

October 3, 2021 • 10:00 am



Milwood United Methodist

Kalamazoo, Michigan

THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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3919 Portage Street, Kalamazoo, MI 49001 | 269-381-6720

Worship on Sundays at 10 am

Rev. Caleb Williams, Pastor

Darlene Sang, Director of Choirs

Carl Doubleday, Organist

Yunsi Zhang, Pianist

Kat Mumma, Liturgist

Gordy Brodhagen, Alex Gordon, Dave Gordon, & Eric Rice, Sound & Technology



**Nursing moms:
the lounge at the far north end of
the building is open for your use
and privacy.**

Welcome to Worship

OUR MISSION

*Connecting Through Christ:
Learning, Serving, Witnessing, Worshiping*

*please stand if you are able

UMH = United Methodist Hymnal

FWS = The Faith We Sing

Trinity Chimes

Prelude

Let Us Break Bread Together

Charles Callahan

*Hymn

I Come With Joy
(omit verse 5)

UMH 617

*Call to Worship

Leader: Come, Everyone! Whether you're watching online or here in the sanctuary.

ALL: It's a beautiful day to clap and sing!

Leader: Come, and know that you are welcome! Whether this is your first time with us or your thousandth!

ALL: It's a beautiful day to read and pray!

Leader: Come, hear God's challenge to be good neighbors to everyone!

ALL: It's a beautiful day in the neighborhood!

Amen!

*Response

Glory Be To The Father

UHM 70

Welcome

Pastor Caleb Williams

Children's Time

Prayer

Pastor Karen Wheat

Invitation to Offering

Piano Solo

“Adagio” from Sonata in c minor, D 958
pianist Yunsi Zhang

Franz Schubert

Scripture

Common English Bible

Psalm 8

Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name throughout the earth! You made your glory higher than heaven! From the mouths of nursing babies you have laid a strong foundation because of your foes, in order to stop vengeful enemies. When I look up at your skies, at what your fingers made—the moon and the stars that you set firmly in place—what are human beings that you think about them; what are human beings that you pay attention to them? You’ve made them only slightly less than divine, crowning them with glory and grandeur. You’ve let them rule over your handiwork, putting everything under their feet—all sheep and all cattle, the wild animals too, the birds in the sky, the fish of the ocean, everything that travels the pathways of the sea. Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name throughout the earth!

Deuteronomy 10:14-19

Clearly, the Lord owns the sky, the highest heavens, the earth, and everything in it. But the Lord adored your ancestors, loving them and choosing the descendants that followed them—you!—from all other people. That’s how things still stand now. So circumcise your hearts and stop being so stubborn, because the Lord your God is the God of all gods and Lord of all lords, the great, mighty, and awesome God who doesn’t play favorites and doesn’t take bribes. He enacts justice for orphans and widows, and he loves immigrants, giving them food and clothing. That means you must also love immigrants because you were immigrants in Egypt.

Sermon

A World of Neighbors

Pastor Caleb Williams

Holy Communion

music by Jackson Henry

Anthem

**We Remember Christ
Chancel Choir**

Robert Sterling

**We remember Christ; His sacrifice displayed on Calvary.
With His final breath, He conquered death; the Lord of humility.
We commune with Christ, and taste of life abundant, rich, and free;
for our Savior said, "I am the Bread. Take and eat, and remember Me.
Yes, we believe He lives and reigns on high.
And we receive this bread to eat, this cup to drink,
proclaiming His great love for us.
We exult in Christ, who paid the price and groaned upon the tree.
When we lift the cup, we raise Him up, the hope of humanity. Amen.**

Communion Prayer

***Hymn**

We Know That Christ Is Raised

UMH 610

***Benediction**

Postlude

The Kingsfold Trumpet

Alfred Fedak

Color, Note, and Doodle



Notes



**Candace's Small Group
Beginning September 12th**

Study: *Reckless Love*
by Tom Berlin
at Milwood UMC | Lounge
Every Sunday 11:30am
Leader Candace Williams
269-589-8670

**Monday Night Group
Beginning September 13th**

Study: *Reckless Love*
by Tom Berlin
at Milwood UMC | Lounge
Every Monday at 5:00 pm
Leader: Tracey Hatch 808-7332

**Lunch Bunch
Beginning September 15th**

Study: *Reckless Love*
by Tom Berlin
at Milwood UMC | Cookie Room
Every Thursday at 11:30 am
Leader: Donna Willoughby
269-323-9532



**Rev. Karen's Small Group
Beginning September 14th**

Study: *Reckless Love*
by Tom Berlin
at the Home of the Rice's
3736 Portage Rd Kalamazoo
The 2nd and 4th Tuesday at
6:30pm
Leader Karen Wheat
517-588-9184

**Tangled Yarn
Knitting & Crocheting**

Items for charity
at Milwood UMC | Lounge
Every Tuesday at 6:00 pm
Leader: Sue Commissaris
269-870-0048

Milwood Choirs
JuBELLation Bells | Chancel Choir
at Milwood UMC
Every Wednesday
Bells at 5:30 pm
Chancel at 7:15 pm
Leader: Darlene Sang
269-657-6772

Happy & Free II (NA Meeting)
at Milwood UMC | Lounge
6:30 pm Every Wednesday
Leader: Erich Esposito 381-6720
www.na.org

QUESTIONS? Contact small group coordinator Karen Wheat at
wheatks@aol.com | 517-588-9184

WANTED



VOLUNTEERS

-
- Has a sweet tooth
 - Generous
 - Winning smile
 - Fun-loving
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**TRUNK-OR-TREAT
OCT 31ST**

Church Basement Sale



Gather your gently used items for the basement sale that will take place on Friday, October 15th & Saturday, October 16th. You may drop off your donations starting on Monday, October 11th, through Wednesday, October 13th.

Questions? Want to help? Contact Ruth Breyfogle at 269-349-1258

THE
MILWOOD
SERIES

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Sunday
10 October 2021
3 pm

free admission

PLEASE POST

Patrick Muehleise tenor
with Gunta Laukmane piano