

THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, MAY 6

9:00a Worship
10:00a Fellowship, Cookies and Coffee
10:30a Facility Committee Meeting
10:30a Mission Committee Meeting

MONDAY, MAY 7

7:00p Adult Bible Study

TUESDAY, MAY 8

NO Preaching with the Pastor

WEDNESDAY, MAY 9

6:45p Christian Life Committee—Church Office Conference Room

SUNDAY, MAY 13—MOTHER'S DAY

9:00a Worship
9:00a Sunday School
10:30a Administrative Committee

**VBS Postcards for sharing are available
on the table in the back of the Sanctuary.**

Our Prayer Room (B3) Sun. 8:30a; Wed. 7:00p

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“Old and Young Holding Hands”

***Welcoming all people in the name of Christ.
Expressing the love of God to the World.
Trusting the Power of the Holy Spirit
as we serve the Kingdom of God.***

Worship 9:00am - May 6, 2018

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Today's Worship

"Welcome to Journey Church"

*"I thank my God every time I remember you,
constantly praying with joy in every one of my prayers for all of you,
because of your sharing in the gospel from the first day until now."*

*Call to Worship

Janis Jonas

God calls us to a feast!

**The table is set,
and we will come from east and west,
from north and south to sit at Christ's table.**

Compassion, love, and grace are poured out like fine wine.

**We come to share our stories and to share in Christ's story,
and Christ's story is a story of grace, mercy, and compassion.**

The table is set, the feast prepared!

Come, all of you, to the table of the Lord!

*Prayer of the Day

*Hymn "I'm Gonna Eat at the Welcome Table" vs. 1, 2 and 3

*Prayer of Confession

God of all mercy, we come confessing. We come confessing with the full assurance of the wideness of your mercy. You call us into community; we tend to exist as lone rangers. You call us to lean on one another; we tend to want to go it on our own. Forgive. Open our eyes that we might see the beauty of Christian community. Open our hearts that we might know the strength which comes from binding ourselves together as we serve You in whose name we pray. Amen.

Moment for Silent Prayer

*Assurance of Forgiveness

The Scriptures tell us time and again that God's steadfast love endures forever.

There is nothing you or I can do that will take God's love away from us.

We need only repent, turn from our ways, and know the fullness of God's love, God's forgiveness, and God's mercy.

**We lay our sins at the foot of the Cross,
knowing that God's steadfast love endures forever. Forever. Forever.
Amen.**

*Gloria Patri

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*Passing of the Peace of Christ

The Peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Welcome and Invitation to Discipleship

Children's Message

Minute for VBS

*Praise Music "My Lighthouse"

Scripture Philippians 1:1-11

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Communion Meditation "With a Little Help From My Friends"

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The Lord's Supper

Invitation to The Lord's Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you;

and also with you.

Lift up your voice;

we lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God;

it is right to give God thanks and praise.

The Communion of the People

Prayer After Communion

Offering

**Doxology*

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**Prayer of Dedication*

*Hymn "The Servant Song"

*Charge and Benediction

Postlude "All of Me" by The Piano Guys

Sam Knight

***All who are able, please stand.**