

Lord, We Lift Our PRAYERS To You!

For our members & friends...

God has called us to support each other in prayer and so each week we list members and friends from our fellowship so we can all pray for them.



Joe Benzschawel
Jesse Kohl

Elaine Grady
Dolores Parsons

Agustin Sosa

Prayer Concerns & Celebrations...

Concerns & celebrations that have been shared with us:

Prayer Concerns & Celebrations:

For peace in our country

Cheryl- Fast recovery from broken leg and multiple surgeries

Nicaraguan refugees in our community and church

Presley Hotchkiss-Birthday on the 7th

Sharon- Awaiting lung transplant

Shannon-Battling Cancer

Eduardo-Battling Cancer

Kim- Battling Cancer

Please write your prayer concerns on the back of the Communication Card that you will find in the bulletin. Place the Card in the offering plate. We will begin praying for your concern on Monday.

10:00 am Worship Today

+ Preaching: Pastor Maribel Celiz


+ Organist: Brenda Nitardy

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RETIREMENT *Celebration*

Eileen Slak

Served 1996-2022

First United Methodist Church



10:00 am Worship Service

July 10, 2022

26 Years of Faithful Dedication

Welcome

First Song: You Raise Me Up

**When I am down, and oh, my soul so weary,
when trouble comes and my heart burden be,
then I am still and wait here in the silence,
until you come and sit a while with me.**

**You raise me up, so I can stand on mountains,
You raise me up, to walk on stormy seas.
I am strong, when I am on your shoulders.
You raise me up, to more than I can be.
(Repeat 3x)**

Opening Prayer

Merciful God of all creation, we pray to you because you are the author of everlasting life. To you, O God, we owe a great debt of gratitude for all that we are and have been and hope to become. In this hour of worship and celebration, we pray that your Spirit of love can continue to embrace us as we worship you with joy and thankful hearts. It is in Jesus Christ's name we pray. Amen

Passing the Peace of Christ

Love of God and neighbor is the path to eternal life. Rejoice in the love that flows within, when we abide in Christ's peace, share this peace with your neighbor.

Praise Song: How Great Is Our God (bilingual)

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| The splendor of a king | <i>El splendor de un rey</i> |
| Clothed in majesty | <i>vestido en majestad</i> |
| Let all the Earth Rejoice | <i>la Tierra alegre esta</i> |
| Let all the Earth Rejoice | <i>la Tierra alegre esta</i> |

Lord of the Dance (cont.)

**(CHORUS) Dance, then where you may be,
I am the Lord of the dance, said He
And I'll lead you all where ever you may be
And I'll lead you all in the dance, said He**

**I danced for the scribe and the Pharisee,
But the would not dance and they would not follow me.
I danced for the fishermen, James and John
They came to me and the dance went on.**

CHORUS

**I danced on the Sabbath when I cured the lame,
The holy people said it was a shame,
They whipped and they stripped and they hung me high, And
they left me there on a cross to die.**

CHORUS

**I danced on a Friday and the sky turned black
It's hard to dance with the devil on your back,
They buried my body and they thought I'd gone,
But I am the dance and I still go on.**

CHORUS

**They cut me down and I leapt high,
I am the life that'll never, never die,
I'll live in you if you'll live in me,
I am the Lord of Dance, said He.**

CHORUS

Benediction

Let us continue to share the hope and peace of Christ as we fellowship and celebrate Eileen's many years of service with us. Enjoy and celebrate!

Scripture Reading.....Ecclesiastes 3:1-"9"

For everything there is a season, and a time for every matter under heaven:

- A time to be born, and a time to die;**
- A time to plant, and a time to pluck what is planted;**
- A time to kill, and a time to heal;**
- A time to break down, and a time to build up;**
- A time to weep, and a time to laugh;**
- A time to mourn, and a time to dance;**
- A time to throw away stones, and a time to gather stones;**
- A time to embrace, and a time to refrain from embracing;**
- A time to seek, and a time to lose;**
- A time to keep, and a time to throw away;**
- A time to tear, and a time to sew;**
- A time to keep silence, and a time to speak;**
- A time to love, and a time to hate;**
- A time for war, and a time for peace.**

"A time to work, and a time to retire"

Added by Pastor Maribel Celiz, not in Bible

MessageA Time to Retire.....

