

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.

A staffed nursery is available for those with infants. Please ask an usher for directions.

WE GATHER AROUND THE WORD

The flowers placed throughout the chancel are in memory of all the saints who have gone on to the church triumphant.

PRELUDE (9:55)

For All the Saints

Arr. Cindy Berry

Ralph Vaughn Williams

Silence is kept during the prelude to prepare our hearts for worship

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

+CALL TO WORSHIP

O taste and see that the Lord is good; happy are those who take refuge in God. With hearts and hands and voices raised, let us praise the Lord.

Blessings and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever. Amen.

+PROCESSIONAL HYMN #711

“For All the Saints”

Sine Nomine

+CONFESSION AND PARDON

In the face of God’s goodness recognize our failings. Hungry for God’s mercy, let us tell the truth about our lives, that we might receive grace in time of need.

*Gracious God, you call us your own children and cover us with your love. We would seek to be merciful as you are, and to show compassion as you do, but we fail to live the life to which we have been called. Where we ought to forgive, we condemn; the evil we should shun, we embrace. Forgive our sinful ways, tame our wayward wills, and make us more like Christ, until we are raised in perfection on the last day. Amen.*

Sisters and brothers, no one who takes refuge in God will be condemned. Believe the good news!

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!  
*In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!*  
*Glory to God! Amen.*

+GLORY BE TO THE FATHER #70

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.

Meineke

+PASSING OF THE PEACE

The Peace of the Lord be with you.

And also with you.

+SONG OF PEACE #405

“Seek Ye First”

Seek Ye

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

Children who wish to attend Sunday School are dismissed to Classroom A

Tabitha Jordan

WE HEAR THE WORD

+PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION ( In Unison)

In your Word, O God, show us heaven. By your Spirit, show us truth. Through Christ, who is the Living Word, show us your glory. Amen.

NEW TESTAMENT LESSONS

Revelation 7: 9-17

I John 3: 1-3

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Pew Bible NT Page 235

Pew Bible NT Page 225

+GRADUAL HYMN #709

“Come, Let Us Join Our Friends Above”

vs. 1-2

Forest Green

The Gospel is processed to the center of the congregation to signify that it is central to the church, our faith, and our lives.

+GOSPEL LESSON

Matthew 5: 1-12

The Word of God for the People of God

Thanks be to God

Pew Bible NT Page 4

+GRADUAL HYMN #709

“Come, Let Us Join Our Friends Above”

vs. 3-4

Forest Green

HOMILY

Blessed...

Reverend Matthew M. Williams

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD

HYMN OF ADORATION #347 (vs. 1)

“Spirit Song”

Spirit Song

MORNING PRAYER

OFFERTORY PRAYER

OFFERTORY

I Can Only Imagine

Bart Milard

+DOXOLOGY 94

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!

Lasst Uns Erfreuen

+PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

COMMUNION MEDITATION

Keep Me True

Anonymous

THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION

The United Methodist Church is an open communion. All are invited to partake regardless of denomination or religious affiliation. At the direction of the ushers, please come forward.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING #17

Musical Setting A

THE LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom dome, 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 and ever. Amen.

GIVING OF THE BREAD AND CUP

MUSIC DURING DISTRIBUTION

We Remember You

Let Us Break Bread Together

In Remembrance

Kirk Dearman

Traditional Spiritual

Buryl Red

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

WE BEAR THE WORD IN THE WORLD

+RECESSIONAL HYMN #708

“Rejoice in God’s Saints”

Hanover

+BENEDICTION


Reverend Matthew M. Williams

+POSTLUDE

Joyfully Singing!

Rodriques, arr. Eyrich

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 UMC?

☐ 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 Fellowship Group

☐ Strawberry Festival Volunteer

☐ Stephen Ministry

☐ Greeting and Ushering

☐ Communion Stewardship

☐ Fellowship Hour Hospitality

☐ Singing in the Choir



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

PRAYER REQUESTS ARE HONORED UNTIL NOTIFICATION IS RECEIVED OTHERWISE. PLEASE KEEP US UPDATED AT 941-964-2479

☐ 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. A staffed nursery is available for those with infants. Please ask an usher for directions. 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!

NEW MEMBER CLASSES

Beginning Sunday, November 5, Reverend Williams will conduct a Sunday morning class at 9:00 AM for anyone wishing to become a full member of Lighthouse Church. Based on the book: "A Disciple's Path", these classes will be held in the Administrative Office on November 5, 12, and 19. Sign up sheets will be in Fellowship Hall and/or email [apearsall@bglighthouseumc.com](mailto:apearsall@bglighthouseumc.com)

MOM’S NIGHT OUT 2017-2018 HAS BEGUN!

