

St. Helens First United Methodist Church

560 Columbia Blvd., St. Helens, OR 97051

November 22, 2020

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER (Unison)

Glorious God, shine upon us with your Spirit of wisdom and truth. Enlighten our hearts. Help us to know the hope to which we are called. Reveal your ways that we might share hope and joy in all that we do, and all that we say. In the light of Christ's love, we pray. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING: Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24

READER: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

HYMN/ANTHEM: O Worship the King See Below

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Unison)

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.

SCRIPTURE READING: Matthew 25:31-46

READER: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE: Serving an Unexpected King

HYMN/ANTHEM: The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve See Below

CLOSING PRAYER (Unison)

Eternal God, your church awaits the day when the Son of Man will come in glory and sit on the throne. Until that day, when we will be received as your blessed people, keep us safe in your care. Make us merciful, serving your Son now as he comes to us in those in need. We ask this in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 22-28

Due to the coronavirus outbreak, there are no worship services or small group meetings currently being held at the church. Instead, we are worshipping online on the church website (www.sthelensfirstumc.org) and engaging in fellowship and Bible study over Zoom. Bible study is at 10:30 am on Sunday and fellowship follows at 12 noon. Login information is available on the main page of our church website.

If you have any questions about the reopening of the church, Charge Conference, or would like to know more about our ministry during this time, call Pastor Jared at (206) 930-9051 or email him at pastorjaredmaddox@gmail.com. You can also call the church office at (503) 397-0061 or email it at office@shfumc.comcastbiz.net.

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