Faith & Oregon Community United Methodist Churches



March 29, 2020 at 10:30 AM – Fifth Sunday in Lent

ELCOME FRIENDS: We gather together to worship God: Father, Son, & Holy Spirit. You are welcome in this sacred space no matter who you are; from where you have come; or what experiences, struggles, questions or gifts you bring. You are beloved by God & us! You are invited to travel with us over the 40 Days of Lent as we explore God's abundant grace, as we prepare for Holy Week and Easter.

GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS A TIME FOR CENTERING & PRAYER

Pastor Jason

So that we can track attendance, please sign into the Online Facebook Video Stream by Reacting (a Like or Love), by posting a comment in the Facebook Stream, or by sending us an email (to JBPerkowski@gmail.com) letting us know that you watched the video--and including the first and last names (of all who watched with you) and the dates that you logged in to watch a message.

CALL TO WORSHIP From Isaiah 43:1-2 Pastor Jason & God's People

But now, this is what the LORD says—he who created you, Jacob, he who formed you, Israel: "Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; **Thank you God for redeeming your people!** I have summoned you by name; you are mine. **Thank you God for knowing our names!** When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and when you pass through the rivers, they will not sweep over you. **Thank you God for protecting us from floods and fears!** When you walk through the fire, you will not be burned; the flames will not set you ablaze. **Thank you God or protecting us from fires, flames, and fears! Amen!**

PASSING OF THE PEACE May the Peace of Christ Be with You...and also with you.

PRAISE SONG He Is Able / Bigger Than Any Mountain

CHILDREN'S TIME Pastor Jason

HYMN Precious Lord, Take My Hand UMH #474

SCRIPTURE LESSON Romans 8:18-30

This is the Word of the Lord — Thanks be to God!

THE PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE THE LORD'S PRAYER

Pastor Jason & God's People UMH #895 SCRIPTURE LESSON

Romans 8:31-39

This is the Word of the Lord — Thanks be to God!

SERMON Hope in Christ Pastor Jason

*BENEDICTION
*HYMN Through It All UMH #507

OFFERING TITHES & GIFTS TO THE LORD

We ask that if you are still earning income during this time of the COVID-19 Crisis that you consider donating to the ministries of our churches. If you are facing economic uncertainties we understand that you may not be able to give at this time—and we encourage you to let us know if there are ways that we can help you. You can mail your gifts to the church, give online via the "Online Giving" Button, or you can have you your bank send your donations.

JUNIOR CHURCH ZOOM SESSION AT 11:30 AM

Kids up to 4th Grade are invited to join the Junior Church Zoom Session online with Julie Hassara after this morning's worship. You can connect and see the teacher and other students. We are also sending out the weekly activity pages by email. If you are interested and didn't already receive an email please email us at the church office (faithumc@hotmail.com).

Join Zoom Meeting: https://us04web.zoom.us/j/484986057 Meeting ID: 484 986 057

YOUTH GROUP ZOOM SESSION AT 5PM

If you want to join or have tech problems, contact Pastor Jason at jbperkowski@gmail.com
Join Zoom Meeting: https://us04web.zoom.us/j/421338708
Meeting ID: 421 338 708

PASTORAL ENCOURAGEMENT & SUNDAY SERVICES

Each Sunday until it is safe to meet in person, we will have church online via Facebook Live at 10:30AM. You can also see almost daily videos of encouragement from Pastor Jason via Facebook – publicly available whether you have Facebook or not. You can click through to all of those links on the "Sermons" Page at FaithUMC.US. Feel free to share them with others as well. Please let us know if you need help accessing those links.

Worship Team Director: Phil Buchanan; Instrumentalists: Dolly Bankert Haar, Liz Hornberger, Brian Kohler, Nick Margerum & the Faith Singers

Audio / Visual Technology: Dennis Meck, Sr.

Pastor: The Rev. Jason Perkowski **Ministers:** The People of God