SERVICE OF WORSHIP

10:00 AM

+Please stand where indicated if it is comfortable for you.

All are welcome in this place of worship.

As you are seated, please silence your cell phones.

WE GATHER AROUND THE WORD

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE God of Grace and God of Glory/Lift High The Cross
Hughes/Nicholson, arr. Eyrich

+CALL TO WORSHIP

Come, take refuge in the Lord, for God is good. From the storms and struggles of life we come. Come, rejoice in the Lord, for God will provide peace for you.

From fear and anxiety, we come to find peace.
Come, open your hearts to the Lord and you will be given blessing.

Thanks be to God for the many ways in which we are blessed.

+PROCESSIONAL HYMN #110

"A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" Ein' Feste Burg

+OPENING PRAYER

Holy God, you have set your Son Jesus Christ as head of the Church and your Holy Spirit to guide her into all truth. We give you thanks for our fathers and mothers in the faith who reformed your Church in ages past, and we pray that you would so guide her so that she is being continually reformed according to your Word; We pray in the name of the Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord; Amen.

GLORIA PATRI #70

Meineke

Wolfe

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

+PASSING OF THE PEACE

The Peace of the Lord be with you.

And also with you.

+SONG OF PEACE #328

"Surely the Presence of the Lord"

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Tabitha Jordan

Children who wish to attend Sunday School are dismissed to Classroom A

MISSION TRIP REFLECTIONS

Tabitha Jordan

WE HEAR THE WORD

+PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Merciful God, teach us to be faithful in change and uncertainty, that trusting in your word and obeying your will, we may enter the unfailing joy of Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Jeremiah 31: 27-34 Pew Bible OT Page 691

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

PSALTER #780 Psalm 46 Response 2

+HYMN OF PREPARATION #695

"O Lord, May Church and Home Combine" vs. 1-2 Land of Rest

+GOSPEL LESSON John 8: 31-36

The Word of God for the People of God

I believe in God, the Father Almighty,

Thanks be to God

+HYMN OF PREPARATION #695

"O Lord, May Church and Home Combine" vs. 3-4 Land of Rest

SERMON "They Shall All Know Me" Reverend Matthew M. Willilams

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD

+AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles' Creed

Pew Bible NT Page 95

maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;
the third day he rose from the dead
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the

dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic* church,
the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

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*universal

JOYS AND CONCERNS

HYMN OF ADORATION #347 "Spirit Song" Spirit Song

MORNING PRAYER

Reverend Matthew M. Williams

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed by 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.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

OFFERTORY Amazing Grace—from Virginia Harmony, 1831

arr. Cindy Berry

+DOXOLOGY #94 Lasst Uns Erfreuen

Praise God from whom all blessings flow!
Praise God all creatures here below!
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

WE BEAR THE WORD IN THE WORLD

+RECESSIONAL HYMN #90

"Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones"

Lasst Uns Erfreuen

+BENEDICTION

We go into the world to walk in God's light,

To rejoice in God's love

And to reflect Gods' glory.

In the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Amen.

+POSTLUDE To Him Who Sits on the Throne

Debbye Graasfma

CONNECT CARD

WELCOME! We'd like to

help you get connected.

Please fill out this card & place it on the offering plate.

Let us know how we can reach out to you!

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United Methodist Women

Men's Prayer Group

Strawberry Festival Volunteer

Stephen Ministry

Greeting and Ushering

Communion Stewardship

Fellowship Hour Hospitality

PRAYER REQUESTS

In everything by prayer... Let your requests be made known unto God.

Philippians 4:6

Please write your request here and place it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher.

Please pray for	

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Requests for prayers are honored until notification is received

otherwise. Please help us keep our prayer list current.

Call 941-964-2479 with updates

Thank you!

Date	
Phone number ()
Email	

I would like someone to
contact me to pray over
more confidential
matters.

WELCOME!

All are welcome into the life and ministry of the United Methodist Church. We are honored that you are here. Please join us for refreshments after the service in the Fellowship Hall. We hope you will worship with us again as we continue to discover the difference God's love makes in our lives!

BAPTISM & MEMBERSHIP

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism is freely offered to infants and adults. If you are interested in being baptized, having your child baptized, or joining Lighthouse United Methodist Church as a professing member, please contact Amanda Pearsall at apearsall@bglighthouseumc.com.

LITURGISTS, USHERS, AND HOSPITALITY HOSTS

You are invited to serve as a liturgist, usher, communion stewards, and hospitality hosts. Sign up sheets are in Fellowship Hall along with detailed instructions on the duties. Please consider offering your gifts!

UPCOMING FESTIVAL WORSHIP SERVICES

Sunday, November 6 - All Saints Day. All are invited to bring flowers to beautify the chancel in memory of loved ones who have gone on to the Church Triumphant.

Sunday, December 11, 5:00 PM - A Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols with guest organist and soloists.

STANDARD TIME CHANGE

This year Daylight Savings Time ends at 2:00 am next Sunday (November 6) Don't forget to "fall back" and set your clocks an hour earlier so that you're on time for church!



Each month that has a fifth Sunday, the United Methodist Churches in the Florida

Annual Conference are asked to receive an offering to support the ministry of the Children's Home. When you contribute to this offering, you allow us to carry on the life changing ministry of the Children's Home. Today is a fifth Sunday! Please use the enclosed offering envelopes for your gift to Florida United Methodist Children's Home and thank you!

> THANK YOU FOR YOUR INVESTMENT! Prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness Our gifts as of October 23, 2016

OPERATING BUDGET \$496,000.00

PLEDGED TO DATE \$388.030.00

PLEDGES, OFFERING, PLATE RECEIVED \$398,769.00

SPECIAL THANKS FOR SERVING IN THE LORD'S HOUSE TODAY!

Ushers: Ray Smedley & Jim Nordlie **Liturgist:** Bo Hamrick

Hospitality Hosts: Marjorie Moore & Melinda Thies Acolyte and Cross Bearer: Abigail Turner and Hannah Amen Audio Visual Technology: Liam Hugger and Grant Reecher

Sunday School: Leslie Barrett



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October 30, 2016 **REFORMATION SUNDAY**

Twenty fourth Sunday after Pentecost RECEIVING THE LIGHT, BEING THE LIGHT, SHARING THE LIGHT



The last Sunday in October, Reformation Sunday, commemorates the sixteenth century reformers who initiated the Protestant Reformation. This is a day to celebrate the ongoing work of the Holy Spirit in the reformation of the Church, while also lamenting divisions within the body of Christ worldwide. Reformation Sunday reminds us that the work of God is never finished and that the Church should maintain a posture of humility so as to be ever open to the reforming work of God.