



Worthington

United Methodist Church

Come as You are. Grow in Grace. Serve in Love.
10:00am Worship for June 21, 2026
4th Sunday after Pentecost

Prelude Canzona. Bux166 D. Buxtehude
Narmina Aliyeva

Passing of the Peace*

Call to Worship*

Tim Moats
**Rise in body or in spirit*

Come into God's presence.
All are welcome here.
Come, saints and sinners alike.
We are all God's children.
Faith has brought us here.
Grace will make us whole.
Come! Let us worship.

Opening Hymn* *Lift Every Voice and Sing* UMH #519

Hebrew Bible Reading Psalm 86:1-10, 16-17 Tim Moats

Baptism of Elizabeth Elaine Hatem

Children's Moments Tim Moats

After the conclusion of Children's Moments, children 4 years old-3rd grade are invited to attend Children's Church in South Fellowship Hall until the end of the worship service. Nursery care for ages 0-3 years is available on a first-come, first-served basis. Please see an usher for assistance.

Special Music *Come Home* Craig Courtney
Tim Byrer with Narmina Aliyeva

Pew Pocket Prayer cards will be collected by the pastors during this piece.

Season of Prayer
Silent Prayer
Pastoral Prayer
The Lord's Prayer

Rev. Jennifer Casto

Offerings in Ministries and Gifts
Offertory Music

Rev. Jennifer Casto
P. Tchaikovsky

Andante

Narmina Aliyeva

Doxology*
Offertory Prayer

Praise God, from Whom all Blessings Flow

UMH #94

Gracious God, all we have comes from Your generous hand. Today, we return a portion of those blessings to You. Use these gifts to bring comfort to the hurting, strength to the weary, and light to places in need of hope. May our giving reflect our gratitude and our lives bear witness to Your love. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Hebrew Bible Reading

Genesis 21:8-21

Rev. Jennifer Casto

Sermon

"God Sees and Hears"

Rev. Jennifer Casto

Closing Hymn*

Great is Thy Faithfulness

UMH #140

Benediction*

Rev. Jennifer Casto

**May the peace of the Lord Christ go with you, wherever he may send you.
May he guide you through the wilderness, protect you through the storm.
May he bring you home rejoicing at the wonders he has shown you.
May he bring you home rejoicing once again into our doors.**

Postlude

Tuba Tune
Narmina Aliyeva

C.S. Lang

Acolyte:: Drake Ogden

Greeters: Ralph & Pam Vaughn, Deborah Hayden, Marty Schwarz Jacob, Ellen Koch, Cathy Taylor

Ushers: Keith Stimpert, Linda Karr, Margaret Logan, Mev Mielke, Tanna Stewart, Lesly Wade

Audio & Visual Team: Brian Wingerter, Kent Koch, Ken MacFarlane, Craig Kramer

Announcements

Altar Flowers: The altar flowers are given by Craig and Lorie Kramer as they celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary.

Livestreamed Service: The 10:00am service is being livestreamed on our YouTube channel.

Events today: Early service (lawn) 9:00am •Worship service (Sanctuary) 10:00am

Outside Worship Services: Our Summer Outside Worship Service continues through September 6th. We will provide metal chairs, but you are welcome to bring your own! Bubbles and chalk will be provided for children. We will meet in Potter Chapel if the weather is inclement.

New Second Mile Giving Envelopes and Brochure: Please take a moment to look over our new Second Mile Giving Brochure included with your bulletin today. There are also new purple envelopes in the back of the pews for Second Mile Giving. Please go the extra mile and give to Second Mile.

UMC Lost & Found: Did you lose a pair of glasses? Leave a sweater or a water bottle? Check out the lost and found table in the foyer to see if any of the items are yours.

Grief Support Group: The Grief Support Group meets on the fourth Wednesday of every month at 1:00pm. Our next gathering is June 24th. This is a time of sharing and support with others who are grieving the loss of a spouse, partner or child. Whether the death of your loved one occurred recently or some time ago, we rely on each other in sharing memories, emotions, and needs wherever we are in the grief journey. Our intent is to provide a safe and compassionate space to both mourn and to move toward healing and hope. For more information, contact Pastor Jennifer at jennifer@worthingtonumc.com.

Next Week's Lectionary: Genesis 22:1-14; Psalm 13; Romans 6:12-23; Matthew 10:40-42.

Keep us in the loop! Please contact Pastor Jennifer with pastoral concerns, including hospitalizations, births and deaths at Jennifer@worthingtonumc.com.

Worthington UMC Staff

Pastoral: Rev. Jennifer Casto, Ashley Gerard

Administrative: Jennie Hayes, Danielle Wright

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