

Ocean Shores United Methodist Church



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May 11, 2025 - 10:30 am "Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors"

Welcome Prelude

My Tribute

*Invitation to Worship Based on Revelation 9 Praise and glory

And wisdom and thanks and honor And power and strength

Be to our God for ever and ever.He will lead us to springs of living water.

And wipe away every tear from our eyes

*Opening Hymn For the Beauty of the Earth UMH 92

*Invocation

O Lord, you were the shepherd of the Lamb; he did not go astray. The rabbis tempted him to tarry in the Temple, but he obeyed his parents to return home. Satan baited him with promises of great power, but he listened, instead, to your still, small voice. His disciples encouraged him to answer hate with rage, but he ended up doing not his will but yours.

O Lord, you sent the Lamb to be shepherd; we shall not go astray. Let us hear his voice. Amen.

Psalm of the Day (responsive) #23 UMH 754

Special Music arr. Lloyd Larsen

Call to Prayer

Tell the Story of Jesus Sonja Wilson, Soloist Sweet Hour of Prayer vs. 1 pg. 496

The Prayers of the People

Celebration of Birthdays/Anniversaries

Our Joys and Concerns

Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Reading the Word

Acts 9:36-43

John 10:22-30

Response

The Word of God for the people of God

Thanks be to God!

Hymn of Meditation

Lamb of God FWS pg. 2113

Homily

"Reticence"

Invitation To Offering

The Offertory

The Gift of Love

*Doxology

UMH 95

The Sending Song

Would I Have Answered When You Called? FWS 2137

*Blessing

Choral Benediction

Because He Lives refrain pg. 364

Postlude

Precious Lord, Take My Hand

* Please stand

Pastor: Rev. Pam Meese

Homily: Mr. Rooe Simpson

Liturgist: Ms. Barb White

Music Director: Ms. Janice Nations

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