

WELCOME

THANKS FOR JOINING US!

SEPTEMBER 5, 2021

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER

OPENING SONG

THE RIVER

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

KRISTIN NELSON

JOYS & CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

CENTERING SONG

O COME TO THE ALTAR

SCRIPTURE

ACTS 2:38-41

SERMON

THE SACRAMENTS

REV. MEGAN TWYMAN

HOLY COMMUNION

Leader: ... Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

People: **Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Leader: ... In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

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

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Leader: ... We praise your name and join their unending hymn:

People: **Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

Leader: ... with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

People: **Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.**

Leader: ... all honor and glory is yours, almighty Father, now and forever.

People: **Amen.**

CALL TO ACTION

CLOSING SONG

HOLY WATER

BENEDICTION

GIVING

Offering is an act of worship. Text **GIVEBUMC** to **877.570.3715** to give or visit our website!

OUR MISSION

Inspire people to **KNOW, GROW, GO** in God's love.

KNOW

Connect people to Church & God.



GROW

Develop as a disciple and leader.



GO

Engage and serve the community.



DISCOVER THE DISCIPLESHIP PATH!



HOW DO I USE THE PATH?

The cross represents Christ. Place yourself in each section to discover where you are in your relationship with Christ. Then ask yourself these questions:

KNOW

CONNECTING PEOPLE TO CHURCH AND GOD

Am I attending worship regularly? How often am I connecting with God and God's people?

GROW

DEVELOPING AS A DISCIPLE AND LEADER

Am I involved in a bible study or small group to help me develop deeper as a disciple?

GO

ENGAGING AND SERVING THE COMMUNITY

How much mission work am I doing and is it deepening my relationship with God and people in my community?

*Whether you find yourself in the lighter or darker sections of the path, see how you can grow deeper in your faith journey. We encourage you to consider joining a new small group, attending more worship services this year, or serving in one of our missions opportunities in the next few months. **Visit our website to see all the ways you can get plugged in!***