

SERVICE OF WORSHIP
10:00 AM

+Please stand where indicated if it is comfortable for you.
All are welcome in this place of worship.
As you are seated, please silence your cell phones.
The prelude signals the beginning of worship.

WE GATHER AROUND THE WORD

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven Robert J. Hughes

+CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy spirit!
All: Creator, Redeemer, and Sustainer, we praise you!

+PROCESSIONAL HYMN #64

“Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty” Nicaea

+OPENING PRAYER

Minister: Holy God, you have given us grace,
by the confession of the faith of your Holy Church,
to acknowledge the mystery of the eternal Trinity
and, in the power of your divine majesty, to worship
the Unity of God.
Keep us steadfast in this faith and worship,
and bring us at last to see in your eternal glory.
One God, now and forever.
All: Amen.

+GLORIA PATRI #70 Meineke
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.

+PASSING OF THE PEACE

Minister: The Peace of the Lord be with you.
All: And also with you.

+SONG OF PEACE # 334

“Sweet, Sweet Spirit” Sweet, Sweet Spirit

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE Tabitha Jordan
(Children who wish to attend Sunday School are dismissed to Classroom A)

WORSHIP IN MUSIC Be Thou My Vision Jackie Allen, Soloist
Arr. Carlton Young

JOYS AND CONCERNS

HYMN OF ADORATION #347 “Spirit Song” Spirit Song

MORNING PRAYER Reverend Matthew M. Williams

THE LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father, which 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, for ever and ever. Amen.

INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER Reverend Matthew M. Williams

WE HEAR THE WORD

EPISTLE LESSON Acts 16: 6-15 Pew Bible NT Page 127
Liturgist: The Word of the Lord
All: Thanks be to God

+HYMN OF PREPARATION #61
“Come, Thou Almighty King” vs. 1-2 Italian Hymn

+GOSPEL LESSON Luke 4: 16-21 Pew Bible NT Page 57
Minister: The Word of God for the People of God
All: Thanks be to God

+HYMN OF PREPARATION #61
“Come, Thou Almighty King” vs. 3-4 Italian Hymn

+PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SERMON “Come, Join Us” Reverend Michael P. Zdorow
Protestant Chaplain, Moscow, Russia
Global Ministries of the United Methodist Church

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD

+AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

We belong to God, eternal and infinite,
Creator of all things and all that is to come.
We follow Christ, who comes to us from God,
and reveals God to us.
He heals people and transforms lives,
and calls us to join in his ministry.
He was crucified, died, and was raised by God,
and reigns over all creation;
and he bids us to die and rise with him
in the service of the healing of the world.
We live by the Spirit,
together with the communion of saints,
as members of the body of Christ, God’s
holy universal church.
We are confident in the forgiveness of sin,
the power of the resurrection and the reality
of eternal life.
In all things it is our desire to follow Christ,
by the grace of the Holy Spirit, for God’s glory.
Amen.

Steve Garnaas-Holmes, 2008

OFFERTORY PRAYER

OFFERTORY Nun Bitten Wir Dietrich Buxtehude

+DOXOLOGY 94 Lasst Uns Erfreuen

Praise God from whom all blessings flow!
Praise God all creatures here below!
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

WE BEAR THE WORD IN THE WORLD

+RECESSIONAL HYMN #368

“My Hope Is Built” The Solid Rock

+BENEDICTION Reverend Matthew M. Williams

+POSTLUDE Paraphrase on “Diademata” James Denton

CONNECT CARD



WELCOME! We’d like to
help you get connected.
Please fill out this card & place it on the
offering plate.

Let us know how we can reach out to
you!

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

Zip _____ Phone _____

Email _____

How long have you attended LH Church?

