

Sunday Worship Service at 10:15 AM on June 30, 2024

Mission Statement of New London United Methodist Church:

Build a connected church community through partnership and neighborhood outreach.
Promote spiritual growth and discipleship through mutually encouraging gifts and faith.

Vision Statement of New London United Methodist Church:

Build Connections. Build Partnerships. Build Spiritual Growth.

Welcome

Greeting God is good **all the time**. All the time **God is good**.

Question of the Day Who is leading worship next Sunday?

a) Pastor Joyce b) Pastor Debi c) Pastor Tony d) DS Rev. Park Hunter

***Hymn** “Come Now Is the Time to Worship”

***Call to Worship**

Arise, people of faith, that Christ may give us life!

We reach out for health and wholeness.

We embrace one another with concern and care.

The word of life is ours to receive.

The good news is available to be shared.

We will sing praise to God’s holy name.

We will tell of God’s faithfulness day by day.

***Prayer of Invocation**

We gather to thank you, gracious God, for those times when we have been lifted up by you and known your healing touch. You have clothed us with joy and filled us with hope. We are grateful that even in our days of deepest gloom and despair, you have surrounded us with a love stronger than all our pain and doubts and grievous losses. Come to us now through your Holy Spirit. We await your word. Amen.

Psalm 130 #848 UMH (*Reading responsively, no sung response.*)

Mark 5:21-43 New Revised Standard Version

When Jesus had crossed again in the boat to the other side, a great crowd gathered around him; and he was by the sea. Then one of the leaders of the synagogue named Jairus came and, when he saw him, fell at his feet and begged him repeatedly, “My little daughter is at the point of death. Come and lay your hands on her, so that she may be made well, and live.” So he went with him.

And a large crowd followed him and pressed in on him. Now there was a woman who had been suffering from hemorrhages for twelve years. She had endured much under many physicians, and had spent all that she had; and she was no better, but rather grew worse. She had heard about Jesus, and came up behind him in the crowd and touched his cloak, for she said, “If I but touch his clothes, I will be made well.” Immediately her hemorrhage stopped; and she felt in her body that she was healed of her disease. Immediately aware that power had gone forth from him, Jesus turned about in the crowd and said, “Who touched my clothes?” And his disciples said to him, “You see the crowd pressing in on you; how can you say, ‘Who touched me?’” He looked all around to see who had done it. But the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came in fear and trembling, fell down before him, and told him the whole truth. He said to her, “Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace, and be healed of your disease.”

While he was still speaking, some people came from the leader's house to say, "Your daughter is dead. Why trouble the teacher any further?" But overhearing what they said, Jesus said to the leader of the synagogue, "Do not fear, only believe." He allowed no one to follow him except Peter, James, and John, the brother of James. When they came to the house of the leader of the synagogue, he saw a commotion, people weeping and wailing loudly. When he had entered, he said to them, "Why do you make a commotion and weep? The child is not dead but sleeping." And they laughed at him. Then he put them all outside, and took the child's father and mother and those who were with him, and went in where the child was. He took her by the hand and said to her, "Talitha cum," which means, "Little girl, get up!" And immediately the girl got up and began to walk about (she was twelve years of age). At this they were overcome with amazement. He strictly ordered them that no one should know this, and told them to give her something to eat.

Response: *The Word of God, for the people of God! Thanks be to God!*

***Hymn** "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"

Time of Prayer

How Is It With Your Soul? Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be 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.

Answer to the Question of the Day Who is leading worship next Sunday?

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Time of Offering *Thank you to everyone for your faithful generosity.*

Offering Prayer

Eternal God, we offer ourselves and our gifts, that they may be used to extend your grace to others for your glory, through Jesus our Lord. Amen.

Hymn "My Gratitude"

Sermon "Reconciliation and Healing" Rev. Pat Knutson

***Benediction**

Go in peace, trusting that God our Guardian will protect us,
Christ the Healer will restore us, and that the
Holy Spirit will sustain us this day and forevermore.
Amen. **And Amen.**

***Hymn** "Cornerstone"

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