

# Welome

Whether you are a guest or a member, we'd love to connect with you!

Name:

Address:

Email:

Phone:

I am a...

- 1st time guest
- 2nd time guest
- 3+ time guest
- regular attender

Tell me more! Email me...

- Gobin Weekly
- Gobin Newsletter
- Digital Prayer Chain

How can we pray for you?

- For Prayer Team
- For Digital Prayer Chain
- Confidential

## This Week

Please consider using the following resources throughout the week ahead.

### Question for Reflection

The Old Testament "year of jubilee" to which Jesus refers in his first sermon—what some have called his "mission statement"—was a time set aside every fifty years to forgive financial debt and redistribute the land among the people. Why do you think God envisioned a year of jubilee, and what might that look like in our world today?

### Morning Prayer

Holy One, thank you for the gift of this new day. Help me to stay attentive to your creation and mindful of your teachings as I travel through it.

Empower me to see and spread the good news of your grace for all people. Amen.

### Evening Prayer

Holy One, thank you for the gift of today. Thank you for all the ways that I saw your glory and learned your teachings, beyond speech and words, in the course of this day.

As I drift to sleep this night, draw me closer to you, my rock and my redeemer. Amen.

### Next Week's Scriptures

#### Monday, January 28, 2019:

Psalm 119:89-96; Jeremiah 36:1-10;  
1 Corinthians 14:1-12

#### Tuesday, January 29, 2019:

Psalm 119:89-96; Jeremiah 36:11-26;  
2 Corinthians 7:2-12

#### Wednesday, January 30, 2019:

Psalm 119:89-96; Jeremiah 36:27-32;  
Luke 4:38-44

#### Thursday, January 31, 2019:

Psalm 71:1-6; 2 Chronicles 34:1-7; Acts 10:44-48

#### Friday, February 1, 2019:

Psalm 71:1-6; 2 Chronicles 35:20-27;  
Acts 19:1-10

#### Saturday, February 2, 2019:

Psalm 71:1-6; 2 Chronicles 36:11-21;  
John 1:43-51

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Update your info for 2019!

It's a new year, and maybe you have some new info you'd like to share with us! Even if you've shared with us before, would you please take a moment to fill out a form (located on the hospitality table) just so we make sure our records are up-to-date for our new church directory! Just drop the paper in the offering plate or the church office. You can also update your information online:

<https://goo.gl/forms/Jbftvlt7f24SmET02>

### RESPOND

#### Mission and Justice Summit

March 9, 2019 \* 8:30 am - 3:30 pm

Grace United Methodist Church, Franklin IN

The Mission and Justice Summit is an exciting opportunity for United Methodists from across Indiana to gather, learn, and share about mission and service opportunities. During the Summit, participants will discover new ways to become more missional and to share what their churches are doing to impact their communities.

### MASSENET'S CINDERELLA

*Come out and see some of our Depauw students!!*

Presented by the School of Music, DePauw Opera tickets are \$10 for general admission and free for seniors, students, and youths.

Thurs-Sat, Feb. 7-9, 2019 • 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, Feb. 10, 2019 • 2 p.m.

### Thank you!

Your offering last week empowered ministry within our congregation and in response to the needs of our community. It also supported the work of our General Commission on General Conference, which has responsibility for the planning required for bringing together more than 2,000 people (860 delegates, plus alternates, press, and visitors) in St. Louis, MO, in February for a historic Special Session of General Conference. Our connectional giving means that this meeting can be a global gathering with representation from wealthy countries and poor countries, bringing all voices to the discussion. This ministry happens, thanks to the way the people of The United Methodist Church live and give connectionally. I invite you to give generously, as we worship God through sharing our gifts, tithes, and offerings.

We invite you to learn more about the work of 2019 Special General Conference at <http://www.umc.org/topics/general-conference-2019-special-session>.



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THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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## January 27, 2019

### Mission:

To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

### Vision:

To create a spiritual community that is full of life by honestly sharing our whole selves with one another in relationship.

# "Being Needy"

Third Sunday after Epiphany

January 27, 2019

## We Gather

### Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Bryan Langdoc

### Prelude

Steve Snyder

### Call to Worship

Suzanne Funk

One: What would God have us do?

**All: What gifts do we have that can serve God?**

One: Lord, guide our lives and our service.

**All: Lord, call us to ministries of hope and promise.**

One: Help us, O Lord, to look beyond words.

**All: Help us, O Lord, to see ways of service.**

One: Open our hearts and our spirits this day to receive your guidance.

