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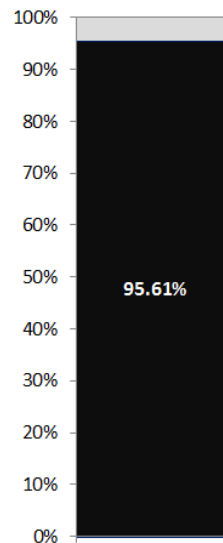
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8:30 AM Order of Service
February 10, 2019

Prelude		Fay Bunes, <i>piano</i>
Welcome & Announcements		Patti Agnew
Introit	<i>"The King of Love My Shepherd Is" arr. Carter</i>	Fay Bunes, <i>piano</i>
Sharing the Sign of Peace		
Hymn	<i>Lift Every Voice and Sing</i>	#519 (v. 1, 3) Red Hymnal
Prayer		Roger Stone
	Unison Prayer (See back page or screen)	
	Lord's Prayer	
	Response	<i>Where the Spirit of the Lord Is</i> #2119 Black Hymnal
Offering		Patti Agnew
	Offertory	<i>"Gabriel's Oboe," by Ennio Morricone</i> Ellie Parker, <i>violin</i> Fay Bunes, <i>piano</i>
	Response	<i>Praise God</i> #95 Red Hymnal
Hymn	<i>Make Me A Channel of Your Peace</i>	#2171 Black Hymnal
Scripture	Acts 9:1-31 NIV	Patti Agnew
Sermon	What was I scared of?	Patti Agnew
Communion		Patti Agnew
Special Music	<i>"Presto" from Sonata I by J. S. Bach</i>	Ellie Parker, <i>violin</i>
Hymn	<i>Together We Serve</i>	#2175 Black Hymnal
Benediction		Patti Agnew
Postlude		Fay Bunes, <i>piano</i>

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CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Let silent tongues find a new voice,

People: Let words arise from a deep place,

L: For our God is an awesome God,

P: Who sees the poor and forgotten,

L: Who notices the homeless and cares for the hungry,

P: Who aches at the harm done to one another and the earth.

L: Let us speak out for justice,

P: Keeping the flame of compassion burning,

L: Let us sing out a hopeful song,

P: Our deeds matching our chorus.

L: Let our voices soar in praise,

P: Singing in the midst of troubles, singing because we trust God's Spirit.

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Welcome to Covenant United Methodist Church *A Christian community in Helena, Montana - the Land of the Sleeping Giant - growing in spirit and service.*

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Prelude		Donna Turcott
Welcome & Announcements		Jim Fishburn
Introit		Covenant Bells
Greeting		
Hymn	<i>In the Midst of New Dimensions</i>	#2238 (v. 1-3) Black Hymnal
Call to Worship		Jim Fishburn
Children's Time	<i>Come and See</i>	#2127 Black Hymnal
Special Music		Covenant Bells
Celebrations & Concerns		Jim Fishburn
Unison Prayer (back of bulletin)		
Morning Prayer		
Lord's Prayer		#895 Red Hymnal
Amen		#898 Red Hymnal
Hymn	<i>O God of Every Nation</i>	#435 Red Hymnal
Scripture	Acts 10:34-43, Mark 7:24-31	Jim Fishburn
Sermon	Expanding the Circle	Terry Turner
Service of Self Giving/Offering		
Offertory		Donna Turcott
Response	<i>Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow</i>	#94 Red Hymnal
Prayer of Dedication		
Hymn	<i>Be Thou My Vision</i>	#451 Red Hymnal
Benediction		Terry Turner
Carrying Out the Light of Christ		
L: This morning we have been filled with the Light of Christ.		
P: Now we carry the Light of Christ out into the world.		
Postlude		Donna Turcott

