

WELCOME TO UPPC!

We believe God brought you here today! We are so glad, and we would love to meet you. Visit the Welcome Center just outside the Sanctuary doors to learn more about the ministry of UPPC, our community and opportunities to connect.

We hope your time with us today creates a meaningful encounter with Jesus.

American South Pilgrimage 2023 Group Reflections



"It seems like we, as followers of Jesus, should be craving and seeking out opportunities to be a part of this kind of healing. As a mental health provider, I have learned that I need to do some deep listening to stories of pain, injustice and trauma before we can ever move forward."

-Kathy Nussbaum

"No true change will ever take place, in myself or society at large, until we stop treating this as a fact-based issue and start treating it as an emotional one. Stories and experiences will bring about change much faster than facts in a book."

- Aaron Paker



"Joanne Bland, a first-hand witness to the civil rights movement, told me something I will never forget, as she made me say it multiple times until I got it just right: "I am the most important piece of the puzzle." She taught us that the puzzle of reconciliation is not complete until everyone's piece is fitted in."

-Adahlia Bosh



"It is so easy for me to take for granted the everyday freedoms that have come with my life as a privileged person in America. Yet, the people of past and present, who touched my soul on this pilgrimage, have fought and continue to fight, for those same rights and freedoms."

-Barry Carlaw



American South Pilgrimage 2024 June 25 - July 3

Learn more about UPPC's March 2023 Pilgrimage and join the interest list for our upcoming return in 2024 at UPPC.org/outreach.

SERVICE INFORMATION

The Soul of Shame: Our Healing Cloud of Witnesses
Hebrews 12:1-2
Rev. Aaron Stewart, Senior Pastor
Rev Mike Moffitt, Associate Pastor

9:30AM TRADITIONAL SERVICE

**Please stand if able*

Worship Leaders: Rev Dr. Diana Greene, Minister of Worship;
Sanctuary Choir; Art Peterson, Organist

Prelude: "Andantino" by Scharwenka

Welcome & Call to Worship

***Hymn of Praise:** "For All the Saints"

God's Tithes & Our Offerings

Ministry of Music: "How Firm a Foundation" arr. Forrest

Prayer for the Children & Greet One Another

Message

***Hymn of Response:** "Guide My Feet Lord While I Run This Race"

Communion

Prayers of the People

***Sending Hymn:** "The Lord's Prayer"

The Blessing

Postlude: "Marziale" by Cramer

11AM CONTEMPORARY SERVICE

Worship Leaders: Loren Tucker & Sarah Ibsen

Baptism: Eva Murrell

"We Praise You" by Brandon Lake

"Yet Not I" by CityAlight

"Same God" by Elevation Worship



UNIVERSITY PLACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday June 4, 2023

Rev. Aaron Stewart | Senior Pastor
Rev. Mike Moffitt | Associate Pastor

Wifi: UPPC Guest | Password: welcome2

WAYS TO GIVE AT UPPC:

- Offering baskets in lobby
- Online: UPPC.org/give
- Scan the QR code



CONNECT

 in person - online - get the app!

Informational Session with Elders

TODAY | 10:30am in the Gym | 12pm in the Family Worship Room

Meet with our Elders to learn more about the process to call a third installed Pastor to UPPC. Informational sessions will take place after both services.

Intergenerational Mexico Service Trip

INFO MEETING TODAY | 10:30am & 12pm | Youth Room

Come and learn more about this life-changing opportunity to serve! We will share some exciting details about this cross-cultural, all-ages opportunity through our mission partners in El Nino, coming February 15-19, 2024. Meetings after both services! Questions? Contact Rob Clark. rclark@uppc.org

Cross-Cultural Food and Fellowship

TODAY | 12pm | Gym

Enjoy good food and fellowship with several of UPPC's African families and others on the first Sunday of every month in the Gym. Bring a side dish or dessert to share or just come and experience the diverse cultures that make up UPPC.

Summer Lunch Distribution

SIGN UP NOW

UPPC is partnering with Families Unlimited Network (FUN) to distribute prepackaged meals to local families in University Place. Volunteer to help keep families fed this summer at UPPC.org/events.

Annual Meeting

June 18 | Sanctuary | 12pm

Members! Mark your calendars for UPPC's Annual Meeting on Sunday, June 18 and join us as we install our new Elders and Deacons.



