us quiet our voices and prepare our minds and hearts to worship the Lord **Greeting and Announcements**

Prelude Prelude on the Kyrie (from Homage au Frescobaldi)

Jean Langlais

*Musical Call to Worship

Surely the Presence of the Lord

UMH 328

Surely the presence Of the Lord is in this place,
I can feel His mighty power And His grace,
I can hear the brush of angel's wings, I see glory on each face.
Surely the presence Of the Lord is in this place

*Call to Worship

Leader: Praise the Lord

People: From this time forth and forevermore

Leader: From the rising of the sun to it's setting

People: The name of the Lord is to be praised

*Opening Hymn Leaning on the Everlasting Arms UMH 133

*Affirmation of Faith

Apostles Creed (Traditional)

UMH 881

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father

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.*

(please be seated)

Old Testament Lesson Psalm 111:1-5

Children's Sermon

Call to Gather Our Tithes, Offerings, and Promises

Offertory Standing on the Promises R. Kelso Carter

Valerie Cox and Susan Wilson

*Doxology (stand) Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow UMH 95

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

*A Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn My Faith Looks up to Thee UMH 452

*New Testament Lesson Hebrews 9:13-15

Sermon Ever Mindful Rev Dave Leckrone

Holy Communion

*Closing Hymn My Hope Is Built UMH 368

*Benediction

*Congregational Response God Be with You till We Meet Again UMH 672

God be with you till we meet again; by his counsels guide, uphold you, with his sheep securely fold you; God be with you till we meet again.

Postlude (be seated) Prelude, Fugue and Ciacona in C Major Dietrich Buxtehude

*indicates standing

Altar Flowers

To the glory of God, the altar flowers are given in celebration of family birthdays; grandsons Jonah Payton, Ivan Payton and Marcus Byerly and sister Valerie Peart given by Joe and Sue Mosier

CONTINUAL PRAYER REQUESTS

Evone Banks, Gladys Griffith, Joyce Hildebrand, Phyllis Miller, Sue Minner, Bea Riegel, Dave & Marty Shaw, Sally Sisterhen, Doris Spahn

CURRENT PRAYER REQUESTS

Avalee Adams, Carol Albright, Rachael Allen, Harriet Baker, Laura Beyer, Buzzy (Victoria) Biddinger, Kim Braddock, Jayden Clark, Becky Cress, Toni Daniels, Emily Davis, Bobby Dorn, Woody Draper, Allison Engle, Linda Finney, Phyllis Follrod, John Foote, Sr., Tylor Freeman, Nancy Giles, Carole Gordon, Jane Hackworth, John Harbage, TJ Franklin, Dee Heilman, Linda Holloway, Gary and Cindy Hoback, Roger Horsely, Gary Hunter, Claudia Justice, Ray Justice, Cody Leavens, Patrick Madden, Jessica Martin, Jerod McKenzie, Chuck Miller, Aiden Norton, Sue Osborn, Pauline Persing, Dylan Lee Prophater, Jeff Quatkemeyer, Michele Ramsey, Marco Ranalli, Steve Richmond, Miles Schrock, Diane Self, Jill Wyatt Setty, Julia Smith, Robert Stallings, David Stewart, Rob Suter, Diana Vick, Hayden Weese, Gretchen Wingert, Sandy Young, Heather Zollman

SERVING ON ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY

Lt. Colonel John Crisp ~ Navy Lt Commander Tom Crisp 2nd Lt Cheney Gross ~ 2nd Lt Luke Peart ~ Sgt First Class Mathew Rowley

Please pray for the family and friends of those who have given their lives for our nation.

YOU'RE INVITED TO

A CHURCH FAMILY POTLUCK TO BENEFIT NIGHT TO SHINE

Night to TIM TEBOW FOUNDATION

SUNDAY, AUGUST 24TH

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE SERVICE

FRIED CHICKEN & BEVERAGES WILL BE PROVIDED

PLEASE BRING A DISH TO SHARE!

A FREE-WILL DONATION WILL HELP SUPPORT THE 2026 NIGHT TO SHINE EVENT!

SUNDAY, JULY 27, 2025

Attendance – 105* ~ Offering \$2,782.77 **Monthly Need—\$24,800.00**

*includes online and app views



Enjoy Sunday Brunch at **The Butcher Block Restaurant** and take your church bulletin with you! The Butcher Block is graciously giving back to our church! 10% of your Brunch guest check comes back to our church when you present your church bulletin to your server. Lots of selections!



Please add the following 2025 dates to your calendar for the Men's Bible Study. The group meets in the Rudorah Welcome Parlor at 7am. All are welcome to join at any time! Remaining dates for 2025: 8/9, 8,23, 9/6, 9/20, 10/4, 10/18, 11/1, 11/15, 11/29, 12/13, 12/27



Our Church will be providing a meal for The Welcome Table on Thursday, August 21. We will be serving Hot Dogs, Chips, Fresh Fruit and Cookies/Brownies (NO NUTS). Please see Cathie Littleton after church or call or send a text to her at 614-589-3114 if you can provide food or give a monetary donation.

20 years ago this September, my dad Jim passed away from ALS. Please see me in August if you'd like to donate to this year's walk.

Liz Blakeslee

Sunday Leaders

Sound & Video Technicians
Brian Benedum
David Cover

<u>Liturgist</u> Katelyn Hanna

August Ushers
David Ladd, Chair
Joe Brackett
Bob Minner
Tara Shoemaker

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August Hospitality
Beth Pearman

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