

Sunday Worship

November 9, 2025 10:00 am

**Denotes Standing, in body and/or spirit*

Worship Theme: Let us Sing to the Lord

WE GATHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE

Prelude "Lord, Revive Us" Franklin Ritter

Welcome & Announcements (see insert) Chris Shope

***Call to Worship (Responsively)** Psalm 95 Leader

Leader: O come, let us sing to the Lord;
People: Let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

Leader: Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving;
People: Let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!

Leader: For the Lord is a great God, and a great King above all gods.
People: In his hand are the depths of the earth; the heights of the mountains are his also.

Leader: The sea is his, for he made it, and the dry land, which his hands have formed.

People: O come, let us worship and bow down, let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker!

***Opening Hymn** "Lord, I Lift Your Name on High" TFWS #2088

***Opening Prayer (Unison)** *by a UMCM Angel* Leader
Dear Lord, thank You for today. Thank You for joining us together in this place. You have brought us together today not only for the nourishment of our bodies and our souls, but to join our voices in praise to You. Accept these praises. Let the songs, the stories, and our voices joined together be a sweet sound to You. We love you Lord and we thank you for the healing You bring to our lives. We give you all the glory. In Jesus name. Amen.

Words of Assurance

Offering One Another the Peace of Christ

A Time for Children of All Ages

WE PROCLAIM THE WORD OF GOD

Old Testament Lesson: [Isaiah 48:9-17](#) (NRSV) Leader

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

***Gospel Lesson:** [Luke 19:28-40](#) (NRSV)

Lector: The Word of God for the People of God

People: Thanks be to God!

Message PIVOT Ministries

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD OF GOD

We Lift Up to God Our Prayers and Concerns Pastoral Prayer

***Doxology** The Offering of our Gifts

Offering Prayer (Unison) *by a UMCM Angel*

Lord, in this season of gratitude, we offer gifts from our bounty. Gifts received from your bounty of blessings that you have bestowed upon us. We offer you the gifts of talents and service to further your kingdom. As the stones of old cried out your praises, may we also praise your holiness. Jesus, you have turned hearts of stone into hearts of pure love. Accept this offering as a token of our adoration. In your name, Amen.

WE CARRY THE LIGHT OF CHRIST INTO THE WORLD

*Sending Hymn “O Living God” WS #3089

*Benediction

*Benediction Response “Amen, Amen” TFWS #2072
(sing twice)

Postlude



Join Us for PIVOT Luncheon

Coming Up:

November 16th. - Sunday Worship Service @10am - Join us LIVE or ONLINE as we continue to study God's Word ([Luke 21:5-19](#)) - God has your back!

Join us Wednesday's @ 7:30am for

Wednesday-Wakeup Devotional & Fellowship



[Zoom Link](#)
(Live Meeting)



[YouTube \(https://bitly.com/WWakeup\)](https://bitly.com/WWakeup)
(Recorded Sessions)

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Worship Livestream Zoom link:



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“Growing in the Body of Christ”