

Lawrence Chapel  
United Methodist Church  
January 15, 2023



**ARISE,  
SHINE;**

for your light has come,  
and the glory of the LORD  
has risen upon you.

Isaiah 60:1, NRSV

# Lawrence Chapel United Methodist Church

*Lawrence Chapel UMC practices the love and teachings of Jesus.*

The Prelude

Amy Ahui

Making a Difference

Reverend Mollie Reddic

Greeting with Musical Response

During the worship series, we are exploring how our everyday activities can become spiritual ...

**Sung Response:**

*Thy Word is a Lamp*

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God who sang all creation into being, we give you thanks for the sweet harmonies and soul-stirring rhythms that lift up our spirits in the dance of life. Open our eyes to the light of possibilities, even when the day ahead holds difficulties.

**Be with us, near us, beside us. Amen.**

**Sung Response: Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.**

\*Hymn of Praise

*I Love You, Lord*

**Verse 3 only**

FWS 2068

\*Affirmation of Faith

Apostles' Creed

881

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the**

**Father Almighty, from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

\*Gloria Patri

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*Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.*

Children's Sermon

(Children are invited to the front of the sanctuary for the Children's Sermon. Children may return to their seats or leave with the leader to go to children's church. Parents are asked to pick up their children in the Education Building children's room following the worship service.)

**Sung: More light, more truth is breaking from Your Word.**

**More light, more truth, Holy Spirit, help us hear what needs to be heard.**

God's Written Word

Psalm 40:1-11

Pew Bible OT p.513

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Sermon

Rev. Mollie Reddic

Prayers of the People

*Choir Sings: Open Unto Me*

## The Lord's Prayer

*Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.*

*Choir Sings: Open Unto Me*

## The Invitation to the Offering

Offertory

Amy Ahui

\*Doxology

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*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below;  
praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

\*Offertory Prayer

\*Hymn of Commitment

*Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

400

\*Benediction

\*Recessional

\*Postlude

\*Congregation please stand, if able

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*If you are worshipping at LCUMC for the first time we welcome you in the name of Christ! Please fill out a visitor card in the pew racks and place it in the offering plate so that Pastor Mollie can send you a note.*

*Wherever you are on your spiritual journey in Christ, you are welcome at LCUMC. You do not have to join in order to participate in worship, many areas of serving, and small groups. However, becoming a member of this body of Christ is an excellent way for you to fully live out your Christian commitment and deepen your faith. If you would like to become an official member of this community, Pastor Mollie would love to have a conversation with you!*



### Prayer Concerns

Edna Crawford(Elaine Masceri), Eunice and John Adams,  
Jim Brackett(Donna Glenn), The Mocko Family(Andersons),  
Marie Karns(Geehreg), Kathie and Gary Heil,  
Pam Holt(Barbara Ochoa), Al Cureton, Tabitha(Nan Davis), Lynne and Walter Hadden,  
Greg and Anita Morton(Collins), Laura Bryant(Nan Davis), Rob Gould(Davisons),  
Edward Emanuel(Jean Thomas), Kris Ellenberg, Cherie Pressley(Sandra and Lou),  
Tim and Debra Williamson, Devonna Maple(Pam Drummond), Frances Hammond,  
Connie Curtis, The Singleton Family, Bob Geehreg, Marge Hastings, Chuck DeCarbo.

### ASSISTING IN WORSHIP TODAY

Counter: Clyde Burghardt

Greeters: Clyde and Audrey Burghardt

Trustee of the Week: Stanley Morgan

Children's Church: Maddie Sampson and Lou Robinson

Acolyte: Lynn Kelley

### Meeting Reminders:

1/15 11:30 Meet and Greet with Amy Ahui in the Fellowship Hall

11:30am Finance Meeting in the Library

1/17 8:30am Facebook Devotion with Pastor Mollie

1/18 12:00pm Hooks and Needles meet in the Fellowship Hall

11/20 Newsletter Articles are due

1/22 11:30 Meet and Greet with Amy Ahui in the Fellowship Hall

11:30am Worship Meeting in the Library

1/23 9:15am Mama Meetup in the Fellowship Hall

1/29 11:30am Trustee Meeting in the Library

**No 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday meal  
this month**

**Pastor** – The Reverend Mollie Reddic – Cell 803-261-4081

**Music Director:** Amy Ahui

**Web Master** – Stephen Singleton

**Lay Leader** – Penny Hall

**Office Number 864-653-4461**

**Nursery** – Maddie Sampson

**Financial Secretary** – Elizabeth Bowman

**Custodians** – Kris, Elizabeth and Grayson Bowman

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**Nursery and Restroom facilities are in the Education Building across from the sanctuary.**

Church WiFi ID – LCMGuest Password – PeaceBeWithYou!

**Parents/Guardians: If your child/children are leaving worship to attend Children's Church, please fill out the Children's Worship Sign-in sheets in the narthex when you arrive in the sanctuary to ensure we know your child's allergies and important contact information. A greeter will assist you in finding the form.**

**Children ages 3 and older are welcome to participate.**



Replace the negative  
self-talk with your  
soul's music.



## **Suggestions for Music Play-List Practices**

Place this card somewhere where you will see it every day and remember to insert music in some form into your day.

Some ideas are:

- make your own personal playlist on Spotify or another app
- go through your music collection and make a pile to play throughout the week
- set your radio or app to your favorite station and play at least once each day
- make your own music each day - sing or play an instrument!

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I give you thanks for the  
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that lift up my spirit in the dance of life.  
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Be with me, near me, beside me.  
Amen.**

## TFWS 2068

I love you, Lord  
And I lift my voice  
To worship you  
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In what you hear  
May it be a sweet sweet sound  
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## Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing 400

1. Come, thou Fount of ev - ery bless - ing, tune my heart to  
 2. Here I raise mine Eb - e - ne - zer; hith - er by thy  
 3. O to grace how great a debt - or dai - ly I'm con -

sing thy grace; streams of mer - cy, nev - er ceas - ing,  
 help I'm come; and I hope, by thy good plea - sure,  
 strained to be! Let thy good - ness, like a fet - ter,

call for songs of loud - est praise. Teach me some me - lo - dious  
 safe - ly to ar - rive at home. Je - sus sought me when a  
 bind my wan - dering heart to thee. Prone to wan - der, Lord, I

son - net, sung by flam - ing tongues a - bove. Praise the mount! I'm  
 stran - ger, wan - dering from the fold of God; he, to res - cue  
 feel it, prone to leave the God I love; here's my heart, O

fixed up - on it, mount of thy re - deem - ing love.  
 me from dan - ger, in - ter - posed his pre - cious blood.  
 take and seal it, seal it for thy courts a - bove.