Prelude

Phil Haga, organist

I Waited for the Lord......by Felix Mendelssohn

**Words of Greeting** 

**Call to Worship** 

God of abundance, you provide every good thing!

In gratitude we thank you.

Loving Christ, you bear our forgiveness to us with wounded hands and a generous heart.

In gratitude we praise you.

Holy Spirit, you fill us with your love and courage, your deep desire for justice and mercy.

In gratitude we serve you.

Holy One, with gratitude, with our whole lives, we worship you.

Alleluia!

Hymn of Praise

Phil Haga

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

**UMH 103** 

At this time, we invite you to bring forward your weekly offering to the plate and your missions giving to the basket.

Doxology UMH 95

First Scripture Reading

1 Timothy 6:6-19

**Prayer Concerns** 

Rev. Casey Irwin

Silent Prayer

We invite you to name aloud anyone you are praying for. Prayer request cards can be brought to the altar rail or left at the exit near the bulletins.

Pastoral prayer

The Lord's Prayer

**UMH 895** 

**Responsive Song** 

Oh Lord, hear my prayer

**Second Scripture Reading** 

Common English Bible

Luke 6:27-38

**Special Music** 

Chancel Choir

My Jesus, I Love Thee.....by A J Gordon

Sermon Rev. Casey Irwin

Cultivating Contentment

Hymn of Benediction

Phil Haga

God of Grace and God of Glory UMH 577

**Benediction** Rev. Casey Irwin

Postlude Phil Haga, organist

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee.....by Ludwig van Beethoven

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## **Announcements**

All Saints Sunday is November 5. We want to celebrate any church members or immediate family that have passed away in the last year. Please submit names by Monday, October 30.

**Help for Haiti Fundraiser** will be Saturday November 11. We are seeking donations of Art, Crafts, Holiday items, and Baked goods to sell. All 5 parish churches are invited to donate, volunteer and participate. Sign up sheets to come soon!

Parish **Trunk or Treat** is at Addilynn UMC Saturday, October 28 from 4-6 pm. Set up a trunk, come help with food, or donate candy and water.

<b>Church Office Hours:</b>		Tuesdays and	l Fridays 1-3 PM
Weekly ScheduleSundays9:30 a.m.10:30 a.m.10:45 a.m.7:00 p.m.6:00 p.m.		Chancel Choir I AA Meeting	nd Fellowship Worship (Chapel)
Tuesdays	10:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	First UMC Bible Study AA Meeting	
Wednesdays	6:30 p.m.	Virginia Avenue UMC Bible Study	
Thursdays	7:00 p.m.	AA Meeting	
1st & 3rd Saturday	4:00 p.m.	Man-Hu Ministries Shabbat Worship (Fellowship Hall)	
Upcoming Dates Sunday, October 23		4:00 p.m.	Trustees Meeting
Saturday, October 28		4-6 p.m.	Trunk or Treat at Addilyn UMC
Sunday, October 29		9:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	Guest Preacher- Rev. Ray Amos Charge Conference at State Street UMC
Wednesday, November 1		2:00 p.m.	Food Pantry at Virginia Avenue
Sunday, November 5		1:00 p.m.	Church Council Meeting
Saturday, November 11		10 a.m 4 p.m.	Art Bazaar Fundraiser for Help for Haiti
Sunday, November 19		5:00 p.m.	Thanksgiving Worship and Meal at Addilynn UMC
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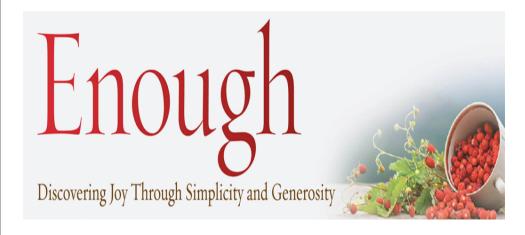
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First United Methodist Church, Bristol

9:30 AM Worship

October 22, 2023

Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome to worship, both in-person and online! All are invited to this time of worshiping God as a community of faith.

Children and Youth Worship Boxes are available in the West lobby.