- ☐ 1st time guest ☐ 2nd time guest
- ☐ guest from out of town
- ☐ regular attendee ☐ member

I am interested in:

- ☐ Having the Pastor Contact Me
- ☐ Youth and Families
- ☐ Small Groups
- ☐ Missions
- ☐ United Methodist Women
- ☐ Men’s Prayer Group
- ☐ Strawberry Festival Volunteer
- ☐ Stephen Ministry
- ☐ Greeting and Ushering
- ☐ Communion Stewardship
- ☐ Fellowship Hour Hospitality

PRAYER REQUESTS

In everything by prayer...

Let your requests be made known unto God.

Philippians 4:6

Please write your request here and place it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher.

Please pray for

Requested by

Date _____

Phone number () _____

Email _____

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I would like someone to contact me to pray over more confidential matters.

WELCOME!

All are welcome into the life and ministry of the United Methodist Church. We are honored that you are here. Please join us for refreshments after the service in the Fellowship Hall. We hope you will worship with us again as we continue to discover the difference God's love makes in our lives!

NURSERY

We welcome children to our worship experiences. If, during the service, you need a quiet place to take your children, please ask the ushers for directions to the Cry Room, which is access through the Fellowship Hall. The service can be seen and heard in the Cry Room, enabling a meaningful experience for guardians and children.

STEPHEN MINISTRY CLASSES

Beginning mid November, 2016 Stephen Ministry classes will be offered at Lighthouse Church. Participants will be equipped and enabled to reach out to members and the community. Stephen Ministers are taught how to respond with Christian love to people who are hurting, discouraged, stressed, confused, broken, bereaved, hospitalized or facing a life challenge. Are you a compassionate good listener? Please call the church office at 941-964-2479 if you would like to experience the rewards of becoming a Stephen Minister.

MEDICAL MISSION TRIP OPPORTUNITY

Twelve Churches is seeking medical professionals to join a team traveling to León, Nicaragua the week of October 15-22. We currently need 2-3 doctors and 3 nurses to serve in a medical clinic. Non-medical professionals are also needed to serve in the clinic, or in other areas throughout the week. The clinics are set up through our partner churches, which makes this a great opportunity to work alongside them and show their communities that their churches care about both their spiritual and physical well-being. If you are interested in being a part of this team and being a part of what God is doing in León, Nicaragua, please contact Sheila Dorst at 941-964-0934 or 614-448-8369. Visit twelvechurches.org to learn more about the ministry.

YOUTH GROUP

Meets every Friday at 5:30 PM. Contact Tabitha Jordan at tjordan@bgighthouseumc.com

EMAIL UPDATE

The office staff is in the process of transitioning from Century Link to Google. In the next few weeks you will notice that the email communications you receive from Matthew, Amanda, Betty Jean and Tabitha will incorporate some version of our name or initials, along with the name of our "domain" (and website), bgighthouse-umc.com. Once the changes have been completely implemented, we will no longer be using embarqmail.com

THANK YOU FOR YOUR INVESTMENT!

Prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness

Our gifts as of May 15, 2016

OPERATING BUDGET	<u>\$496,000.00</u>
PLEDGED TO DATE	<u>\$388,030.00</u>
PLEDGES, OFFERING, PLATE RECEIVED	<u>\$250, 090.00</u>

SPECIAL THANKS FOR SERVING IN THE LORD'S HOUSE TODAY!

Ushers: Jane & Ron Wittenberg

Liturgist: Lindy Hustedt

Hospitality Hosts: Marjorie Moore, Brenda & Tom Story

Audio Visual Technology: Liam Hugger and Grant Reecher



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Betty Jean Legg, Financial Assistant

Tiffany White, Sexton



— B O C A G R A N D E —
Lighthouse Church
A United Methodist Congregation

May 22, 2016
Trinity Sunday

RECEIVING THE LIGHT, BEING THE LIGHT, SHARING THE LIGHT



Today we welcome Rev. Mike Zdorow. Mike serves as the Protestant Chaplain in Moscow, Russia as a United Methodist missionary of the General Board of Global Ministries. As we celebrate our Trinitarian Faith in God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit today, we also celebrate that our faith sends us out into the world to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the Transformation of the World.