Moms and Kids! Join us at 5:30 for dinner together, then break out into separate groups of kids and moms. Moms get to spend some time in bible study and fellowship while kids are entertained by Pastor Tabitha and volunteers, who tell stories about Jesus while singing songs and playing games. Contact Tabitha Jordan at [tjordan@bglighthouseumc.com](mailto:tjordan@bglighthouseumc.com)

SW DISTRICT CHARGE CONFERENCE 2017

Charge Conference this year will be held on Sunday, November 12 at Grace UMC, Venice, beginning at 3:00 pm. All are welcome to attend!

COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING SERVICE

The annual Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service is scheduled for 5:00 PM, Wednesday, November 22, at St. Andrews Episcopal Church.



UNITED METHODIST WOMEN CENTENNIAL!  
The UMW turns 100 this year! Help us celebrate this important milestone! Brochures with this year’s schedule of events are available in the Narthex, Fellowship Hall, and the Administration Office.

KIDS NEEDS SUNDAY UNDIES

November is “Sunday Undies” Month. Please bring NEW kids socks and underwear to the barrel in Fellowship Hall.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR INVESTMENT!  
Prayers, presence, gifts, service and witness  
Our gifts as of October 29, 2017

OPERATING BUDGET	<u>\$564,000.00</u>
PLEDGES, OFFERING, PLATE RECEIVED	<u>\$409,767.00</u>
MISSION GIVING	<u>\$189,961.00</u>

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

Ushers: Joan & David Senior  
Acolyte & Cross Bearer: Hannah Amen & Abigail Turner  
Communion Stewards: Ray Smedley & Marjorie Moore  
Liturgist: Richard Klepser  
Audio Visual Technology: Mike Hilton



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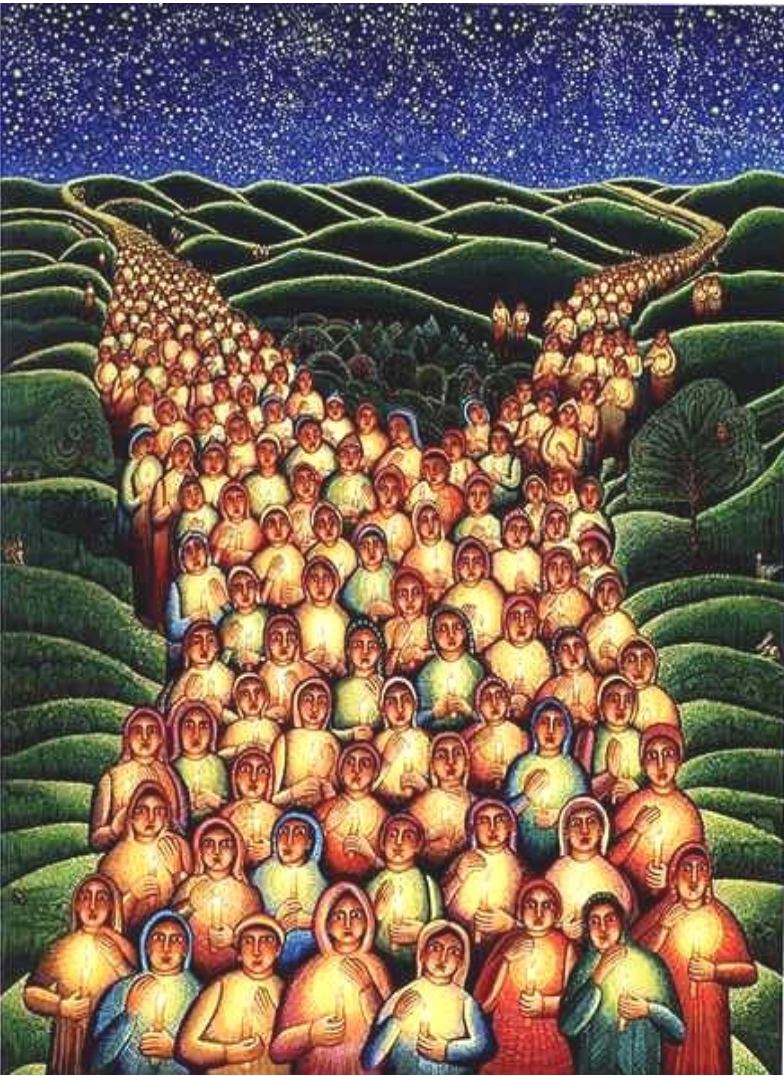


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November 5 , 2017

Twenty Second Sunday after Pentecost  
RECEIVING THE LIGHT, BEING THE LIGHT, SHARING THE LIGHT

ALL SAINTS SUNDAY



Today we celebrate All Saints day, which is a time for the Church to remember all those saints, known and unknown, who have gone before us and have faithfully walked the Christian path. The mood of this service is one of celebration and joy for all those people who have borne fruit for the kingdom by their service to Christ. We will also share in the sacrament of Holy Communion, remembering our mysterious connection with Christian saints, past and present.