

Duke Memorial United Methodist Church

Service of Worship • Pentecost

May 19, 2024 • 4:00 PM

TOWER BELLS

GATHERING

WELCOME

Pastor Eric Smith
Pastor Heather Rodrigues

RESTORATION PLACE CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

Pastor Niki Wright

The Restoration Place - Embodying Christ's example of radical love.
The Restoration Place encourages people to become the best version of themselves through thoughtful preaching, relevant teaching, attention to current social issues, constant laughter and sharing

DUKE MEMORIAL UMC WELCOME STATEMENT

Pastor Mick Raynor

As our Lord Jesus Christ calls us to love and accept every person, Duke Memorial United Methodist Church welcomes into our life together those of every age, race, ethnic background, nationality, gender identity, sexual orientation, family or socioeconomic status, educational background, and physical or mental ability. In our commitment to the reconciliation of all persons as beloved children of God, we celebrate our diversity and recognize the sacred worth and dignity of all. We invite you to join us in our faith journey toward discipleship in Christ with mutual respect, understanding, and love.

*OPENING HYMN

UMH (red) 140 | Great Is Thy Faithfulness

FAITHFULNESS

OPENING PRAYER

Deacon Judy Dunstron

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Pastor Mick Raynor

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.
In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.
Glory to God. Amen.

** Please rise as you are comfortable*

PASSING THE PEACE

Pastor Mick Raynor

Greet one another with signs of reconciliation and love.
The peace of Christ be with you, **and also with you.**

PRAISE SONG

How Great Is Thy God

Judith McAllister

PROCLAMATION

PRAYER

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON | ACTS 2:1-21

This is the Word of God for the people of God. **Thanks be to God.**

SERMONIC SELECTION

Goodness of God

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SERMON

Pastor Eric Smith
Pastor Heather Rodrigues

RESPONSE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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.**

A DECLARATION TOWARDS RECONCILIATION

Pastor Niki Wright
Pastor Mick Raynor

SENDING FORTH

*CLOSING HYMN

UMH ### | Hymn

TUNE

*BENEDICTION

Pastor Eric Smith
Pastor Heather Rodrigues

CHIMES OF THE TRINITY

POSTLUDE

Restoration Place Band

A Called Charge Conference, May 21, 7:00 pm: District Superintendent Mike Frese has authorized Rev. Heather Rodrigues to hold a Charge Conference on May 21 at 7:00 pm at the open of Duke Memorial's regular Church Council Meeting. The sole purpose of this Charge Conference is to vote to increase Pastor Mick Raynor's salary, beginning June 1st in his new role as Pastor of Pastoral Care and Witness. The Charge Conference will be held via zoom (<https://shorturl.at/blouC>).

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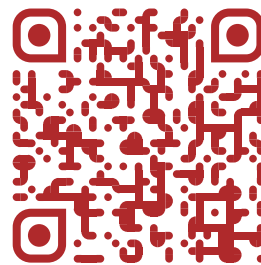
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Fidget baskets are located on either side of the altar rail and in the narthex. These are offered for children and adults who learn best when their hands or bodies are moving or who can listen more attentively when their other senses are engaged. Feel free to use a fidget or two at any point during worship and then return them to the basket at the end of service. Additionally, there is **"Pray Ground"** space in front of the pews on the right side of the sanctuary. This is space in the sanctuary for our worshippers of all ages and stages. Feel free to let your child play in this space as they participate in worship.

New? Tell Us More | We value building relationships across lines of difference, shared hobbies, passions, talents, and seasons of life. We hope to connect with you and one another inside and outside the church building. We encourage you to take time to fill out the connect card, explore our Spiritual Formation groups, ministries for children and youth, and our ministries designed to connect the church to the world through service.

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