

Sunday
July 31st, 2022

Adnah United Methodist Church

Rock Hill, South Carolina

Facebook Live:

We will go live at **10:55 AM**. Worship will begin at 11:00 AM. **You do not have to be a member of Facebook to view the service.** For instructions on connecting to our Facebook page, click here:

<http://tiny.cc/gotolz>

Offerings:

Our gifts to God through Adnah are vital to the support of ministry, our facilities, and the salaries of our staff. If you attend in-person, you will find a pail placed at the entrance in which you may place your gift to God. If you attend online, you may mail a check to:

Adnah UMC 1 Adnah Dr. Rock Hill, SC 29732. You may also give online at our website

www.adnahumc.org

Service Notes:

The words in bold are read by all.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Welcome/Announcements

Prelude *How Excellent Your Name* Jacobs

Call to Worship: "Sing a New Song to the Lord" Choir

+Opening Prayer:

All: Let the Joy of the Lord shine upon us!

Leader: Let all the weight, the worry, the heaviness of life be set aside.

All: Let the joy of the Lord shine upon us!!

Leader: Let the Holy Spirit reach out and remove this from our person, our being.

All: Let the joy of the Lord shine upon us!!!

Leader: Let the Spirit of the Lord be gracious to us.

All: Let the joy of the Lord shine upon us!!!!

Leader: Let the passion for worship well us in us and burst forth in praise.

All: Let the joy of the Lord shine upon us!!!!!!

Leader: Let the words of our mouths speak the truth of our God, a testimony of our journey from brokenness to healing to wholeness.

All: Let the joy of the Lord shine upon us!!!!!!!

+Opening hymn: "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

UMH 400

+Affirmation of faith

+We believe in God the Creator, infinite in Wisdom, power and love, whose mercy is over all his works, and whose will is ever directed to his children's good.

We believe in Jesus Christ, Son of God and Son of man, the gift of the Father's unfailing grace, the ground of our hope, and the promise of our deliverance from sin and death.

We believe in the Holy Spirit as the divine presence in our lives, whereby we are kept in perpetual remembrance of the truth of Christ and find strength and help in the time of need

We believe that this faith should manifest itself in the service of love as set forth in the example of our blessed Lord, to the end that the kingdom of heaven may come upon the earth.

(Adapted from the United Methodist Book of Worship, 885)

Children's Moment

Pastor/Other

Congregational Praise & Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

+Our God who is in heaven, uphold the holiness of your name. Bring in your kingdom so that your will is done on earth as it's done in heaven. Give us the bread we need for today. Forgive us for the ways we have wronged you, just as we also forgive those who have wronged us. And don't lead us into temptation but rescue us from the evil one. All that you have created is yours according to your will, amen.

(Adapted from the Common English Bible translation, Matthew 6:9-13)

Offering/Offertory

Solo; Thank You, Lord, for Your Blessings The Easter Brothers

Marie Mitchell, Soloist

Scripture Reading: Colossians 3:1-11

NT Pg 191

Sermon: "Growth=Change: Reveling"

Pastor

+Confessional Prayer

All: Lord, we accept the need to grow, to change. We hear you calling us, and we are here to answer and follow. Let us act on and respond to this new calling, this new direction. Let us become committed to growing and be intentional about growth. Let this place be the place where we begin the movement of healing toward seeking wholeness.

(Silent reflection)

Pastor: May we not only feel your forgiveness but live into it. Thank you, Lord through Jesus who leads us, on this journey of healing and wholeness.

All: Thanks be to God, Amen.

Responsive Hymn/Song

“Jesus, Draw Me Close”

TFWS 2159(2x)

Benediction

Pastor

Let us go and travel the pilgrim’s way, the way of seeking to grow while helping others grow. May it reach beyond the walls and confines of our building and truly encompass our church, the body of disciples following the way of Jesus, Amen.

Postlude *Great Are You, Lord*

Steve Cook & Vikki Cook