Praise Song: No Puedo Dejar

**Cantare de tu nombre oh Señor
de tus maravillas contare
y solo en ti me alegrare
en tu presencia danzare
Y con regocijo entrare
ante tus puertas oh señor**

*I will sing of Your name Lord
I will tell of Your wonders
And only in You I will rejoice
In Your presence I will dance
And with joy I will enter
Before Your doors, oh Lord*

**Con alegría y con gozo en mi corazón
alabare y declare al mundo que**

*With happiness and joy in my heart
I will praise and declare to the world that*

Praise Song: No Puedo Dejar (cont.)

**No puedo dejar de cantar
No puedo dejar de brincar
No puedo dejar de alabar
Y bendecir tu nombre**

*I cannot stop singing
I cannot stop jumping
I cannot stop praising and
Blessing Your name*

(Repite del principio)

(Repeat from beginning)

**Con alegría y con gozo en mi corazón
alabare y declare al mundo que...**

With happiness and joy in my heart

I will praise and declare to the world that

**No puedo dejar de cantar
No puedo dejar de brincar
No puedo dejar de alabar
Y bendecir tu nombre (Repite 3x)**

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Open Mic Time.....

Any who wishes to share a story of Eileen, send well wishes, or give a gift is invited to do so now.

....Church Staff-Parish Relations Committee Gift Presentation.....

Praise Song: Blessed Be Your Name

**Blessed be Your name, in the land that is plentiful
Where your steams of abundance flow, Blessed be Your name
Blessed be Your Name when I'm found in the desert place,
Though I walk through the wilderness, Blessed be Your name**

**Every blessing you pour out, I'll turn back to praise
When the darkness closes in Lord, still I will say
Blessed be the name of the Lord, Blessed be Your name
Blessed be the name of the Lord, Blessed be Your glorious
name**

Blessed Be Your Name (cont.)

**Blessed be Your name, when the sun's shining down on me
When the world's all as it should be, Blessed be Your name
Blessed be Your name, on the road marked with suffering
Though there's pain in the offering, Blessed be Your name**

**Every blessing you pour out, I'll turn back to praise
When the darkness closes in Lord, still I will say**

**Blessed be the name of the Lord, Blessed be Your name
Blessed be the name of the Lord,
Blessed be Your glorious name
(Repeat)**

**You give and take away, You give and take away
My heart will choose to say, Lord Blessed be Your name**

**Blessed be the name of the Lord, Blessed be Your name
Blessed be the name of the Lord,
Blessed be Your glorious name
(Repeat 2x)**

Offering

Offering Prayer.....

**Bountiful God, your love bears the fruit of hope and grace,
your ways lead to fullness of life. May today's offering
bear fruit in our world, that your love may cause old ha-
treds to cease, old wounds to heal, and old divisions to
mend. Amen**

Closing Hymn: Lord of the Dance

**I danced in the morning when the world was begun
And I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun,
And I came down from heaven and I danced on the earth
At Bethlehem I had my birth.**

Praise Song: How Great Is Our God (bilingual) cont.

He wraps Himself in light *cubierto esta de luz*
And darkness tries to hide *vencio la oscuridad*
Trembles at His voice *y tiembla a su voz*
Trembles at His voice *tiembla a su voz*

CHORUS:

**How Great is our God
Sing with me
How Great is our God
And all will see
How great, how great
Is our God**

CORO:
*Cuan Grande es Dios
Cantale
Cuan grande es Dios
Y todos lo veran
Cuan grande, cuan grande
es Dios*

**Age to age He stands
And time is in His hands
Beginning and the end
Beginning and the end**

*Día a día El esta
y el tiempo esta en El
Principio y el fin
Principio y el fin*

**The Godhead, Three in One
Father, Spirit, Son
The Lion and the Lamb
The Lion and the Lamb**

*La Trinidad en Dios
El Padre, Hijo, Espiritu
Cordero y el León
Cordero y el León*

CHORUS

CORO

**Name above all name
Worthy of our praise
My heart will sing
How Great it our God
(Repeat)**

*Y tu nombre sobre todo es
Tu eres digno de alabar
y mi ser dira
Cuan grande es Dios
(Repite)*

CHORUS x3

CORO x3