

GATHERING

Voluntary: Chorale Prelude on "Valet will ich dir geben".....J. S. Bach

Welcome.....Carol Cavin-Dillon

Please take a moment to record your attendance in the registration pad found near the center aisle, pass it to your neighbor, and then pass the pad back to the center.

First-time guests are encouraged to list your address and telephone number or e-mail address so we may share additional information about our church with you.

Introit: When Jesus Came to Jerusalem.....John Erickson

When Jesus came to Jerusalem the children stood along the way waving palm branches for their Lord and King. Sing Hosanna, sing hosanna, to the Lord and King.

† Processional Hymn No. 280.....St. Theodulph

All Glory, Laud, and Honor

† Call to Worship.....Erin Racine

Liturgist: *Hosanna to the Son of David!*

People: **Hosanna in the highest!**

Liturgist: *Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord.*

People: **Hosanna in the highest!**

Liturgist: *God's faithful love lasts forever*

People: **Hosanna in the highest!**

Anthem: Sing Hosanna!.....Charles McCartha

Sing Hosanna! Sing Hosanna! Shout the news King Jesus comes!

Sing Hosanna! Sing Hosanna! Worship him with joyful song!

Sing Hosanna! Sing Hosanna! Wave your palms and shout his praise.

Sing Hosanna! Sing Hosanna! Sing with hearts and voices raised!

Now to our city Christ comes to bring peace and love. Sing Hosanna!

Sing Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

Sing Hosanna! Sing Hosanna! Let your songs and praises ring.

Sing Hosanna! Sing Hosanna! Jesus reigns as King of kings!

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (*in unison*)

God of Great Compassion,

we confess that it is easy for us

to anticipate Easter morning joyfully,

while rushing past the darkness of Friday night.

We are uncomfortable with the pain and suffering you endured,

and we are hesitant to live our lives as you did,

worried about what will be asked of us.

Forgive our desire to flee and our impulse to deny that we know you.

Fill our hearts with the courage of your presence with us

and the knowledge that there is nothing we can do

to separate ourselves from your love. Amen.

Silent Confession

Words of Assurance

Liturgist: *Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ you are forgiven!*

People: **In the name of Jesus Christ you are forgiven!**

All: **Glory to God. Amen.**

† Passing of the Peace

Liturgist: *As a forgiven and reconciled people,
let us exchange signs of reconciliation and love.
The peace of Christ be with you.*

People: **And also with you.**

† Gloria Patri.....No. 71

**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.**

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Prayer for Illumination (*in unison*).....Mac Pirkle

**Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit,
that as the Scriptures are read and the Word proclaimed,
we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.**

A lesson from the Gospel: Luke 22:1-6.....(pew Bible, page 857)

Response to the Lesson

Liturgist: *The Word of God for the people of God.*

People: **Thanks be to God.**

† Hymn: My Song is Love Unknown.....Love Unknown

*The children are invited to join Carol at the chancel
during the last stanza of the hymn for the Children's Moment.*

Samuel Crossman, 1664 John Ireland, 1918

1. My song is love un - known, My Sav - ior's love to me, Love
2. Christ came from heav - en's throne Sal - va - tion to be - stow, But
3. Some - times they strew His way, And His sweet prais - es sing, Re -
4. They rise, and needs will have My dear Lord made a - way; A
5. Here might I stay and sing, No sto - ry so di - vine: Nev -
er was love, dear King, Nev - er was grief like Thine. This is my
to the love - less shown That they might love - ly be. O who am
peo - ple scorned and none The longed - for Christ would know. But O my
sound - ing all the way Ho - san - nas to their King. Then "Cru - ci -
mur - der - er they save, The Prince of life they slay. Yet stead - fast
er was love, dear King, Nev - er was grief like Thine. This is my
I That for my sake My Lord should take Frail flesh, and die?
Friend, My Friend in - deed, Who at my need His life did spend!
fy!" Is all their breath, And for His death They thirst and cry.
He To suf - fer - ing goes, That He His foes From thence might free.
Friend, In whose sweet praise I all my days Could glad - ly spend.

