

Prelude

Welcome/Announcements

Linda Futter

*Call to Worship

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Leader: Come, let us give thanks for God's patience and grace.

People: We thank God for giving us another day and another chance.

Leader: God gives us time to grow and bear good fruit.

People: Help us open our hearts and grow in Your love.

Leader: Let us receive God's grace and live faithfully.

People: Lord, help us make the most of this year of grace.

*Praise Songs

Praise Band

Prayer

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Gracious God, thank You for Your patience, Your mercy, and Your grace. Forgive us when we fall short and fail to bear good fruit. Help us turn back to You and let Your love change our hearts. Lord, thank You for giving us another year of grace. Help us make the most of it—to grow in faith, love, and service, and to bless those around us. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

Anthem:

Choir

Children's Moment

Pastor Sung Ho Lee

*Hymn: "Crown Him with Many Crowns"

UMH 327 (vv. 1,2,4)

Scripture Reading: Luke 13:6-9

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⁶ Jesus told this parable: "A man owned a fig tree planted in his vineyard. He came looking for fruit on it and found none. ⁷ He said to his gardener, 'Look, I've come looking for fruit on this fig tree for the past three years, and I've never found any. Cut it down! Why should it continue depleting the soil's nutrients?' ⁸ The gardener responded, 'Lord, give it one more year, and I will dig around it and give it fertilizer. ⁹ Maybe it will produce fruit next year; if not, then you can cut it down.'"

Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

Message: The One More Year of Grace

Pastor Sung Ho Lee

The People Bring Their Gifts

The baskets will be passed or you may use the UMCL app

*"Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH 95

Sharing Joys and Concerns

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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, the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

*Hymn: "Shine, Jesus, Shine"

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*Benediction

Postlude

*please stand if you are able