Sunday Worship

April 3rd, 2022 9:00 a.m. NIV

Welcome/Announcements

Prelude Fairest Lord Jesus

Processional

Call to Worship*

Passing the Peace

Opening Hymn Be Thou My Vision

UMH 451

Lenten Confession* Children's Time

Cilidicit's Time

Offertory O Sacred, Wondrous Love

MUMC Choir

Doxology* UHM 94

Prayer

New Testament Reading* Philippians 3:4-16

Reverend: The Word of God for the people of God

All: Thanks be to God

Gloria Patri* UMH 70

Sermon "Further Up, Further In"

Pastor Paul Walles

Communion

Closing Hymn My Hope Is Built

UMH 368

Benediction

Recessional Refrain Chorus of *My Hope Is Built*

Postlude

Philippians 3:4-16

If someone else thinks they have reasons to put confidence in the flesh, I have more: ⁵ circumcised on the eighth day, of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew of Hebrews; in regard to the law, a Pharisee; ⁶ as for zeal, persecuting the church; as for righteousness based on the law, faultless.

Scripture Reading

⁷ But whatever were gains to me I now consider loss for the sake of Christ. ⁸ What is more, I consider everything a loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord, for whose sake I have lost all things. I consider them garbage, that I may gain Christ ⁹ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but that which is through faith in Christ—the righteousness that comes from God on the basis of faith. ¹⁰ I want to know Christ—yes, to know the power of his resurrection and participation in his sufferings, becoming like him in his death, ¹¹ and so, somehow, attaining to the resurrection from the dead.

¹² Not that I have already obtained all this, or have already arrived at my goal, but I press on to take hold of that for which Christ Jesus took hold of me. ¹³ Brothers and sisters, I do not consider myself yet to have taken hold of it. But one thing I do: Forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead, ¹⁴ I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus.

¹⁵ All of us, then, who are mature should take such a view of things. And if on some point you think differently, that too God will make clear to you. ¹⁶ Only let us live up to what we have already attained.

^{*}Please stand if you are able

Pray for Our Church Family:

Please pray for the McCafferty, Gregurich, and Morse families as they deal with the loss of Taylor McCafferty.

Hospitalized/Released: None

Subsplash

If you would like to sign up for our new online giving, stop by the welcome desk for an information sheet, or meet Megan out in the gathering area after service to help you get started.

XYZ Activities

XYZ is having a movie day on Tuesday, April 5th! Meet in the Movie room in the children's church area. They will be watching "The Father." Popcorn will be served

Family Ministries

FM is having an early dismissal movie day on Wednesday, April 6th starting at 11:30am! Join us in the Youth Room! Don't forget to stop by the Family Ministry table in the back hallway on your way out to sign up for more events!

Be the Church:

9:00AM-Traditional Worship Celebration

10:30AM-Cross Connections Worship Celebration

10:30AM-Sunday School (ages 2 – 6th grade)

Mon, Wed, Friday- 8:00-9:00AM Walking for Exercise

Monday-3PM Taylor McCafferty Visitation

Monday-3:15PM Afterschool at Eli's (Sr. High)

Monday-6PM Trustees Meeting (Library)

Tuesday-8:30AM Staff Meeting

Tuesday-9:30 Skeins of Love

Tuesday-1PM XYZ Movie Day

Tuesday-6:30PM Care Giver's Meeting

Tuesday-7PM Joanna Circle

Wednesday-6:30AM Men's prayer Group

Wednesday-9:00AM UMW Board Meeting

Wednesday-10AM Prayer and Care Meeting

Wednesday-11AM FM Early Dismissal Movie

Wednesday-5:15PM Dinner Church

Thursday-8:30AM Quilters

Thursday-9:30AM Hannah Circle

Thursday-9:30AM Study with Pastor Paul

Thursday-6PM Thursday Night Bible Study

Thursday-6:00PM Praise Band

Thursday-7:00PM Choir Practice

Saturday-7AM Men's Bible Study

Sunday- Palm Sunday

Sunday- Candy for Easter Eggs Due

Sunday-9:00AM Traditional Worship Celebration (in sanctuary and online)

Sunday-10:30AM Cross Connections Worship Celebration (gym)



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