

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Chair Yoga – Thursdays at 10 am in the Family Center

*Trustee Meeting will be held on Monday January 23. 5:30pm. Family Center.

*A special Church Conference has been called so that we can vote on moving forward with the Simplified Accountability Structure (SAS). According to the Book of Discipline, only members of TUMC are allowed to vote. The voting must be done in person and it will be by paper ballot. **The Conference will be held on January 22nd, during our Sunday Service.** District Superintendent: John Kasper will be joining us!

*The “Day’s for Girls” team meet to work on feminine hygiene kits on the last Tuesday of each month from 10 am to 3 pm. Bring a sack lunch. See Cora or a member of the DFG team on where to gather. **January 31st** is our next meeting.

WORSHIP TEAM – This Week

LITURGIST – Gary Asel

GREETER – Julie Beleck and Steve Kimball

ACOLYTE – James Clark

CHILDREN’S WORD – Judy Asel

COFFEE HOUR – Sharon Alderton

WORSHIP TEAM – Next Week

LITURGIST – Terrilynn Hiben

GREETER – Walt Babcock

ACOLYTE – James Clark

CHILDREN’S WORD – Evelyn Delaney

COFFEE HOUR – Marva Hartman

Pastor: Helen Alford

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Please remember if you want to use any of the buildings (family center, church and/or church basement) for any function (whether church related or not) you need to check with Lee to ensure the building has not already been reserved.



*God is faithful;
by him you were called into
the fellowship of his Son,*

January 15, 2023

WELCOME and OPENING PRAYER

+CALL TO WORSHIP (*based on Psalm 40*) – Gary Asel

*I waited patiently for GOD; who turned to me and heard my cry,
who lifted me out of the slimy pit, out of the mud and mire;
and set my feet on a rock and gave me a firm place to stand.*

We sing a new song!

Our mouths are full of the praise of God.

*Blessed are we when we make the Lord our trust;
when we do not turn aside to false gods.*

**We sing of all your many wonders, O God,
too many to declare them all.**

*Sacrifice and offering you did not desire, but our ears you have
pierced and a body you have prepared for us.*

**We sing, "Here I am, I have come—
I desire to do your will, O my God;
your law is in my heart."**

+UMH #593 – *Here I Am, Lord*

ANNOUNCEMENTS – The Life of the Church – *Gary*

SCRIPTURE READING – *Gary*

1 Corinthians 1:1-9, John 1:29-42

CHILDREN'S WORD – *Judy Asel*

PRAYER TIME –

CELEBRATIONS – The Life of the Congregation

INTERCESSARY AND PASTORAL PRAYER

LORDS PRAYER

OFFERTORY PRAYER

**Good and generous God, we bring our gifts to you this day
and pray you might dedicate them to your work. We confess
that we have too often missed being the church you wanted
and needed, and we have placed the blame on “not having
enough” money, members, talent, time, or power. We needed
to be reminded by the apostle Paul that we have all that we
need, whatever our circumstances. Renew us, loving God, and
give us a new day and another chance. In Christ's holy name,
we pray. Amen.**

TITHES and OFFERINGS

+DOXOLOGY – UMH #95

+UMH #98 – *To God Be the Glory*

SERMON – Pastor: Helen Alford – *Not Lacking*

+UMH #156 – *I Love to Tell the Story*

BENEDICTION

+Congregation Please Stand (as you are able)