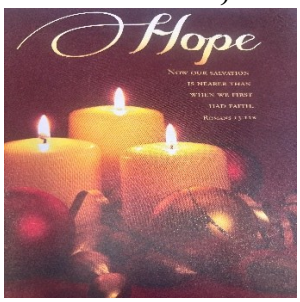
Order Of Worship for
November 29, 2026



"Faith United Methodist Church's mission is to share God's love and encourage others through worship and service to our community and beyond."

Prelude *" Watchman, Tell Us of the Night " by Martha Sobje*

Welcome & Announcements – please join us for coffee & fellowship after worship

Lighting the Advent Candles – Hal & Bette Lacey

***Opening Hymn** **"Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus" #196 UMH**

***Call to Worship** **Psalm 80:19**

One: Restore us, O Lord God of hosts;
All: let your face shine, that we may be saved!

***Illumination Prayer** **Advent (UMH 201)**

Merciful God, you sent your messengers the prophets to preach repentance and prepare the way for our salvation. Give us grace to heed their warnings and forsake our sins, that we may celebrate aright the commemoration of the nativity, and may await with joy the coming in glory of Jesus Christ our Redeemer; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, One God, forever and ever. Amen.

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.

Children's Message

Scripture Reading Mark 13:24-37 p. 50 NT in pew Bible

24 "But in those days, after that suffering, the sun will be darkened, and the moon
will not give its light, 25 and the stars will be falling from heaven, and the powers
in the heavens will be shaken. 26 "Then they will see 'the Son of Man coming in
clouds' with great power and glory. 27 Then he will send out the angels and gather
the elect from the four winds, from the ends of the earth to the ends of heaven.
m28 "From the fig tree learn its lesson: as soon as its branch becomes tender and
puts forth its leaves, you know that summer is near. 29 So also, when you see these
things taking place, you know that he is near, at the very gates. 30 Truly I tell you,
this generation will not pass away until all these things have taken place. 31 Heaven
and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away. 32 "But about that day
or hour no one knows, neither the angels in heaven nor the Son, but only the
Father. 33 Beware, keep alert, for you do not know when the time will come. 34 It is
like a man going on a journey, when he leaves home and puts his slaves in charge,
each with his work, and commands the doorkeeper to be on the watch.
35 Therefore, keep awake, for you do not know when the master of the house will
come, in the evening or at midnight or at cockcrow or at dawn, 36 or else he may
find you asleep when he comes suddenly. 37 And what I say to you I say to all:
Keep awake."

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

Choir Anthem: *" Wild and Lone the Prophet's Voice" by Carl P. Daw, Jr.*

Sermon " Keep Awake"

Offertory Hymn *"O Come, O Come Emmanuel" by George Lachenauer*

Offering/Doxology

***Offering Prayer**

***Closing Hymn "God of Grace and God of Glory" #577 UMH**

***Benediction**

Postlude *"Awake, the Voice is Calling" by Karl Karow*

Joys and Concerns [Please note: This is our time to share prayers of joy and concern with one another offline]

Bold means in unison * means please stand if able

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Music Director: Roger LaCross **Stream Team:** Jackson Skibel
Counters: Joan Forgie & Joy Jackson **Greeter:** Joy Jackson
Helpers Extraordinaire: Jiwon Chang & Jiwoo Chang

WELCOME TO FAITH

We welcome everyone because we all need God in our lives!

We extend a warm welcome to those who could use a prayer right now

and to those of you who are visiting. Welcome to Faith UMC!