

OCEAN SHORES UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
SUNDAY SERVICE

June 25, 2023



Mr. Richard Holmes, Preaching
Rev. Pamela Meeks, Incoming Pastor
Ms. Janice Nations, Music
Ms. Barbara White, Liturgist
Rev. Betty Chamberlain, Song Leader
Ms. Glenda Swindler, Videographer

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Fourth Sunday in Pentecost
June 25, 2023 - 11:15 am

WELCOME

PRELUDE

Guide My Feet

*CALL TO WORSHIP *(Responsive)*

The Lord of mysteries shall reveal what is hidden!

The God of wonders shall unveil the unknown!

In the night God will whisper great secrets to our hearts,

At dawn we shall shout them from the tops of our houses!

Hear, and understand! See, and perceive! To us God will give the secrets of the kingdom!

*OPENING HYMN

His Eye Is on the Sparrow
FWS pg. 2146

*INVOCATION

We are your disciples, Lord. How we want to be like you! We are your servants, Lord. How we want to serve like you! Take our minds: enlighten them. Take our hearts: awaken them. Take our hands: enliven them—not that we might be made great through you, but that you might be made great through us!

PSALM *(Responsive)*

Psalm 69:7-10, 16-18

It is for your sake that I have borne reproach, that shame has covered my face.

I have become a stranger to my kindred, an alien to my mother's children.

It is zeal for your house that has consumed me; the insults of those who insult you have fallen on me.

When I humbled my soul with fasting, they insulted me for doing so.

Answer me, O LORD, for your steadfast love is good; according to your abundant mercy, turn to me.

Do not hide your face from your servant, for I am in distress--make haste to answer me.

Draw near to me, redeem me, set me free because of my enemies.

OLD TESTAMENT READING: Jeremiah 20:7-13

NEW TESTAMENT READINGS: Romans 6:1b-11
Matthew 10:24-39

The Gospel of our Lord!

Thanks be to God!

MESSAGE How do we disciple today

HYMN Jesus Calls Us O'er the Tumult pg. 398

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY I've Got Peace Like a River

***RESPONSE** Doxology UMH 94

PRAYER

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRAYER

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.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SENDING FORTH BENEDICTION

Take Up Thy Cross pg. 415

POSTLUDE

Where He Leads Me I Will Follow

*Indicates stand if you are able

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Ocean Shores UMC Worship returns to 10:30 next week

We welcome Pastor Pam on Communion Sunday, July 16

Triennial Cleanup July 1-6 - Bulletin Board Sign Up Sheet