

**Prelude** Phil Haga, organist  
*O Crucified Redeemer.....by David Evans*

**Words of Greeting**

**Call to Worship**

God beyond all seeing and knowing,  
**we meet you in the night of change and crisis.**

We wrestle with you in the darkness of doubt.

**Show us how to respond to your call  
and share in your promises**

Guide us to bring your will and ways to all people

**Give us the will and spirit to live faithfully  
and love as we are loved. Amen**

**Hymn of Praise** Phil Haga  
*Blessed Assurance* **UMH 369**

*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** *Psalms 103:1-5*

**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** *Into My Heart*

**Second Scripture Reading** *Philippians 1:1-8*

**Sermon** Rev. Casey Irwin  
*Blessings Abound*

**Hymn of Benediction** Phil Haga  
*Rejoice, the Lord Is King* **UMH 715**

**Benediction**

**Postlude** Phil Haga, organist  
*Come, Thou Almighty King.....by Felice de Giardini*



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**Announcements**

Thank you to everyone who participated in the Help for Haiti Bazaar this weekend. We have already raised close to \$2000 and have additional baked goods for sale in the Fellowship Hall following worship.

If you would like to support Help for Haiti Children's Home, designate your check to First UMC or give online and choose the Haiti fund option.

Our Holston Conference Bishop will be visiting our district on November 29 at 6:30 PM at State Street UMC. She will share hopes for the coming year, and answer questions from our community.

Bible Study will not meet the week of Thanksgiving at any locations.

Thanksgiving Service at Addilynn on November 19 has been cancelled.

**Church Office Hours:** Tuesdays and Fridays 1-3 PM

**Weekly Schedule**

Sundays	9:30 a.m.	First UMC Worship
	10:30 a.m.	Common Ground Fellowship Worship (Chapel)
	10:45 a.m.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
	7:00 p.m.	AA Meeting
	6:00 p.m.	Addilyn Memorial UMC Bible Study
Tuesdays	10:00 a.m.	First UMC Bible Study
	7:00 p.m.	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

**Upcoming Dates**

Wednesday, November 15	2:00 p.m.	Food Pantry at Virginia Avenue
Sunday, November 19	3:00 p.m.	Trustees Meeting
Wednesday, November 29	12:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	Noon Worship at Aldersgate Bishop's Day on the District At State Street UMC
Wednesday, December 6	12:00 p.m.	Noon Worship at Three Springs
Wednesday, December 13	12:00 p.m.	Noon Worship at Trinity
Wednesday, December 20	12:00 p.m.	Noon Worship at Reynolds

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**First United Methodist Church, Bristol**

**9:30 AM Worship**

**November 12, 2023**

**Twenty-Fourth 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.

*Flowers given to the glory of God by Victoria Hanson*

*Love is all in all or Love is nothing*