November 22nd, 2026 9:45 AM

First United Methodist Ministries - Pendleton Campus

Thank you for worshiping with us in person, on Facebook Live, and on YouTube!
We are so glad you are here!

Altar Flowers are in celebration Maddie Dutton's 20th Birthday

WELCOME

OPENING SONG "Battle Belongs" Praise Band

When all I see is the battle, You see my victory.
When all I see is the mountain, You see a mountain moved.
And as I walk through the shadow, Your love surrounds me.
There's nothing to fear now for I am safe with You.

So when I fight I'll fight on my knees with my hands lifted high.
Oh God the battle belongs to You.
And every fear I lay at Your feet; I'll sing through the night.
Oh God the battle belongs to You.

And if You are for me, who can be against me?
For Jesus there's nothing impossible for You.
When all I see are the ashes, You see the beauty.
When all I see is a cross God You see the empty tomb.

So when I fight I'll fight on my knees with my hands lifted high.
Oh God the battle belongs to You.
And every fear I lay at Your feet; I'll sing through the night.
Oh God the battle belongs to You!

Almighty Fortress You go before us
Nothing can stand against the power of our God.
You shine in the shadow; You win every battle.
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ANNOUNCEMENTS Pastor Susan

AN UPDATE FROM SPRC

GREETING

CENTERING MUSIC "Give Thanks" Reg and Shirley
Henry Smith, arr. Fred Bock

CALL TO WORSHIP Pastor Mary

OPENING PRAYER Pastor Mary

HANDBELL CHOIR "Now Thank We All Our God"

SCRIPTURE **Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24** Randy Rosenkrans

11 The Lord God proclaims: I myself will search for my flock and seek them out. **12** As a shepherd seeks out the
flock when some in the flock have been scattered, so will I seek out my flock. I will rescue them from all the
places where they were scattered during the time of clouds and thick darkness. **13** I will gather and lead them
out from the countries and peoples, and I will bring them to their own fertile land. I will feed them on Israel's
highlands, along the riverbeds, and in all the inhabited places. **14** I will feed them in good pasture, and their
sheepfold will be there, on Israel's lofty highlands. On Israel's highlands, they will lie down in a secure fold and
feed on green pastures. **15** I myself will feed my flock and make them lie down. This is what the Lord God says.
16 I will seek out the lost, bring back the strays, bind up the wounded, and strengthen the weak. But the fat and
the strong I will destroy, because I will tend my sheep[a] with justice.

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20 So the Lord God proclaims to them: I will judge between the fat and the lean sheep. 21 You shove with
shoulder and flank, and with your horns you ram all the weak sheep until you've scattered them outside. 22 But
I will rescue my flock so that they will never again be prey. I will even judge between the sheep! 23 I will
appoint for them a single shepherd, and he will feed them. My servant David will feed them. He will be their
shepherd. 24 I, the Lord, will be their God, and my servant David will be their prince. I, the Lord, have spoken.

ANTHEM Choir

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Pastor Julia

Children are dismissed to Sunday School

PRAYER SONG "Spirit Song" Praise Band

Oh, let the Son of God enfold you with his Spirit and his love;
Let him fill your heart and satisfy your soul. Oh, let him have the things that hold you,
And his Spirit, like a dove, will descend upon your life and make you whole.
Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill your lambs. Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill your lambs.

Oh, come and sing the song with gladness as your hearts are filled with joy.
Lift your hands in sweet surrender to his name. Oh, give him all your tears and sadness,
Give him all your years of pain, and you'll enter into life in Jesus' name.
Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill your lambs. Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill your lambs.

PASTORAL PRAYER Pastor Susan

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. Lead us not into
temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the
power, and the glory forever. Amen

GLORIA PATRI **pg 70**

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.

SCRIPTURE **Matthew 25:31-46**

31 "Now when the Human One[a] comes in his majesty and all his angels are with him, he will sit on his majestic
throne. 32 All the nations will be gathered in front of him. He will separate them from each other, just as a

shepherd separates the sheep from the goats. [33] He will put the sheep on his right side. But the goats he will put on his left.
[34] "Then the king will say to those on his right, 'Come, you who will receive good things from my Father. Inherit the kingdom that was prepared for you before the world began. [35] I was hungry and you gave me food to eat. I was thirsty and you gave me a drink. I was a stranger and you welcomed me. [36] I was naked and you gave me clothes to wear. I was sick and you took care of me. I was in prison and you visited me.'
[37] "Then those who are righteous will reply to him, 'Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you a drink? [38] When did we see you as a stranger and welcome you, or naked and give you clothes to wear? [39] When did we see you sick or in prison and visit you?'
[40] "Then the king will reply to them, 'I assure you that when you have done it for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you have done it for me.'
[41] "Then he will say to those on his left, 'Get away from me, you who will receive terrible things. Go into the unending fire that has been prepared for the devil and his angels. [42] I was hungry and you didn't give me food to eat. I was thirsty and you didn't give me anything to drink. [43] I was a stranger and you didn't welcome me. I was naked and you didn't give me clothes to wear. I was sick and in prison, and you didn't visit me.'
[44] "Then they will reply, 'Lord, when did we see you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison and didn't do anything to help you?' [45] Then he will answer, 'I assure you that when you haven't done it for one of the least of these, you haven't done it for me.' [46] And they will go away into eternal punishment. But the righteous ones will go into eternal life."

MESSAGE "The King and His Flock" Pastor Julia

SONG OF RESPONSE "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come" pg 694

1. Come, ye thankful people, come, raise the song of harvest home;
all is safely gathered in, 'ere the winter storms begin.
God our Maker doth provide for our wants to be supplied;
come to God's own temple, come, raise the song of harvest home.

2. All the world is God's own field, fruit as praise to God we yield;
wheat and tares together sown are to joy or sorrow grown;
first the blade and then the ear, then the full corn shall appear;
Lord of harvest, grant that we wholesome grain and pure may be.

3. For the Lord our God shall come, and shall take the harvest home;
from the field shall in that day all offenses purge away,
giving angels charge at last in the fire the tares to cast;
but the fruitful ears to store in the garner evermore.

4. Even so, Lord, quickly come, bring thy final harvest home;
gather thou thy people in, free from sorrow, free from sin,
there, forever purified, in thy presence to abide;
come, with all thine angels, come, raise the glorious harvest home.

THANK YOU FOR SHARING YOUR GIFTS Pastor Julia

CLOSING SONG "Because He Lives" Praise Band

I believe in the Son; I believe in the risen One.
I believe, I overcome by the power of His blood.
Amen, Amen! I'm alive, I'm alive, because He lives.
Amen, Amen! Let my song join the one that never ends.
Because He lives!

I was dead in the grave; I was covered in sin and shame.
I heard mercy, call my name; He rolled the stone away.
Amen, Amen! I'm alive, I'm alive, because He lives.
Amen, Amen! Let my song join the one that never ends.

Because He lives, I can face tomorrow. Because He lives, every fear is gone.
I know (I know) He holds (He holds) my life (my life), my future in His hands.
Amen, Amen! I'm alive, I'm alive, because He lives.
Amen, Amen! Let my song join the one that never ends.
Amen, Amen! I'm alive, I'm alive, because He lives.
Amen, Amen! Let my song join the one that never ends.
Because He lives—Because He lives!

SENDING CHALLENGE Lamonte Kuskye

Pendleton First United Methodist Church

Let us be known

by the way we love.

Have a great week!