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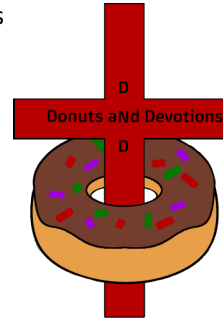
- **LAURIE'S BOOK CLUB** Looking for a new book to read? Join us each month for Laurie's Book Club. We read a book a month! On the last Monday of each month from **7-8:30 PM**, we gather and discuss the book and enjoy snacks! February's book is *Becoming* by Michelle Obama. (Drop By)
- **WINTER BOOK DISCUSSION** Please join us **Wednesdays** at **6:30 PM** in the Fireside Room of SWP. We are reading *Hotel at the Corner of Bitter and Sweet* by Jamie Ford. Henry, a Chinese American, was born in the United States. He is devastated after his wife's death and remembers his elementary friendship with Keiko. The novel flashes back and forward through Henry's life and his hope of meeting Keiko again. **(In Depth)**

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

- **WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNERS** Wednesday Night Dinner this week will be hosted by The Helena Dragon Boat Teams to raise money for the purchase of a new boat. They will be serving chili, corn chowder and chocolate! Dinner is served from 5:30 until shortly after 6 PM in St. Paul's Fellowship Hall. Cost of the dinner is \$4-5 for adults and \$2-3 for children. Please mark the Presence Form if you plan on attending.
- **LIVESTREAM** We need volunteers to run the camera during the 11:00 St. Paul service for our Livestream. It is not difficult and we will train you. If you could help out one or two Sundays a month, please sign up on the Presence Form or e-mail Pastor Sami at spacktoner@stpaulshelena.org
- **FELLOWSHIP HOST** A Fellowship Host is needed for the 11 AM service every **5th Sunday!** In 2019 those dates are: March 31, June 30, September 29, and December 29. Please contact the office or sign up on the Presence Form if you'd like to volunteer for this service!
- **SECURITY AND SAFETY TASK FORCE** We need 4-5 people to help us create emergency procedures and a security plan. We can get this initial work completed in the next 3-4 months. If you would like to help, please contact Pastor Patti.

YOUTH GROUP

- **DONUTS & DEVOTIONS** Sundays between services from 9:45—10:45 AM in the Youth Room. (SWP 208)
- **WEDNESDAY NIGHT YOUTH** Every Wednesday evening, from 6:15-8:15 PM in the Youth Room (SWP 208) We will study, play games, and have as much silliness as we can fit into one evening!



COVENANT HAPPENINGS

- **CHURCH CONFERENCE** will be held **today, Sunday, February 10th** following worship for the purpose of approving our 2019 budget.
- **COMFORT FOOD CHALLENGE** Covenant will be participating in the Comfort Food Challenge **today, February 10**. Volunteers are needed today to help serve our dish, Strawberry Pretzel Salad. Interested volunteers may contact Jacquie Haney at 503-880-3431.
- **UMW SOUP & PIE LUNCHEON** for the Helena community. Join us **Saturday, March 2 from 11 AM-2 PM** at Covenant UMC Fellowship Hall. Bring yourself, bring your friends, bring your appetite! This fundraiser supports the Mission Giving of the United Methodist Women to women and children.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY AT ST. PAUL'S

- **SUNDAY NURSERY. 8:30-9:30 AM and 10:45 AM-noon** in room 106 of Susanna's Place. Phyllis Michelson and volunteers offer play and nurture for your young children.
- **PROMISELAND** Children are invited to join our Sunday School classes from **9:45-10:45 AM** in Susanna's Place. **Classroom locations are:**
3+4 year olds: Rm 105 **K+1st grade:** Rm 201
2nd +3rd graders: Rm 203 **4th +5th graders:** Rm 209
- **KIDSWORD BAGS.** Ask a greeter for an activity bag for your child during worship.
- **GODLY PLAY** is directly **after Children's Time at the 11 AM** service for children in pre-K - 5th grade. Adults, bring your children to Susanna's Place, rooms 201 and 203 for interactive Bible stories and activities! Please pick your children up right after church at that location.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY AT COVENANT

- **SUNDAY SCHOOL** Kindergarten - 5th grade can join Sunday School following Children's Time during the service. We meet in Classroom 1 on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of each month. Join us today!
- **CHILDREN** are welcome in worship. Nursery is provided every Sunday from 9:45 – 11:15 AM for children 5 and under. All are invited to join us for Fellowship directly following the service.

