



Faith Global Methodist Church

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8:00 AM

Worship Leader- Ray Deem
Pianist- Alyssa Wells
Hymn Leader- Bud Robinson
Acolyte- Gianna Canzano
Greeter- Mark & Nancy Murtland

10:30 AM

Worship Leader – Bonnie Kocon
Pianist- Holly Kwaczala
Hymn Leader- Bud Robinson
Acolyte- Nick Popovich & Alex Patrick
Greeter- Patty & Howard Thomas

Twenty-Third Sunday of Pentecost November 16, 2025

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*indicates the congregation may stand.

PRELUDE	8:00	"Come Thour Fount of Every Blessing"	Arranged by Traci S. Law
	10:30	"He Has Made Me Glad"	Children of Faith

*CALL TO WORSHIP

(Based on Psalm 98)

Leader: O sing to the Lord a new song, for he has done marvelous things.

People: His right hand and his holy arm have gotten him victory.

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth;

People: break forth into joyous song and sing praises.

*OPENING HYMN

"Now Thank We All Our God"

(OGRP Hymnal) #84

1. *Now thank we all our God, with heart and hands and voices,
who wondrous things has done, in whom this world rejoices;
who from our mother's arms has blessed us on our way
with countless gifts of love, and still is ours today.*

2. *O may this bounteous God through all our life be near us,
with ever joyful hearts and blessed peace to cheer us;
and keep us still in grace, and guide us when perplexed;
and free us from all ills, in this world and the next.*

3. *All praise and thanks to God the Father now be given;
the Son, and Him who reigns with Them in highest heaven;
the one eternal God, whom earth and heaven adore;
for thus it was, is now, and shall be ever more.*

OPENING PRAYER (In Unison)

God, our God, you hear our cry and listen to our prayer. Grant that we may know that our redeemer lives and, trusting in you, be confident that we will not be lost or forgotten. We ask this in the name of Jesus the Lord. Amen.

Leader: This is the Word of God! For the people of God!

People: Thanks be to God!

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER (In Unison)

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 ANTHEM

“ A Celtic Thanksgiving”

Music by Joseph M. Martin,

Celloist - Carrie Bortz, Flutist - Melissa Kalmar

RECEIVING OF NEW MEMBERS

Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Through the Sacrament of Baptism, we are initiated into Christ's holy church. We are incorporated into God's mighty acts of salvation and given new birth through water and the spirit. All this is God's gift, offered to us without price.

Through confirmation, and through the reaffirmation of our faith, we renew the covenant declared at our baptism, acknowledge what God is doing for us, and affirm our commitment to Christ's holy church.

Pastor addresses the Candidates

On behalf of the whole church, I ask you:

Do you renounce the spiritual forces of wickedness, reject the evil powers of this world, and repent of your sins?

I do.

Do you accept the freedom and power God gives you to resist evil, injustice and oppression in whatever forms they present themselves?

I do.

Do you confess Jesus Christ as your Savior, put your whole trust in his grace, and promise to serve him as your Lord, in union with the church which Christ has opened to people of all ages, nations, and races?

I do.

As members of Christ's universal church, will you be loyal to Christ through the Global Methodist Church, and do all in your power to strengthen its ministries?

I will.

As members of this congregation, Faith Global Methodist Church of Delmont, will you faithfully participate in its ministries by your prayers, your presence, your gifts, your service, and your witness?

I will.

Pastor addresses Congregation:

Do you, as Christ’s body, the Church, reaffirm both your rejection of sin and your commitment to Christ?

We do.

Let us pray.

Peter Osselburn	Sheila Osselburn
Jay McIntyre	Linda McIntyre
Robert Babb	Sylvia Babb
Darin Pease	Erica Pease
Timothy Pease	Janet Graham
Jeff Schroder	Charlene Schroder

* DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

*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.*

(OGRP Hymnal) No. 682

*PRESENTATION OF GIFTS

(Offering plates will NOT be passed)

*OFFERTORY PRAYER (In Unison)

Gracious God, we stand before you today with open hearts, offering our gifts in the midst of a world that is often troubled and uncertain. Just as you have promised that not even a hair on our heads will be lost, we trust in your faithfulness. May these offerings be a symbol of our commitment to remain steadfast, to endure in faith, and to trust you in times of trial. Strengthen us for the journey ahead, knowing that in all things, you are with us. We offer these gifts in the name of Christ, our hope. Amen.

