



**Burns Memorial**  
**United Methodist Church**  
 June 18<sup>th</sup>, 2023

*Link for live worship:*

<https://youtube.com/live/O7bc7yYEvXU?feature=share>

Processional	<b>Prelude in F Major</b>	<i>Joanna Nguyen</i>
	<i>J.S. Bach</i>	
Welcoming the Holy Spirit		<i>Acolytes</i>
Greeting and Welcome		<i>Mark Dockter</i>

**\* Call To worship**

One: Welcome, you who are called as disciples of Christ! Is anything too wonderful for our God?

**All: Nothing is too wonderful for God who saves us and calls us!**

One: We remember the goodness of God who promised Abraham a multitude of descendants and then showed up at Abraham's door to announce that the promise would be fulfilled.

**All: Nothing is too wonderful for God who promises and fulfills promises!**

One: We remember the compassion of Jesus who noticed the distress of His neighbors and acted to bring them healing and wholeness.

**All: Nothing is too wonderful for God who heals and restores the distressed!**

One: We remember the invitation the Spirit extends to us to join in God's work of compassionate community building.

**All: Nothing is too wonderful for God who empowers us to transform strangers into community through active love.**

One: As we worship, may we receive the promise, the compassion, and the invitation to be disciples of Christ who join in God's work of making disciples for the transformation of our households, our community, and our world.

**All: Because nothing is too wonderful for our God! Amen.**

\* Hymn **O Lord, May Church and Home Combine** *Hymnal #695*

Scripture **Romans 5:1-8** *Pew Bible N.T. #145*

**Prayer Time** - Prayers of the community

**Unison Prayer**

One: Our Lord and our God, in the name of Jesus, we come, today, confessing our sin before you.

**All: You see sin for what it is. Forgive us this day we pray.**

One: Like Sarah, God, we've laughed at you, thinking that your miracles have little chance of lifting our hopes.

**All: You see sin for what it is. Forgive us this day we pray.**

One: Like Sarah, God, we've lied to you, O God. Lied to you, lied to our loved ones, lied to co-workers, church members, and strangers. Yes, we've denied the truth, even while we are standing face to face with your truth.

**All: You see sin for what it is. Forgive us this day we pray.**

One: Help us to know day after day that nothing is too hard for you, Lord. Fixing our broken relationships is not too hard. Finding a good paying job is not too hard. Filling an empty heart is not too hard, God. All things are possible for You. And, we thank you that at this appointed time you forgive us. It is what it is, but it doesn't have to stay that way.

**All: Thank you for making a way out of no way. In Jesus' name, we pray, Amen.**

Silent Prayer and Meditation

Pastoral Prayer *Mark Dockter*

The Lord's Prayer (unison) *Hymnal #270*

Offertory	<b>Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring</b>	<i>Joanna Nguyen</i>
	<i>J.S. Bach</i>	

\* Scripture **Matthew 9:35-10:8 (9-23)** *Pew Bible N.T. #9*

Sermon **Spiritual Fathers** *Mark Dockter*

\* Hymn **Faith of Our Fathers** *Hymnal #710*

Benediction **Go Now in Peace** *Congregation*

Postlude	<b>Prelude in Classic Style</b>	<i>Joanna Nguyen</i>
	<i>Gordan Young</i>	

*\* Please stand if you are able*

## This Week's Calendar:

### Office Hours:

Monday, Thursday: 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday- Office is Closed

Wednesday: 6:00 p.m. – Ensemble Practice

Next Sunday, June 25, 2023

11:00 a.m.: English Service

### Prayers in our Church Family:

- Ron Mackes and his family mourning the death of his sister Fran.
- Don B. seeking a kidney transplant.
- Prayers for our brothers and sisters in Ukraine and in Russia
- Dawn's mother in Hospice

### Vacation Bible School 2023 "STELLAR-Shine Jesus' Light":

Launch kids on a cosmic quest where they'll have a blast shining Jesus' light to the world. Stellar rockets kids on an out-of-this-world adventure that's light years of faith-building fun.

<https://vbspro.events/p/events/burns23>

When: June 19, 2023 — June 23, 2023

Time: 9:00am — 12:00pm (MDT)

# Burns Memorial UMC

## *Spiritual Fathers*



**June 18, 2023**

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