



# First United Methodist Church

15 East 2nd Street, Greensburg PA 15601

A Service of Worship for the Lord's Day

Sunday, March 22, 2026 ♦ 10:00 am

## TO KNOW CHRIST AND MAKE HIM KNOWN

† Indicates a time to stand, if you are able.

### WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### PRELUDE

*In Thee, Lord, Have I Put My Trust* ~Johann Christoph Bach

#### †CALL to WORSHIP (Responsively)

Come, all who have known sorrow and all who carry questions.

**We come, bringing our doubts and our hope.**

Come, all who have waited and wondered where God is.

**We come, trusting God meets us even in the waiting.**

Come, all who long for new life.

**We come to the One who calls us out of darkness into life.**

Come, let us worship the God who weeps with us and restores us.

**Let us worship together.**

#### †HYMN

*Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*

**UMH 384**

#### †OPENING PRAYER (Unison)

Loving God, You are present in our joy and in our sorrow. You do not turn away from our questions or our grief, even when we are unsure You are there. In this time of worship, receive our honest hearts, and remind us that You are always at work. Break down whatever holds us back and lead us into the hope You promise. We come to You as we are, trusting in Your presence and Your power. Amen.

#### †GLORIA PATRI

**UMH 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!**

#### READING of the WORD

**Psalm 32** NRSV

The Word of God for the People of God.

**Thanks be to God!**

### Welcome to First United Methodist Church!

**Sunday morning Worship Service at 10:00 in the Sanctuary**

*(Livestream worship continues at 10:00)*

Whether it's your first visit or you've been with us for years, know that you are loved. If you don't have a church home, we invite you to consider joining our family as we learn, grow, and share Christ's love together. Please take a moment to fill out the Welcome Card in your bulletin—we'd love to connect with you.

**Let's be safe...**Please consult the three local news networks for **Greensburg FUMC**, or check our church Facebook page at **First United Methodist Church-Greensburg** to check for cancellations of any of our services due to weather.

**Weekday office hours & activity cancellations...**If Greensburg Salem school district has a 2-hour delay or cancels school because of snow or ice, the church office hours and all activities would also be delayed or cancelled.

### Regular Church Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8am-4pm

Find us on

**FACEBOOK:**

First United Methodist Church—Greensburg

**Wi-Fi Network:**

Name: Greensburg First  
Password:  
Jeremiah2911

**Church Website:**

greensburgfirst.org

### FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

15 E. 2nd Street, Greensburg PA 15601

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**MINISTRY in MUSIC**

*Hear My Words* ~Stephen Paulus

**CHANCEL CHOIR**

**CHILDREN’S MESSAGE**

**PRAYER HYMN**

*Surely the Presence of the Lord*

**UMH 328**

*(You are invited to come to the rail during this time of prayer)*

**PASTORAL, SILENT, and THE LORD’S PRAYER** (Unison)

**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!**

**MINISTRY in MUSIC**

*Etude No. 3* ~Carl Baermann

**Jim Caffrey** (clarinet)

**SHARING of HIS TITHES and OUR GIFTS**

**THE OFFERTORY**

*I Do Believe* ~Roger C. Wilson

**†THE DOXOLOGY** (Unison)

**UMH 95**

**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**

**†HYMN**

*Hymn of Promise*

**UMH 707**

**MESSAGE**

**Too Late**

**Pastor Clint Phillips**

John 11:1-45 NRSV

**†HYMN**

*How Firm a Foundation*

**UMH 529**

**†DISMISSAL with BLESSING**

**†POSTLUDE**

*I’ll Praise My Maker While I’ve Breath* ~ arr. Timothy Albrecht

**†GO FORTH TO SERVE**

**Acolyte:** Conner Grant  
**Liturgist:** Pastor Clint  
**A/V Tech:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Worship Volunteers** We invite you to take an active role in leading our worship each week. We are currently seeking liturgists who can help guide the congregation through portions of the service. All materials are prepared in advance—what we need most is a clear voice and a willing heart.

We are also looking for acolytes to help bring the light of Christ into our time of worship. This is a meaningful role for people of all ages, and training is gladly provided.

In addition, we are in need of volunteers to assist with operating the worship slides and managing the live stream. Full training and ongoing support will be offered to ensure you feel confident and equipped.

If you feel called to serve in any of these ways, please speak with Pastor Clint or contact the church office at 724-834-3111

*Please write prayer concerns on attendance cards in the bulletin, check the box(es) and place them in offering. Requests are listed in the bulletin for 3 weeks, unless renewed.*

**Prayer Requests:**

Becky B. / Isabel B. / Mary B. / Nancy B. / Bob / Ken Bossart / Carolyn / Janet & John Craig / Debbie D. / Donna / Gary E. / Emily & Christy / Nancy Gilpatrick / Dave Grandey / Rick H. / Hall family / Hirst family / Diane K. / Donna K. / Ken Keiser / Lucas / David M. / Dorothy M. / John M. / Ron M. / Thomas M. / Marody family / MaryJo / Marilyn McSparrin / Melanie P. / Roxane / Nico Salvio / Kerry Thompson / Sally Tomasevich / Steve Young / Pastor Clint Phillips & family (Karla, Sarah, Isaiah)

Those who wish to...  
but cannot  
be among us.

**Paulette Hood** Hempfield Manor (Greensburg)  
**Bill Conrad** Ridgecrest (Pittsburgh)  
**Myrna Baer** St. Anne Home (Greensburg)  
**Donna Bush** Westmoreland Manor (Greensburg)