

# 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.

A staffed nursery is available for those with infants. Please ask an usher for directions.

## We Gather Around the Word

**PRELUDE** Meditation on "St. Columba" Gregory Hamilton  
Silence is kept during the prelude to prepare our hearts for worship

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS** Ed Paxton, Lay Leader

**CHIMING OF THE TRINITY**

**+PROCESSIONAL HYMN #73**  
"O Worship the King" Lyons

**+INVITATION, CONFESSION AND PARDON**

Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him, who earnestly repent of their sin and seek to live in peace with one another. Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

**Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

*In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!  
Glory to God. Amen.*

**+OPENING PRAYER**

Almighty and merciful God, in your goodness keep us, we pray, from all things that may hurt us, that we, being ready both in mind and body, may accomplish with free hearts those things which belong to your purpose; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. *Amen.*

**+GLORIA PATRI #70** Meineke  
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.

**+PASSING OF THE PEACE**  
The Peace of the Lord be with you.  
*And also with you.*

**+SONG OF PEACE** vs. 1 & 2 "Spirit of God" Dove Song

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE** Tabitha Jordan

**MESSAGE IN SONG** In Moments Like These David Graham  
Jackie Allen, Soloist

## We Hear the Word

**PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION** (In Unison) Liturgist and Congregation  
God of truth, as we hear your word in our midst, inspire us to keep your law of love and to walk in ways of wisdom, that we may find true life in Jesus Christ your Son. Amen.

**EPISTLE LESSON**  
II Corinthians 4: 5-12 Pew Bible NT Page 170  
The Word of the Lord.  
*Thanks be to God*

**+HYMN OF PREPARATION #451**  
"Be Thou My Vision" Slane

**SERMON** "What Love Does" The Rev. Dr. David Moenning  
Sermon Texts: Luke 2: 8-12, 1 John 4: 9-10; Luke 13: 10-13

## We Respond to the Word

**+AFFIRMATION OF FAITH #881** The Apostles' Creed  
I believe in God the Father Almighty, 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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**HYMN OF ADORATION #347** (vs. 1)  
"Spirit Song" Spirit Song

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE** Tabitha Jordan

**OFFERTORY PRAYER** Tabitha Jordan

**OFFERTORY** Theme from "Jupiter" Gustav Holst

**+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** Tabitha Jordan

**COMMUNION MEDITATION**  
Come, Share the Lord Bryan Jeffery Leech

## THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION

The United Methodist Church is an open communion. All are invited to partake regardless of denomination or religious affiliation. At the direction of the ushers, please come forward, take a wafer, dip it into the cup, and partake.

**THE GREAT THANKSGIVING #17** Musical Setting A

**THE LORD'S PRAYER #895**

**GIVING OF THE BREAD AND CUP**

**MUSIC DURING DISTRIBUTION**  
Reflection on "Rhosymedre" Fred B. Binckes  
Meditation on "Rockingham" Lani Smith

**POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

## We Bear the Word in the World

**+RECESSIONAL HYMN #430**  
"O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee" Maryton

**+BENEDICTION** The Rev. Dr. David Moenning

**+POSTLUDE** Postlude on "Aurelia" Lani Smith



## 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!

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you attended LH UMC?

- 1st time guest  
 2nd time guest  
 guest from out of town  
 regular attendee  member

I am interested in:

- Having the Pastor Contact Me  
 Youth and Families  
 Small Groups  
 Missions  
 United Methodist Women  
 Men's Fellowship Group  
 Strawberry Festival Volunteer  
 Stephen Ministry  
 Greeting and Ushering  
 Communion Stewardship  
 Fellowship Hour Hospitality  
 Singing in the Choir

## 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

Requested by

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Please remember that prayer requests are honored until notification is received otherwise. Please keep us updated so that the prayer lists are current. Call 941-964-2479 or email [apearsall@bglighthouseumc.com](mailto:apearsall@bglighthouseumc.com)

Thank you!

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. A staffed nursery is available for those with infants. Please ask an usher for directions. 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!



### JUNE IS SUNDAY UNDIES MONTH FOR KIDS' NEEDS!

The month of June has been designated as "Sunday Undies" Month by Kids' Needs.

Please bring NEW, PACKAGED boys and girls underwear and socks to the donation barrel that is located in Fellowship Hall and contact Becca de Rosa with questions and for more information. Thank you!

### STAY CONNECTED AND STAY COMMITTED!

Please remember that during the off season we still need ushers, liturgists, hospitality hosts, and communion stewards for every Sunday service. Sign up sheets are posted in the Fellowship Hall. And, don't forget to visit the Lighthouse Church website at [www.bglighthouseumc.com](http://www.bglighthouseumc.com) to keep up with what is happening here during the summer. To view each week's sermon in "real time" (live) go to our Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/bglighthouseumc](http://www.facebook.com/bglighthouseumc)

### WELCOME REVEREND DOCTOR DAVID MOENNING!

David Moenning has served as an Ordained Elder in the Florida United Methodist Church for 28 years. Pastor Dave actively cares for folks needing encouragement and support when going through transitions and challenges due to health and aging, as well as relational difficulties. He trains Stephen Ministers to serve as supporters and encouragers for those in times of need.

In addition to his part-time work as Connections Pastor with PVUMC, he also works full-time as a licensed marriage and family therapist with Restoration Counseling in Jacksonville, a private practice he established in 2013.

Dave is blessed to be married to Debbie and together they have two sons (Andrew and Taylor), and two daughters-in-law (Christin and Rachel). David and Debbie live in the Mandarin area of Jacksonville.

#### THANK YOU FOR YOUR INVESTMENT!

Prayers, presence, gifts, service and witness

Our gifts as of May 27, 2018

2018 OPERATING BUDGET	\$564,000.00
PLEDGES, OFFERING, PLATE RECEIVED	\$360,077.00
MISSION GIVING	\$48,747.00
UMW MISSIONS	\$59,840.00
CAPITAL CAMPAIGN	\$1,595,857.00

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

Cross Bearer Abigail Turner

Communion Stewards: Pat & Ross Witschonke

Liturgist: Ross Witschonke

Hospitality Hosts: Kathleen & J.T. Turner

Audio Visual Technology: Mike Hilton



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Abigail Turner, Nursery Attendant



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June 3, 2018

Second Sunday after Pentecost

RECEIVING THE LIGHT, BEING THE LIGHT, SHARING THE LIGHT

COMMUNION SUNDAY



The church is a place of invisible hope. In Paul's second letter to the church in Corinth, he speaks to the ways God transforms and renews suffering and affliction. He encourages the church not to lose heart because it is renewed day by day, and its people are being prepared for eternal friendship with God. Various texts in Luke and also the epistle of I John speak to God's love and what it does for those who follow Jesus.