HYMN OF PRAISE

Open My Eyes, That I May See”

*1. Open my eyes, that I may see glimpses of truth Thou hast for me;
place in my hands the wonderful key, that shall unclasp and set me free.
Silently now I wait for Thee, ready, my God, Thy will to see;
open my eyes, illumine me, Spirit divine!*

*2. Open my ears, that I may hear voices of truth Thou sendest clear;
and while the wave-notes fall on my ear, ev’rything false will disappear.
Silently now I wait for Thee, ready, my God, Thy will to see;
open my ears, illumine me, Spirit divine!*

*3. Open my mouth, and let it bear gladly the warm truth ev’rywhere;
Open my heart, and let me prepare love with Thy children thus to share.
Silently now I wait for Thee, ready, my God, Thy will to see;
open my heart, illumine me, Spirit divine!*

(OGRP Hymnal) #311

INTRODUCTION TO THE MESSAGE

MESSAGE LESSON

2 Corinthians 9:10-15

(NRSV) Pg. 184

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

MESSAGE

Generosity

(Life of Gratitude series)

*RESPONSE TO THE WORD

The APOSTLES' CREED (In Unison)

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 life everlasting. Amen.

*GLORIA PATRI

Glory Be to the Father

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.

*CLOSING HYMN

“Take My Life and Let it Be Consecrated”

(OGRP Hymnal) #586

(During the hymn, you may bring your gratitude note and place it on the altar, or give it to an usher.)

1. *Take my life and let it be consecrated, Lord, to Thee;
take my hands and let them move
at the impulse of Thy love,
at the impulse of Thy love.*
2. *Take my feet and let them be swift and beautiful for Thee;
take my voice and let me sing
always, only, for my King,
always, only, for my King.*
3. *Take my intellect and use ev'ry pow'r as Thou shall choose;
take my heart, it is Thine own;
it shall be Thy royal throne,
it shall be Thy royal throne.*
4. *Take my love, my God, I pour at Thy feet its treasure store;
take myself and I will be
ever, only, all for Thee,
ever, only, all for Thee.*

*BENEDICTION

Pastor: May you grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

People: To him be the glory both now and to the day of eternity.

Pastor: Go forth to serve the Lord in all that you do.

People: I pledge my life in service to God. Amen.

POSTLUDE

****OUR MEMBER TO REMEMBER** today is Jean Loughry. Please take a few moments to sign the greeting card on the Action Table to wish her God's blessings. **

Prayer List – Faith GMC

(Any requests received after bulletin completion will still be passed on to the Prayer Chain but will be listed in next week's bulletin.)

Prayer request to mention week of November 16th

1. Harry Loughner- UPMC East
2. Richard Bush- Forbes
3. Cliff Kosmatine- home recovering from knee surgery
4. Ron Bartolotta – life flighted to AGH on Saturday for Crohn's Disease. In ICU, needs surgery but has to get stable first.
5. Safe travels to all the pilots and crew who are flying in these difficult times.
6. Joy Spang – good results from MRI on Tuesday
7. Samantha Kelly - suffering from Meniere's Disease
8. Dave Culley (Marcy's son in law) – surgery on Monday for perforated Bowel.
9. Ann and Cliff- Ann recently had and stroke and Cliff has Parkinson's Disease
10. Bucky Horsmon- has brain cancer and is on hospice
11. Vitali Dorosh- Schroder's daughter's father-in-law
12. Katie- in her 90s in the hospital with leg ulcers

Prayer request to mention week of November 9th

1. Sharon- Vanna's grandma- shoulder replacement
2. Ron Weaver- Prayers, he is not responding to treatment
3. Debbie- strength and healing following extensive cancer surgery
4. Jess- Hip replacement

Continued prayers for:

Dick & Natalie Berlin, Dick & Pat Bush, Nick Coppage, Joan Nellis, The White Family, Michael Scoletti, Bill & Mary Weyel, Julie Kovacs, Joey Kasunic, Shirley Fabrizi, Stephanie Taczak, Fred Roach, Bob & Mary Zacharias, Straw Soffronoff, Beth Tyson, Pam Scalf, Jack & Emogene Blair, Martha, Karen, Jean Loughry, John Womer, Linda, Dennis & Gerrilynn Butterfield, Louise Gladkowski, Tracey Albert, Harry Loughner, Judy Magill, Jeff Retter, Beth Muri, Karen Klancia, Alice Burkhart, Ken Thom, Sharon Bronson, John & Polly Negich, Theresa Elvin, April

