

Hope United Methodist Church

Sunday Service

"What God Looks Like"

Rev. Dr. Marti Lundy

Psalm 100

Ephesians 3:20-21

Today's Music

Opening Hymn: All Praise to Our Redeeming Lord (UMH 554)

Prayer Hymn: Sanctuary (TFWS 2164)

Closing Hymn: Rejoice The Lord Is King (UMH 715)

Choir Anthem: Sing a New Song / Walk by Faith

Handbell Anthem: Sanctuary

Special Anthem: It Is Well (Andre Owens, Soloist)

Pray Concerns:

Claude, Shirley, Rosalie, Angela, Jim, Logan, Phyllis, Breanna, Dean, Mary, Amanda, Larry, Nancy, Jerry, Sheryl, James, Tim, Heidi, Pam, Lexi, Deanne, Dave, David, Elaine, Lisa, Mary Jo, Jacob, Liliana, Tom, Don, Yvonne, Mikey, Daniel, Ramah, Francis, Jenny, Faith, Jacob, Betty, Andrea, Kristen, Beth

Our homebound: Wayne, Adele, Mary, Sandy, Fran, Irene, Nina, Shirlee, Betty, Diane

Monday, Oct. 27

Dart Ball @ 11:30 am., Hope UMC, Basement

Tuesday, Oct. 28

Sonrise Seniors @ 10:30 a.m., Library

Trick-or-Treating Event @ 5:30 PM, CC

Wednesday, Oct. 22

Quilters @ 10:00 a.m., Narthex

Bible Study @ 10:30 a.m., Library

Brianna's Hope @ 6:00 pm., Narthex/Library

Praise Bells @ 7:00 pm., Sanctuary

Thursday, Oct. 23

Knit & Crochet @ 12:30 p.m., Library

Women's AA @ 1:00 p.m., Basement

Sunday, Oct. 26

All Saints Sunday

Serving Today

Greeters: Jackie Lewis

Ushers: Irma Mora, Fran Vukovich

Acolyte: Bellamy Avina

Children's Message: Cyndi Slaboski

Liturgist: Carrie Ward

Fellowship: Congregational Care

Serving Next Sunday

Greeters: Lynn and Bob Underwood

Ushers: Richard Miller, Pete Ward

Acolyte: Ameya Serna

Children's Message: Pastor Jim

Liturgist:

Fellowship: Judy Anderson, Pam Wendell

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND COMMUNITY NEWS

October Second Mile Giving for FUMC & WUMC: Indiana coalition to end sexual assault and human Trafficking.

All Saints Sunday – November 2 - Join us as we honor the saints who have gone before us. To include a loved one who passed this year, please email the church office with their name, date of passing, and a photo by October 27. You may also add names to our Bell Banner in the narthex— write the name in the book and affix a bell in their memory.

Trick or Treating Event – On Tuesday, October 28, Hope UMC combined with Messy Church and Community Preschool and Childcare will be having a Trick-or-Treating event for the community from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., in the community center. To help support this wonderful event, we are asking for Halloween candy donations. Deadline for Candy Donations is Sunday, October 26.

Veterans Day Remembrance – Hope UMC would like to honor those of our members and friends who have served

WELCOME REV. DR. MARTI G. LUNDY

We are pleased to welcome our Northern Lakes District Superintendent, Rev. Dr. Marti Lundy, to worship today. Guided by her mission to be a “God-Connecting Dream Releaser,” Marti is passionate about cultivating joy and missional vitality throughout the district. She regularly visits and supports the 125 churches, pastors, and lay leaders under her care, helping them live out their callings with purpose and faith. Marti also serves as Dean of the Cabinet for the Indiana Conference. Before her current appointment, she served congregations in Huntington and Fort Wayne, Indiana, as well as Bolingbrook, Illinois. A native of Columbia City, IN, Marti is married to Rev. Dr. Kent Lundy, an Elder in the Indiana Conference and Wing Chaplain for the 181st Intelligence Wing of the Indiana Air National Guard. Together, they are proud parents of two sons: Josh, who serves at the 122nd Fighter Wing and is married to Hannah, a pediatric occupational therapist; and Nathan, an attorney in Columbia City.