ST. PAUL HAPPENINGS

- **TREAT GIVERS NEEDED** Cindy Baril has stepped up as Fellowship treat coordinator for St. Paul's since Sue Northup's passing. Please sign up as a treat giver of baked goods, fruit, or cheese and crackers and indicate which Sunday you can contribute. Thank you for considering this participation in St. Paul's famous hospitality!
- **VALENTINE'S LUNCHEON** Caring Ministries, the Hospitality Team, and UMW are hosting a Valentine's Day Luncheon for folks who have lost a partner or significant other. We will be serving lunch in St. Paul's Fellowship Hall on **February 14 at 11:30 AM**. Please mark the presence form if you plan on attending. We would love to have each and everyone of you join us!
- **UMW INDOOR YARD SALE** Please clean your cupboards and store rooms for items (no clothing please) for us to sell at the Indoor Yard Sale at St. Paul's on **March 22 and 23**. If you are not able to store your donations until March 21st call Cindy Baril for pickup. (438-1002)
- **BULLETIN/NEWSLETTER FOLDERS** We are in need of some new members to help fold bulletins every Friday at 10 AM and help with newsletter folding at the end of each month. Please e-mail or call the office if you are interested!
- **BUILDING TEAM** We are forming a team to work for the next 3-6 months on assessing each building on our campus, creating a prioritized list of repair/improvement projects, and determining what needs we may have for a potential future building. If you are interested in this, please contact Pastor Patti.

IN OUR COMMUNITY

- **FOOD SHARE** is in need of a little extra help. Any non perishable items are welcome but they are currently looking for peanut butter, hearty meat soups, canned fruit, canned tuna, cereal, canned vegetables. Please drop donations off at the office to help those being affected during this time.

COMING SOON

- **BODY PSALMS** This 6-week class is wrapped around some of Tim Holmes' award-winning short films. The class focuses on current devaluation of the body as akin to climate change, a world problem that, regardless of whether we ignore it or face it, will increasingly affect our lives. Tim has taught this class around the nation and now brings it home. **Tuesday February 12 through March 19, 7:30 to 9:00 PM at the Myrna Loy.**
- **EMMAUS** On **Saturday, February 23**, the Walk to Emmaus Gathering will include the same great fellowship, songs and reflection time. The Gathering is from **noon – 2 PM at St. Paul's UMC**. We will begin in the Sanctuary for a service and commissioning of our Women's and Men's Teams for the upcoming Emmaus weekends and then meet in the Fellowship Hall for a potluck lunch. Come to fill your cup and lift up our 2019 teams. The Walk is an ecumenical 72-hour spiritual retreat held in the spring of each year at St. Paul's UMC. The "Walk" is a simple metaphor referring to your spiritual journey – your walk with God. During the weekend, many songs are sung, stories are told, meals are shared and lives can be changed. The Women's Walk weekend is **February 28 -March 3**. The Men's is **March 14-17**. If you would like to know more about these weekends or sign up go to helenaemmaus.org or email helenaemmaus@gmail.com.

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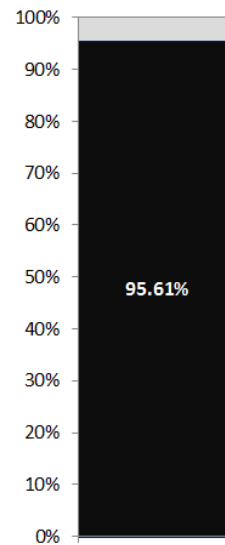
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