OPPORTUNITIES IN THE KINGDOM

Sunday, Nov. 16th	8:00 AM	23 rd Sunday after Pentecost Worship Service
	9:00 AM	Coffee Hour and Fellowship Sunday School for all ages
	10:30 AM	23 rd Sunday after Pentecost Worship Service
	11:45 AM	Church Council Meeting
Monday, Nov. 17th	7:00 PM	Bible Study
Tuesday, Nov. 18th	6:30 PM 7:00 PM	Men's Group Finance Meeting
Wednesday, Nov. 19th	9:30 AM 7:00 PM	Fluffing of the Greens Choir Practice
Thursday, Nov. 20th		

Friday, Nov. 21st		
Saturday, Nov. 22nd		
Sunday, Nov. 23rd	8:00 AM	24 th Sunday after Pentecost Worship Service
	9:00 AM	Coffee Hour and Fellowship Sunday School for all ages
	11:45 AM	Hanging of the Greens

FGMC ANNOUNCEMENTS 11.16.25

Pre-ordered pumpkin rolls are available in fellowship hall from 9-11:45 today. Those not picked up today will be placed in the freezer for pick up at your convenience.

*The Assembly of Bishops of the Global Methodist Church have launched a new 8-week video series entitled **Spirit-Filled Methodism**. The 3-minute teachings from our bishops will focus on themes like Spirit-filled holiness, the Spirit's presence in spiritual gifts, and how Spirit-led disciples live and grow in faith -- all within the lens of our Wesleyan heritage. You can find a new message each week on the home page of our Faith GMC website by clicking the "Devotions/Prayers" tab at www.faithdelmont.org or access them directly from the GMC website www.globalmethodist.org.*



If you would like to **order Christmas poinsettias** in honor of or in memory of a loved one please see the action table for an order envelope. Deadline to order is **November 30, 2025**

Order Tabitha Circle **Christmas cookies** at the action table by December 5.

On December 4, 2025, at Noon, we will be having a volunteer appreciation Christmas luncheon. Please sign the sign-up sheet on the action table so we can get a headcount. Christmas comes by once a year, let's get together for some holiday cheer. Staff and volunteers, it's time to celebrate you, as we express our heartfelt gratitude for your dedication and commitment to our church.



Christmas caroling for our shut-in members will be held on Saturday, December 27. Please gather at the church by 5:30 pm; carpooling will be provided. Following the event, participants are invited to return to the church for refreshments and fellowship.

Faith Global Methodist Church "**Spirit Wear**" **t-shirts** are available in blue or black, short or long sleeves. Order forms are on the action table.

Campers! It's not too early to start thinking about summer camp! You can earn campership credits by participating in Hanging of the Greens and the Pilgrimage. Sign up on action table. If you have questions, please contact Stacey Vincle.

PRAYER MINISTRY AT FAITH: Join us on the 1st Saturday of each month from 9:30-10:30 AM in the room off the gathering area. If you feel called to intercessory prayer or if you need prayer, please come. If you have any questions, please contact Carrie at 412-334-0920 or carriebortz@yahoo.com Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Jesus Christ. 1Thes.5:16-1

Receive the Faith Flyer newsletter in your mail. If you are new to our church and would like to receive the monthly Faith Flyer newsletter, reach out to the office so we can get your address in our system.

OUTREACH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Desserts are needed for Delmont's Meals on Wheels. At this time 60 regular desserts and 10 diabetic desserts are needed every Monday, Wednesday and Friday in December. Considering partnering with a friend to make desserts. A sign up sheet is on the action table.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR THE DELMONT PILGRIMAGE...It's not too early to be thinking about the Delmont Pilgrimage in December and how you can help. Additional details are in the October Faith Flyer.

OFFER THE GIFT OF SIGHT: A Lions International collection box is in the gathering area for your used glasses, including sunglasses and reading glasses.



*Christ has no body now but yours. No hands, no feet on earth but yours.
Yours are the eyes through which he looks compassion on this world.
Yours are the feet with which he walks to do good.
Yours are the hands through which he blesses all the world.
Yours are the hands, yours are the feet, yours are the eyes, you are his body.
Christ has no body on earth but yours.” Teresa of Avila –*

In-person attendance week ending 11/9/2025 = 166			
Tithes, offerings, and gifts received for the week ending 11/9/2025			
OUR GIVING IS A REFLECTION OF OUR COMMITMENT TO JESUS CHRIST!			
2025 Annual Operating Budget: \$371,285.85			
NEED EACH WEEK	\$ 7,140.11	NEED TO DATE	\$ 321,304.90
RECEIVED 11/9/25	\$ 6,447.00	RECEIVED TO DATE	\$393,008.15
(-)SHORTAGE/(+)SURPLUS + \$ 71,703.25			
CAMPERSHIP GOAL 7/1/2025-6/30/2026:			\$ 10,000.00
Balance as of October 31, 2025			\$ 9,190.03



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