

WEST END

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



ORDER OF MORNING WORSHIP
 June 27, 2021 at Eleven o'clock
 Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

2200 West End Avenue
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GATHERING

Voluntary: AriaFlor Peeters

Welcome Carol Cavin-Dillon

Please take a moment to record your online attendance in the link provided in the comment section. First-time guests and other visitors 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: Arise! Shine! For Your Light Has Come Ronald A. Nelson

Arise! Shine! For your light has come,
 and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you!

† Opening Hymn No. 103: Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise St. Denio

† Call to Worship Emily Robbins

Liturgist: *Let us love the Lord our God with our hearts and souls,*

People: **with our minds and our strength.**

Liturgist: *Let us love our neighbors as ourselves,*

People: **and show mercy to those we meet.**

Liturgist: *This is the path to life.*

People: **Let us love our God in worship today!**

† Call to Confession

† Prayer of Confession (*in unison*)

O Holy God,
we come in confession for our resistance to difference.
We have neither loved ourselves nor our neighbors.
We have passed by those who are unfamiliar, overlooking need
due to busyness, discomfort, and fear.
We have held deep prejudices, unconscious and conscious,
against people who are not like us.
O Love Eternal, heal our pains and amend our faults.
Guide us in ways of disquiet and compassion,
that we might love you with all that we are,
that we might see your children as you do.
We pray in the name of Jesus,
our most beloved neighbor,
who cared for us even to the cross.
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.**

The Sacrament of Baptism

Renunciation of Sin and Profession of Faith

Liturgist: *Will you nurture one another in the Christian faith and life and include this child now before you in your care?*

People: **With God's help we will proclaim the good news and live according to the example of Christ. We will surround this child with a community of love and forgiveness, that he may grow in service with others. We will pray for him to be a true disciple who walks in the way that leads to life.**

Thanksgiving Over the Water

Commendation and Welcome

† Liturgist: *Members of the household of God, I commend Gibeault Cooper to your love and care. Do all in your power to increase his faith, confirm his hope, and perfect him in love.*

† People: **We give thanks for all that God has already given you, Gibeault Cooper, and we welcome you in Christian love. As members together with you in the body of Christ and in this congregation of The United Methodist Church, we renew our covenant to participate faithfully in the ministries of the church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness, that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.**

† Musical ResponseNo. 611, st. 1

**Child of blessing, child of promise,
 baptized with the Spirit's sign:
 with this water God has sealed you
 unto love and grace divine.**

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Prayer for IlluminationRick Sanders

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 10:25-37

Response to the Lesson

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

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Children's Moment

Sermon: Go and Do Likewise..... Thomas Kim

† Affirmation of Faith No. 884
A Statement of Faith of the Korean Methodist Church

Joys & Concerns of the Church..... Carol Cavin-Dillon

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:.....W. A. Mozart

Laudate Dominum (from Solemn Vespers, K. 339)

Praise the Lord, all you nations, praise him all you people,
for his loving kindness has been bestowed upon us
and the truth of the lord endures forever.

glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning
is now and ever shall be, world without end, Amen! (sung in Latin)

† Doxology.....No. 95

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

SENDING FORTH

† Closing Hymn No. 670: Go Forth for GodGeneva 124

† Benediction

† Benediction Response: Bind Us TogetherBob Gillman

**Bind us together Lord, bind us together in cords that cannot be broken.
Bind us together Lord, bind us together Lord, bind us together in love.**

Voluntary: “Little” Prelude and Fugue in F, BWV 556Bach/Krebs

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

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

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The altar flowers are given in memory of William Carrington Finch and Lucy Bedinger Finch and Clarence Crane Woodcock and Anita Green Woodcock, by their children, Anita Woodcock Schmid and William Tyree Finch.

Gibeault Cooper Creson, Jr., son of Beau and Caroline Creson, is presented for baptism today.

Everett Charles Phillips, son of Amanda and Tommy Phillips, was presented for baptism today in the early service.

Thomas Kim is an elder in the Northern Illinois Conference, director of Korean and Asian News at United Methodist Communications, and a regular attendee of West End.



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 identity, race, sexual orientation, economic or family status, ethnicity, or mental or physical ability. We believe God loves everyone unconditionally!

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Liturgy written by Sarah McCain.

Cover Art by Ray Sells, elder in the United Methodist Church and longtime constituent and affiliate member of West End.

Music Participants: Members of Chancel and Sanctuary Choirs. Matthew Phelps is organist-director. Andrew Risinger is organist. Sarah Dunnevant, solo.

Today’s Music: Walter C. Smith based “Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise,” on 1 Timothy 1:17: “Now to the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory for ever and ever.” The six-stanza text was published in Smith’s Hymns of Christ and the Christian Life (1867) and, after having been revised by Smith, in W. Garrett Horder’s *Congregational Hymns* (1884). Further revisions were made by the *Psalter Hymnal* Revision Committee.



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