



United Methodist Church

January 15th, 2023

The livestream and video at:
<https://youtu.be/iXp1rTLTJa0>

Processional	Swing Low, Sweet Chariot	Barbara Shaw
Welcoming the Holy Spirit		Acolytes
Greeting and Welcome		Rev. Peter Freytag

* Call To worship

One: God of the prophets, call to us today

All: Call us into Your ways of love, justice, and righteousness.

One: God of the poets, remind us again how much You love us.

All: Sing to us Your ways of love, justice, and righteousness.

One: God of the disciples, teach us how to follow You.

All: Teach us Your ways of love, justice, and righteousness.

One: God of all creation, help us to know Your ways.

All: We gather to hear Your call, to sing Your praise, to teach each other, to pray and worship as the Body of Christ.

Hymn **What does the Lord Require of you?** FWS #2174

Scripture **Isaiah 29:18-24** Pew Bible O.T. #618

Prayer Time - Prayers of the community

Unison Prayer

One: Precious Lord Jesus Christ, You have searched me and known me.

All: Almighty One, You are in front of me, and close behind me, and Your hand is upon my shoulder comforting me.

One: Jesus the Messiah knows us.

All: We are blessed by our Lord's presence always caring for us.

One: As we acknowledge that intimate care, we recognize that it is with others as well.

All: Guide us Precious Lord to seek ways to walk with those other beloved ones who are our brothers and sisters. Amen.

(Silent Prayer and Meditation)

Pastoral Prayer

Pastor Peter

The Lord's Prayer (unison)

Hymnal #270

Offering

Because He Lives

Barbara Shaw

Scripture

Matthew 11:2-6

Pew Bible NT. #10-11

* Hymn

Go Tell it on the Mountain

Video

Sermon

Peace

Pastor Peter

* Hymn

Lift Every Voice and Sing

Hymnal #519

Benediction

Go Now in Peace

Congregation

* Please stand if you are able

This Week's Calendar:

Office Hours:

Monday Jan 16 – Office Closed/Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

Tuesday to Friday: 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Wednesday: 6:00 p.m. – Ensemble Practice

Next Sunday, January 22, 2023

11:00 a.m. English Worship Service

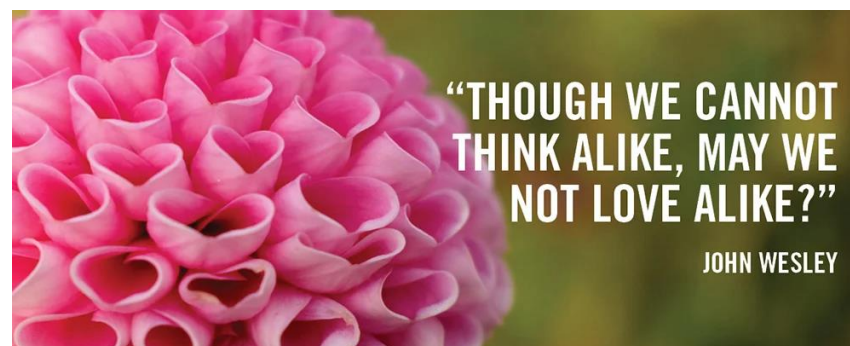
3:00 p.m. Tongan Worship Service

Prayers in our Church Family:

- Edna Leach's sister passing
- Stella Marker passing
- Virginia Knieff passing
- Ann, friend of the Schnier family had open heart surgery.
- Holly A. PET scan looks improved.
- Jim L.'s daughter-in-law seeking a kidney transplant.
- Don B. seeking a kidney transplant.
- Frank and Barbara S. as Frank's health slowly deteriorates.
- War in Ukraine
- Winter Storm recover in the Northeast
- Renee Varon's brother-in-law, who I also work for, has Vascular Parkinson's and is having memory issues
- Renee's 6 weeks post-op from ankle surgery. Healing is going well but misses meeting in person. Hopefully, returning by the 15th.
- Marianne Pierce, who has her own severe health issues and Earl's passing to deal with.

Senior Pastor: *Peter Freytag* Tongan Pastor: *Atonio Toluta'u*
Office Manager: *Paea Kelemeni* Christian Ed: *Stephanie Iverson*
Lay Leader: *Mark Dockter* Tongan Lay Leader: *Ngalu Kelemeni*
Ad Council Chair: *Mike Sumrall* Lay Delegate: *Melba Taylor*
Accompanist: *Barbara Shaw* Liturgist: *Sandy Tinney*

Human Relations Sunday



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