



*And if
you belong to Christ,
then you are Abraham's
offspring, heirs
according to
the promise.*

Galatians 3:29, NRSV

Waterloo First United Methodist Church

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Rev. Dr. Hojin Shin, Pastor

The Mission of Waterloo First United Methodist Church is to be a church of people who live as disciples of Jesus Christ by providing a place for spiritual growth in a caring, inviting community.

June 9, 2024

Third Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome! We are happy to have you with us today!

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

Liturgist Kathy McFarland

Please sign and pass the ritual of Friendship.

*GREETING (With One Another)

Pam Ulffers

Greeting: The peace of Christ be with you!

Response: And also with you!

CENTERING WORDS (Psalm 42:1)

As a deer longs for flowing streams, so my soul longs for you, God.

PRELUDE

"Total Praise"

Richard Smallwood

*CALL TO WORSHIP

We all carry a private list, a litany of hopelessness.

In certain areas of our lives, we give ourselves up as lost.

How remarkable that God finds us and then we find ourselves.

How remarkable that the Creator has given us the capacity to turn around our lives.

Come, let us know the transforming grace of God.

*OPENING PRAYER

Turn us around, O God. Turn us away from what is wrong with us to what is right about us. Turn us away from the part that ruins toward that which builds up. Turn us away from our catalogs of hopelessness so we might compose a new list, an expectant, hopeful list of what is possible within us. Amen.

*OPENING HYMN

"Faith Is Patience in the Night"

No. 2211

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE		
Joys and Concerns		
Call to Prayer	<i>“Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying”</i>	No. 2193
Pastoral Prayer		
The Lord’s Prayer		No. 895

SPECIAL MUSIC	<i>“I Know Who Holds the Future”</i>	Ira F. Stanphill
	Thom Weintraut, vocalist	

SCRIPTURE LESSONS		Galatians 3: 23-29
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SERMON	<i>“Tomorrow”</i>	Pam Ulffers
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OFFERING		
Offertory		
Doxology		No. 95
Offertory Prayer		

*CLOSING HYMN	<i>“The Servant Song”</i>	No. 2222
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***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE	<i>“O, I Want to See Him”</i>	R.H. Cornelius
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Dr. John Roberts, Ed. D., pianist

**Please stand if you are able*

We are happy you are with us today!!
Please sign the **attendance registration** pad located in the pew racks.

Altar Flowers
Today's altar flowers are given by Tony Brown

If you would like to use a **large print hymnal**,
or a **hearing assistance device** please ask an usher for one.

- * Our prayer chain is available to any who have needs or concerns. We will pray with you and for you. Fill out a prayer request form located in the pew or contact the church office at 235-7088. All prayer requests will be sent out by email.
- * Our Cry Room, Nursery, and a Rest Room are all located off the hallway in the back of the sanctuary.
- * The service is recorded each week and is available to anyone who requests it. If you know of someone who is unable to attend services and would like to receive a DVD or an audio CD, please contact the church office, 235-7088.
- * Today's service is being live streamed on Facebook.
- * Children's Bulletins are available in the sanctuary on a table by the door in the front. Children's packets are available in bags and the back of the sanctuary.

Ministers	Every Member
Director of Music	Emily Forssberg
Organist	Dr. Linda Sharp DMA, MDiv
Pianist	Dr. John Roberts, Ed. D.
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