

God has given each of you a gift from the great variety of spiritual gifts. Use them well to serve one another.

—1 Peter 4:10



AUGUST 11, 2019

Worship Service
11:00 AM

SERMON NOTES

Handwriting lines for sermon notes, consisting of two columns of horizontal lines.

Sunday Dinner Table Talk

1. Have you continued to think about what your spiritual gifts may be? Think about this: What are you good at? Passionate about? What are your talents?
2. How do you think those things intersect with the needs of the world?
3. What can you envision happening if every member of the Church used their spiritual gifts for the good of the world/work of the Church?

KIDS' CORNER

In the gift box below, draw a picture of one or more ways that you can use the gifts that God has given you to help others.
1 Corinthians 12:1-11

A large rectangular box for drawing, featuring a decorative flower-like graphic in the center.



WELCOME

We exist to love and serve Lebanon.

There's a place for everyone at Lebanon FUMC!



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ABOUT US

Please take a moment to note your presence in the book at the end of your pew. If you're a Visitor, you are also invited to fill out a Welcome Card and drop it in the offering plate, or take it to the Welcome Desk.

For Visitors and Parents/Families

Worship service child care is provided in the nursery for infants through age 3. Quiet Bags are available outside the Sanctuary for children of all ages; please return the bags to the hangers on your way out.

Got Questions? We want to help!

There's a place for everyone at Lebanon FUMC, and we want to help you find yours. To learn more:

Visit the Welcome Desk in the Narthex (lobby) and pick up a Welcome Packet.

Stop by the Church Office to speak with our staff and/or schedule a meeting with a pastor. Visit our website at www.lebanonfumc.com.

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LEBANON FUMC STAFF

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Age Level Ministries

Cori Brantley, Adults 55+ | Rebecca Dixon, Children

Music/Worship Ministry: Windell Little, Director
Joseph Walker, Accompanist
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Administrative Ministries: Cori Brantley, Business
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Weekday Children's Ministries

Erin Stone, Director and Preschool 4 Teacher
Tanja Manus, Preschool 3
Jennie Howell, Parents' Day Out

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Gathering

Welcome and Announcements

Introit Linwood Road
"Glory Bound" by Ruth Moody

New Testament Reading Romans 12:6-8

*Call to Worship

Leader: In you, oh Lord, our ancestors trusted, and you delivered them.

People: In you, oh Lord, we put our trust.

In you, oh Lord, our ancestors have trusted, and they were not put to shame.

You have been our help in ages past and our hope for years to come!

***Processional Hymn** UMH 369
"Blessed Assurance"

*Passing of the Peace

May the peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Now let us greet one another in Christ's love.

***Hymn of Praise** UMH 378
"Amazing Grace"

Proclamation & Response

Children's Moment Rebecca Dixon

New Testament Reading I Corinthians 12:4-11

A Fruitful Life Rev. Ryan Bennett
What is a Spiritual Gift?

***Hymn of Response**
"By the Mark"
by Gillian Welch & David Rawlings

Gathering and Reading of Prayer Cards

****Prayers of the People**
"Never Grow Old" by James C. Moore

Offertory Linwood Road with Choir
"Poor Wayfaring Stranger"
arr. Keith Kristopher

***Doxology** UMH 94
"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Sending Forth

***Benediction** Rev. Ryan Bennett

***Closing Hymn** UMH 405
"Lift Your Head, Weary Sinner"
by David Crowder

WORSHIP NOTES & SERVERS

Special Thanks to Linwood Road for sharing your gifts and music with us today!
Members: Debi Lancaster, Liza Bates, Sarah Fast, and Jennifer Perry

Flowers are placed today in memory of our mothers, Joyce Weiser and Vondell Lancaster
by Jim and Debi Lancaster

***Please stand** as you are able, in body or in spirit.

****Prayers of the People:** You may pray from your seats or at the right chancel rail, or receive anointing with oil and pastoral prayer at the left chancel rail.

Liturgist Rev. David (Bucky) Hesson **Acolytes** (8:30) Eli Hodge, Lizzie Pittman (11:00) Taylor & Jack Blitch **Cross Bearer** (8:30) Matthew McGahen (11:00) Mariella McDonald **Ushers** (8:30) Matt, Betsy, Emma & Meg Pierucki (11:00) Elgan Usrey, Eddie Callis, Eddie White, Laura Headley **Greeters** (8:30) Diane & Brownie Vantrease, Larry & Alice Oakley (11:00) Cynthia & Jay Rice, Larry & Rita Johnson **Welcome Desk** (8:30) Rose Stout (11) Mandy Wilson

TOP 5 THIS WEEK

Happening TODAY — So many opportunities to connect and serve!

Sager Brown Meeting, 9:30 AM in the Parlor
Fall Garden Meeting, 9:45 AM in JOY Room
Go Team Meeting at 12:15 PM JOY
Pray for our staff retreat, happening today through Tuesday Noon.

NOW through Sunday, 8/18 — Children's Mission Project/Food Drive The Wilson County Community Help Center is low on food, and we're stepping up! To help, all you do is:

1. Pick up a shopping bag from the Narthex.
2. Fill it with items from the list on the bag.
3. Return your bag to the Narthex (Lobby) by Sunday, 8/18.

Thanks for supporting our community!

Sunday, 8/25 at 5:00 PM — Youth Ministries Fall Kick-Off As usual, we'll have dinner together in the Fellowship Hall, then the youth will go outside for Slip-n-Slide Kickball while the adults have a quick meeting about programming and expectations for the new year.

Wednesday, 9/4 — Disciple Fast Track II begins Join us for morning sessions (10:00-11:30) or evening (6:30-8:00) as we study Genesis and Exodus in the first 12 weeks, then Luke and Acts in the second 12 weeks. All are invited, and you do not have to have taken Disciple I to join. Sign up at the Events Board (by the water fountain).

Ongoing — The Thrive Team is planning our September Let's Get Together, and we'd like to offer more small group opportunities. If you are interested in leading a Bible/book study, crafting group, or any other class, please contact Rebecca Dixon or Beth Pulley.

For the complete Church Calendar, visit our website at LebanonFUMC.com/events.

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