**All: Help us to be those people who will bring good news to those in darkness and doubt.**

One: Come, let us worship God with thanksgiving for gifts of ministry.

**All: Let us praise God with joyful hearts for opportunities to serve. AMEN.**

### Opening Prayer

Suzanne Funk

**All: Leading and Guiding God,**

**you have opened the doors to us for true service.**

**We are encouraged to become involved in ministries of peace and justice. The light of promise is reflected in your Spirit which rests in each one of us. Get us ready to serve you.**

**Guide our lives, as we learn more of what you would have us do.**

**AMEN.**

### Opening Hymn

"Many Gifts, One Spirit"

UMH #114

### Confession and Pardon

One: In the light of Christ,

we see the darkness of our world and of our hearts.

Trusting in God's saving love,

let us confess our sin.

**All: Ever present One,**

**you call us to be your presence,**

**your body in this world,**

**but too often we get caught up**

**in being a hand or a foot,**

**and lose sight of the overarching mission**

**you set before us.**

**We fracture into pieces.**

**We go our separate ways,**

**forgetting we need each other to be whole.**

**You have given us your law to be our guide,**

**but we turn our backs**

**on what we see as rules and restrictions,**

**fearful that we will not live up to your expectations.**

**Help us see with new eyes,**

**and hear with the ears of our heart,**

**the liberating spirit of the law**

**that strengthens and revives and enables us**

**to be and do all you call us to be and do.**

**O God of liberation and justice,**

**help us be faithful witnesses**

**to your law of love and unity. Amen.**

One: The Spirit of God is upon us.

God has called us to bring good news and liberation

to the poor, to the marginalized,

and to all who are in need anywhere.

God's joy is our strength.

Through God we can do all things.

God's Spirit surrounds us with forgiveness and love.

### Sharing the Peace of Christ

## We Proclaim

### Prayer for Illumination

Suzanne Funk

### First Reading

1 Corinthians 12: 12-31

Suzanne Funk

### Gospel Reading

Luke 4: 14-21

Suzanne Funk

### Come as a Child

Anita Edenfield

### Sermon

"Being Needy"

Rev. Bryan Langdoc

### Prayers of the People & Lord's Prayer

Lisa Trigg

## We Respond

### Invitation to the Offering

Rev. Bryan Langdoc

### Offertory

Gobin Choir

## We Respond

### Doxology

UMH #95

### Prayer of Thanksgiving

Rev. Bryan Langdoc

## Sending Forth

**Closing Hymn** "They'll Know We Are Christians By Our Love" *see screen*

### Charge and Blessing

Rev. Bryan Langdoc

### Postlude

Steve Snyder

\*Acolytes:

Katherine Kempf & Angel Rasner

### This Week's Scriptures

You can read along with this week's scripture readings online by going to

[gobinumc.org/this-weeks-scripture/](http://gobinumc.org/this-weeks-scripture/)

## Gobin Memorial United Methodist Church

### Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday: 8:30am - 2:30pm

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## Our Worship Schedule

**Sunday School:** 9:30am

**Sunday Morning Worship:** 10:30am

**Wednesday Morning Prayer:** 8:30am

## Children & Nursery

We love it when children stay to join us in worship! The Pray Ground is available for children that remain in the sanctuary during the worship service.

Liturgy boxes are located near the South entrance and are available for children to use and participate in the worship service.

In addition, staffed nursery is available for children ages 4 & under in Wesley Hall

## Online Giving

You can make donations to Gobin online at [www.gobinumc.org](http://www.gobinumc.org) under the Generosity tab.

You can also text to give! Text GOBIN + TITHE + your amount to 73256 to give using your text messaging (**Ex: GOBIN TITHE \$10**). Standard text message rates do apply.

You can also scan the QR code below with your smart phone to give!



**We're glad you could join us!**

Here are 3 ways for you to get connected to our church.

*I'm interested in...*

Please mark below

## CONNECT

- Explore Membership at Gobin
- Coffee with the Pastor
- Help with sound and media
- Coffee ministry Sunday mornings
- Prepare the sanctuary for worship
- Participate in a grief support group

## GROW

- Explore my spiritual gifts
- Explore lay pastoral care ministry
- Experience financial freedom
- Learn more about baptism
- College small group

## SERVE

- Provide transportation
- Meal set up for Circles
- Childcare for outreach ministries
- Prayground Pilgrim
- Help in the nursery
- Tidy the sanctuary after worship