

# FRIENDSHIP UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, November 25, 2018

11:00 am Worship Service



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## CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY

November 25, 2018 11:00 a.m.

*Christ The King Sunday is the last Sunday of the Christian Church Year. It is a celebration of the coming reign of Jesus Christ and the completion of creation.*

**Words of Greeting, Announcements, Joys, Concerns, and Prayer**

**Prelude** "Sabbath Song" (by Eliot)

*You are asked to fill in the requested information and then pass to the next person the attendance registration pad found in each pew for that person to fill out.*

**\*Call to Worship**

L: "I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, "who is, and who was, and who is to come, the Almighty."

**P: Blessing and honor and glory and might be unto the Lamb!**

L: Worthy is Christ who has ransomed us by his blood from every tribe and tongue and nation, and made his people a kingdom, and priests to our God.

**P: Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord God Almighty, who was and is and is to come! Amen.**

**\*Hymn of Praise:** UMH 154 "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

**\*Unison Prayer**

Almighty God, who gave your Son Jesus Christ a realm where all peoples, nations, and languages should serve him; make us loyal followers of our living Lord, that we may always hear his word, follow his teachings, and live in his Spirit; and hasten the day when every knee shall bow and every tongue confess that he is Lord; to your eternal glory. Amen.

**Moment For The Child in All of Us:** Rev. Thomas E. Young, Jr.

**Special Music: Voices In Praise** "Make a Joyful Noise" (Pote)

*\*Please rise either in posture or in spirit.*

**The Gathering of Our Tithes, Gifts, and Offerings**

The Offertory “O Come, O Come Emmanuel” (Parker/Shaw) - Voices In Praise

\*The Doxology: UMH 95 “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

*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*

\*Prayer of Dedication & Lord’s Prayer

*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*

\*Hymn of Preparation: UMH 715 “Rejoice the Lord is King”

**Scripture:** Matthew 15:1-9 (*New Testament Page 16 in your pew Bible*)

**L:** This is the Word of God for the people of God

**P: Thanks be to God. Amen.**

**Message:** “Twelve Inches From God” – Rev. Thomas E. Young, Jr.

**Prayer**

\*Closing Hymn: UMH 203 “Hail to the Lord’s Anointed”

\*The Sending Forth

\*Congregational Response: UMH 364 “Because He Lives” (Chorus Only)

\*Postlude “The Rejoicing” (by Handel)

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**OUR FAITH IN ACTION**

**Our Prayers:** Anne & Don Stewart, Pastor Wayne Chung, Eileen Klase whose mother passed away recently, The family of Jane Bowman who passed away recently, Tim Perry (father of VIP Megan Perry) diagnosed with brain cancer, Kathy Thorne, Sherry Fowler Harwood recovering from surgery, Kathy Wallace, Buddy Frost – diagnosed with dementia, Debbie Shefka & family, Tyler Madden, People in transition, Olivia Gammel – friend of Chris Heyer, Those who travel, For the healing of the nation.

*The flowers on the altar tables are given by Brian & Mary deSousa*

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**Our Service:**

Ministers	All Members and Volunteers at Friendship
Secretary	Bonnie Dean, <a href="mailto:bsuedean@friendshipmethodist.org">bsuedean@friendshipmethodist.org</a>
Music Team	Sandy Melson Griese, Chrys Hill, Micah Cooley
Children & Youth Ministry Coord.	Courtney Eversfield, <a href="mailto:cymc@friendshipmethodist.org">cymc@friendshipmethodist.org</a>
Custodian	Jim Fowler
Counters	Joyce Terry & Ed Hall
Acolytes	Miller & Georgia Lee
Friendship Time	Get Ready for Moses Zone (Robyn Miller)
Altar Guild for December	Marge Lewis (301) 855-6497
Stephen Ministry Coordinator	Paula Madden 443-262-2635 (C)
Pastor	Rev. Thomas E. Young, Jr. <a href="mailto:revtyoung@friendshipmethodist.org">revtyoung@friendshipmethodist.org</a>

**Our Presence:** Sunday School Attendance Last Sunday 65  
Worship Attendance Last Sunday 197 Average Weekly Worship Attendance 198

**Our Gifts:** Please strive to tithe! The Bible asks us to tithe 10% of our income to God. Many of our members are doing this already. How about you? You may give your offering electronically (EFT). Call the church office to set it up. **Stewardship is rather a way of life than an annual campaign. Thank You for your faithful stewardship!**

**Record of Giving (Funds Received by the Church)**

	January-October 2018			
	Actual	Budget	Variance	Var %
General Fund	\$273,871	\$294,694	(\$20,823)	-7%
Missions Fund	\$19,544	\$20,124	(\$580)	-3%
P&I Fund	\$21,388	\$13,802	\$7,586	55%
Building Fund	\$53,333	\$48,296	\$5,037	10%
Kitchen Fund	\$24,474	\$8,325	\$16,149	194%
Weekly SCAN Report	Cereal 33	Other 6	YTD Cereal	1,215

\*Kitchen Fund Balance = \$140,695/ Mortgage Loan Balance = \$284,593 as of October 31, 2018