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Sermon: What About Judas?.....Carol Cavin-Dillon

† Affirmation of Faith.....No. 881

Joys & Concerns of the Church.....Brandon Baxter

Salutation

Liturgist: *The Lord be with you.*

People: **And also with you.**

Liturgist: *Let us pray.*

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer (*in unison*)

**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, and the power, and the glory, forever.
Amen.**

Offertory: Crucifixus.....Antonio Lotti
Crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate, he suffered and was buried.

† Doxology.....No. 95

SENDING FORTH

† Recessional Hymn No. 285.....Kingsfold
To Mock Your Reign, O Dearest Lord

† Benediction

† Benediction Response: Jesus, So Lowly.....Harold W. Friedell
Jesus, so lowly, child of the earth; christen me wholly, bring me new birth.
Jesus, so lonely, weary and sad; teach me that only love maketh glad.
Jesus, so broken, silent and pale; be this the token love will not fail.
Jesus, victorious, mighty and free; teach me how glorious death is to be.

Please exit in silence following the Benediction Response.

† *The congregation is invited to rise in body or in spirit.*

*Livestream and video recording happen during our church services
and worship events.*

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The flowers in Reed Hall are given to the glory of God and in honor of their families from the wedding of Amanda Clark and James E. Still, III.



West End United Methodist Church

WEST END UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Everyone is welcome at West End! We seek to be the loving light of Christ in Nashville and beyond. We gather as the people of God with a wide range of religious backgrounds, education levels, political and theological perspectives, and we value that diversity. We welcome and celebrate the gifts God has given to all without regard to gender, race, sexual orientation, economic or family status, ethnicity, or mental or physical ability. We believe God loves everyone unconditionally!

Sunday Activities

- Service Times*.....8:45 and 11 a.m.
- Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.
- College Lunch.....12:00 p.m.
- Youth Choir and Handbell Rehearsals.....12:00 - 12:30 p.m.
- Adult Handbells.....1:15 - 2:15 p.m.
- Youth Small Groups.....5 - 7 p.m.

Weekly Activities

- Meal.....Wednesdays, 5 - 6:30 p.m.
- Class Offerings.....Wednesdays, 6 p.m.
- Children's Choir.....Wednesdays, 6 - 7 p.m.
- Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal.....Wednesdays, 7:30 - 9 p.m.
- Chancel Choir Rehearsal.....Thursdays, 7:15pm - 9:15 p.m.

Building Tours are offered on the 3rd Sunday of each month at 9:30 AM, or immediately following the early service. Meet at the Welcome Center in Reed Hall, through the side doors of the Sanctuary.

For a complete listing and additional information on Sunday and Weekly Activities, please visit our website at www.westendumc.org or see the insert.

*Children of all ages are welcome in our worship services! However if needed, childcare is available during worship for children 5 and under on the 1st floor in the following rooms: infants 105, toddlers 104, twos and threes 110, and fours and fives 112.

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Head Usher: Barbara Cragg

Liturgy: Sarah McCain

Music Participants: The Sanctuary Choir. Associate Minister of Music, Andrew Risinger, organist-director. Assistant Organist, Michael Gebhart, assisting at the organ. The Chapel Chorus I and II. Tyler Bowman is conducting. The Asbury Choir. Bethany Wilson and Matthew Phelps are co-directors.

Today's Music: This Sunday is our final Sunday for Children's choirs this season. We'd like to thank all of our volunteer leaders: Bethany Wilson, Suzy Gillette, Mary Frances Harrell, Mary Peacock, Tyler Bowman, Sarah Sharp, Cristina Egan, and John Wiseman. Children's choir will start again in August. Please consider joining our program and taking part in this wonderful opportunity for children to lead worship while they grow in their musical skills and faith.

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