



**Burns Memorial  
United Methodist Church  
February 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022**

The livestream and video at:  
<https://youtu.be/8W7e-11HWdg>

Welcoming the Holy Spirit *acolytes*

Processional **I Love to Tell the Story** *Barbara Shaw*

Greeting and Welcome

**\* Call To Worship**

One: God is good;

**All: All the time!**

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One: Who are you, where are you from?

**All: We come from diverse places, with varied histories, we are here as part of the Lord's family – seeking to walk as disciples of our Lord Jesus Christ.**

One: Lord, give us courage to listen and understand each other, to learn the histories of our brothers and sisters.

**All: Almighty Loving Lord, grant us strength for our journey to love one another.**

\* Hymn **Just a Closer Walk** *FWS #2158*

Scripture **Jeremiah 17:5-10** *Pew Bible O.T. #676*

One: The Word of the Lord.

**All: Thanks Be to God.**

**Prayer Time - Gathering Prayers & Concerns**

**Unison Prayer**

One: Sweet Lord, as we gather in Your name, guide us to look inwardly as we look outwardly.

**All: Lord guide us to seek to understand our Christian brothers and sisters all around the world.**

One: Lord as we lift our prayers to You we share our joys and our hurts; knowing that You are with us.

**All: We cannot give You enough thanks but only renew our commitment to be increasingly faithful. Thank You Lord.**

Silent Meditation

Pastoral Prayer

*Pastor Peter*

The Lord's Prayer (unison)

Offering

\* Scripture **Luke 6:17-26** *Pew Bible N.T. #60*

One: The Word of the Lord.

**All: Thanks Be to God.**

\* Hymn **Love Divine** *Hymnal #384*

Sermon **Choices, choices, choices** *Rev Peter Freytag*

\* Hymn **Come We That Love the Lord** *Hymnal #732*  
verses 1,2,4

\* Benediction *Pastor Peter*

Recessional **The Bond of Love** *Barbara Shaw*

*\*(Please stand if you are able)*

**This Week's Calendar:**

**Office Hours: Monday – Friday, 9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

**Wednesday, February 16<sup>th</sup> – Choir Practice, 6:00 p.m.**

**Thursday, February 17<sup>th</sup> – Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.**

**Next Sunday, January 20<sup>th</sup>**

**11:00 a.m. English & Tongan Worship Service**

**Prayer Requests:**

- Ruth Duggan in hospice and family
- Virginia Knieff's son Terry has COPD and a terrible time breathing
- Mark Dockter's sister Dana, no cancer after surgery.
- Renee Varon's friends Rita and Doug, they lost their brother-in-law, Den and his wife Judy.
- Debra Burns' co-worker Brett, stage 2 renal cancer with kids at home
- Stella Marker and her family mourning loss of son
- Ngalu slipped & fell on ice and broke left radius

Hymn Leader: *Mark Dockter*

Liturgist: *James Dixon*

Senior Pastor: *Peter Freytag*

Tongan Pastor: *Atonio Toluta'u*

Office Manager: *Paea Kelemani*

Christian Ed: *Stephanie Iverson*

Ad Council Chair: *Mike Sumrall*

Lay Delegate: *Melba Taylor*

Lay Leader: *Mark Dockter*

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# *Burns Memorial United Methodist Church*

Mission Statement: "As Burns Memorial United Methodist Church, we believe that God loves ALL PEOPLE, and as disciples of Jesus Christ, we strive to share God's love through our words and actions."



*January 16, 2022*

## *Choices, Choices, Choices*