Lunch with David Bailey - Arrabon

June 11 | 12pm | Fellowship Hall

We have the privilege to hear from David Bailey from Arrabon at both services on June 11. Join us after the 11am service in Fellowship Hall for lunch and to learn more about how churches are uniquely positioned to propel American society to a future of racial healing and hope.

David Bailey is a public theologian and culture-maker focused on building reconciling communities. David is the founder and Chief Visionary Officer of Arrabon, a nonprofit organization that cultivates Christian communities to pursue healing and reconciliation in a racially divided world. He is also the co-author of the Race, Class, and the *Kingdom of God Study Series*; the executive producer of the documentary *11am: Hope for America's Most Segregated Hour* and the *Urban Doxology Project*; and is rooted at East End Fellowship serving on the preaching team. David's greatest honor in life is to be married to his wonderful wife, Joy.

David believes in a holistic approach to reconciliation that is rooted in discipleship and built upon practices that engage our whole self and community - body, mind, and soul. This includes addressing the complicated emotions like shame that frequently arise in conversations around race.

In addition to his work at Arrabon, David has also worked closely with the Telos Group in creating their ReStory: American South Pilgrimage experience, which several UPPCers participated in this past March.

Lunch provided by UPPC. No registration necessary. See you there! More info at UPPC.org/events.



PRAYERS

Jill McMullen, Minister of Care | 253.564.2522 ext. 139 | jmcmullen@uppc.org

- If you would like to share a prayer request or praise, email prayerrequests@uppc.org.
- If you would like info on support groups, or for a deacon to pray with you during the week, contact Jill McMullen.
- Kathy Felknor, mother of Kally (Bill) Dowling and sister of Kris Rantalla, is recovering in rehab following a series of health issues. Prayers for peace and healing.
- Joan Hays fell and broke her wrist, which has been surgically repaired. Prayers for healing.
- Praises for all of the high school and college graduations that have happened and are coming soon. May all the graduates be filled with the peace of Christ.

CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR

Gary Armfield, Sheila Bennett, Steve Berntson, John Brooks, Billie Brown, Gary Christman, Clare DeVine, Dave Ernst, Llew Ernst, Art Forbes, Janet Fry, Owen Furber, Pat Kling, Sharon Knoll, Mark Koch, Kellyn Kohler, Clarine Kvamme, Buck Mann, James Matthaei, Kara McDaniels, Nick McKenty, Robin Miller, Sheri Miller, Don Moffitt, Noelle Nelson, Mike O'Donnell, Bob Peterson, Kris Rantalla, Dave Robert, Shirley Romanovich, Emil Schlenker, Bobbi Sloan, Ginny Siegle, Ed Srsn, Dick Stender, John Sutton, Pam Vandenberg, Doug Wing

THOSE BEING TREATED FOR CANCER

Mark Baldrige, JoBeth Berry, Kristy Burnette, Margo Campbell, Jane Chantler, Ron Coleman, Gerry Cravens, Matt Cushman, Bob Dippert, Tiana Graves, Bob Gunderson, Kathy Hamilton, Kathy Horst-Smith, Julie Judy, Brittni Kelleher, Mary Loois, Peter MacDonald, Susan Perong, Sarah Rauen, Mario Silva, Ralph Storey, Fred Turshman, Louana Tyson

UPCOMING MEMORIAL

Thursday June 8 at 2pm: Gary Methner

CONDOLENCES

Our sympathy to Denise (Alan) Simpson at the loss of her father, George Park, who passed away on May 26, 2023.

BAPTISM

Congratulations to Eva Murrell on her baptism day!

THE WAYSIDE



Sunday-Thursday 8:30am-1pm

Stop by The Wayside on your way to work, after kid dropoff, or for a meet up with friends. Enjoy great coffee in an uplifting, comfortable atmosphere. Free wifi!

Worship anywhere with the newest playlist on Spotify!

the soul of SHAME



DO LIFE TOGETHER

We comfort and care for each other, both here and around the world.

MAKE ROOM

We value sacred space - our gatherings are a place of Holy Spirit moments and great healing.

LOVE KIDS

We honor children and youth - through spiritual growth and general nurture - as a foundation for all we do.

CREATE

We encourage music and the arts to enhance our worship and celebrate God's goodness with others.

EMBRACE MESSINESS

We are guided by the Bible, embracing both spiritual truth and God's grace, as we share life's journey in all its messiness and all its glory, together.

SHARE

We share our abundant blessings generously - through service and mission, God-given talents and wealth.