Follow the Northern Lakes District on Facebook to see how Marti is “All IN and on the move!”

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Welcome and Community Life

Prelude - Trumpet and Voluntary in D (Guest Artist: Dan Cummins)

Choral Introit - Sing a New Song

Call to Worship

Rejoice in the Lord and be glad. God is our hope and our salvation. The Lord blesses the earth with rain. God crowns the year with bounty. The Lord makes old men dream dreams. God makes young girls see visions. Rejoice in the Lord and be glad. God is our hope and our salvation.

***Opening Hymn** - All Praise to Our Redeeming Lord (UMH 554 - Sung to tune Azmon)

- 1 All praise to our redeeming Lord, who joins us by his grace, and bids us, each to each restored, together seek his face.
- 2 He bids us build each other up; and, gathered into one, to our high calling's glorious hope we hand in hand go on.
- 3 The gift which he on one bestows, we all delight to prove, the grace through every vessel flows in purest streams of love.
- 4 E'en now we think and speak the same, and cordially agree, concentered all, through Jesus' name, in perfect harmony.
- 5 We all partake the joy of one; the common peace we feel, a peace to sensual minds unknown, a joy unspeakable.
- 6 And if our fellowship below in Jesus be so sweet, what height of rapture shall we know when round his throne we meet!

Opening Prayer

Children's Message

Prayer Hymn - Sanctuary (TFWS 2164)

Lord prepare me to be a sanctuary
Pure and holy, tried and true
With thanksgiving, I'll be a living
Sanctuary for You

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Prayers of the People

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

Prayer Response - Hear Us, O God (UMH 490)

Choral Anthem - Walk by Faith

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture Reading

Psalms 100

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the lands!

People: Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into God's presence with singing!

Leader: Know that the Lord, who made us, is God.

People: We are the Lord's; we are the people of God, the sheep of God's pasture.

Leader: Enter God's gates with thanksgiving, and God's courts with praise!

People: Give thanks and bless God's name!

Leader: For the Lord is good;

People: God's steadfast love endures forever; God's faithfulness to all generations.

Ephesians 3:20-21

God can do anything, you know—far more than you could ever imagine or guess or request in your wildest dreams! He does it not by pushing us around but by working within us, his Spirit deeply and gently within us.

Glory to God in the church!

Glory to God in the Messiah, in Jesus!

Glory down all the generations!

Glory through all millennia! Oh, yes!

Leader: The Word of God

People: Thanks be to God

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Sermon – “What God Looks Like” – Rev. Dr. Marti Lundy

Greeting and Declaration of Purpose | **Prayer**

Organization of the Congregation | **Prayer**

Commissioning Our Leaders

Musical Offering

It Is Well – Soloist, Andre Owens

Offering our Gifts to God

*The Doxology (UMH 95)

*Prayer of Dedication

***Closing Hymn** – – Rejoice, the Lord Is King (UMH 715)

1. Rejoice, the Lord is King! Your Lord and King adore; mortals, give thanks and sing, and triumph evermore. Lift up your heart, lift up your voice; rejoice; again I say, rejoice.
2. Jesus the Savior reigns, the God of truth and love; when he had purged our stains, he took his seat above. Lift up your heart, lift up your voice; rejoice; again I say, rejoice.
3. His kingdom cannot fail; he rules o'er earth and heaven; the keys of earth and hell are to our Jesus given. Lift up your heart, lift up your voice; rejoice; again I say, rejoice.
4. Rejoice in glorious hope! Jesus the Judge shall come, and take his servants up to their eternal home. We soon shall hear th'archangel's voice; the trump of God shall sound, rejoice!

***Breakthrough Prayer**

God of new beginnings and second chances. When your son, Jesus the Christ gave his life for us, the veil of separation was torn. Breakthrough all that would keep us separate from one another, from our neighbors, and from you that we may be one just as you and the Father are one. Lead us now into your beloved community where our identity is rooted in Christ alone.

Dismissal with Blessing

Postlude