



Season of Creation
May 10, 2026
9:30am



First United
Methodist Church
DOWNTOWN FOR GOOD



Welcome To First UMC Madison, a place where all are truly welcome!

We are glad you are here today. Please fill out a **connect card** using the QR code or find one in the back of the seat in front of you. You can put them in the offering plate, signifying that your presence in worship is one of your gifts to God. Newcomers receive a gift when they bring their completed cards to the Welcome Center.



Connect

To learn more about the life of the church, if you have a special need, or wish to have someone be in touch with you, please note it on your connect card or email **info@fumc.org**.

Music Minute

Read more about today's music by visiting fumc.org/minute.

Each week, Mark Heiskanen, our Director of Music and the Arts, presents a brief synopsis of the music offered within our worship services.



Notes

Kids are welcome and wanted in worship. We love their voices, their joy, their wiggles. But, if you need a break, the nursery is available during worship for infants and young children. Kids ages 4 through 5th grade are welcome to be in JOY Kids after Children's Time (please pick up your children from the lower-level JOY Kids space after worship). They are also welcome to stay with you. Activity bags are available by the Sanctuary entrance.

Stick around after worship for snacks and drinks in Fellowship Hall. It is a great time to get to know people and get connected in the life of First Church.

Find us online at **fumc.org** for events, announcements, and other information. We're also on **Facebook** at First United Methodist Church - Madison, WI.



Give

Online Giving is available through a link on our website at **fumc.org/give**. If you need help, contact the church office: **info@fumc.org**.

The sanctuary is equipped with a **hearing loop**. Switch your hearing aid to T.



Restrooms are located down the hall and to your left, across from the nursery. A single stall, non-gendered restroom is available on the lower level. Take the elevator down, go right, and it is the second door on the left.

An **AED device** is located on the wall outside of the Sanctuary next to the Welcome Center.



Emergency exits are located on the exterior walls of the Sanctuary.

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First United Methodist Church is located on Ho-Chunk land.

Prelude

For the Beauty of the Earth
Cathy Moklebust
First Church Ringers

Welcome & Announcements

Rev. Ran Yoo

Passing the Peace

Hymn

All Things Bright and Beautiful
UMH #147, v. 1, 3, 4

Unison Prayer

Our Amazing Creator God, thank you for blessing us with the beauty and wonder of your creation. It sustains us, it restores our souls, and it connects us to you. Guide us to be the stewards you created us to be for all things bright and beautiful. Help us to be kind to your creation and to each other. In the name of your son, Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen.

Baptism

Luther Amari Wilshire Salmons
Earl & Kirsten Wilshire Salmons, parents

Children's Time

Rev. Ran Yoo

Prayers & Lord's Prayer

Rev. Scott Walters

Holy God/Our Father/Creator/Loving God, 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.

Ministry of Music

I Believe
Mark Miller
Chancel Choir

Scripture

John 14:15-21
Kelly Thompson

Here ends the reading from John.

May it be a lamp to our feet, and a light to our path.

Sermon

“Our Legacy”
Rev. Scott Walters

Offering Invitation

Finance Committee

Offertory

For the Beauty of the Earth
John Rutter
Quadrilateral Quartet
Sachie Ueshima, soprano
Jessica Kasinski, alto
Kendall Terhaar, tenor
Patrick Malnaa, bass

**VanDyke-Alton Scholarships &
Graduation Celebration**

Abbott Carlson
Calvin Cavanaugh
Timothy Eyring-Green

Hymn

Praise the Source of Faith and Learning
TFWS #2004, v. 1-2

Blessing

Rev. Scott Walters

Postlude

Festive March
Daniel Pinkham

Today's Coffee Fellowship is sponsored by
the VDA Scholarship Committee in honor of,
Abbott Carlson, Calvin Cavanaugh, and Timothy Eyring-Green.

*All are invited to Coffee Fellowship in
the Fellowship Hall following worship.*

2026 VanDyke-Alton Scholarship



Sharing Our Journeys, Today, 11am, Chapel & Zoom

Dr. Anna Haensch, Research Associate Professor, Data Science Institute, and Associate Director, Digital Scholarship Hub at UW-Madison Libraries at UW, will speak about data centers.



Emergent Theology, Sundays, 11:15am, Zoom

Today, they will discuss chapter 2 of “Poverty In the Promised Land” by Walter Bruggeman. Contact George (fumc.org/george)

Season of Creation, Sundays, May 10 & 17

The Green Team has scheduled two speakers for the Sharing Our Journeys class to help us learn more about our environment and how we may care for it. May 10 will focus on data centers and their significant use of resources. May 17 will focus on artificial intelligence, (AI), which has largely driven the development of data centers.

Congregational Assessment Survey

► fumc.org/survey

Please take some time to share your experiences (anonymously) with us



Hope’s Home Community Breakfast, Fellowship Hall

Hot breakfast every Wednesday morning at 9am

Second Harvest Work Day, May 30, 8:15am

Impact food insecurity. No heavy lifting required. Contact Krista Tweed (fumc.org/krista-tweed).