

WAUPUN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Waupun, WI



*The LORD is
my light and
my salvation;
whom shall I fear?*

PSALM 27:1, NRSV

March 13, 2022

Sunday worship – 9:00 a.m.

Welcome to worship.

May you find the presence of God wherever you are.

At the * sign, please stand as you are able.
Bold print = Congregational response

Prelude

Words of Welcome

Musical Call to Worship

***Call to Worship**

based on Psalm 27

The LORD is my light and my salvation – **whom shall I fear?**

Through storms and peril, danger and strife –

The LORD is the stronghold of my life – of whom shall I be afraid?

Through darkness and torment, tears and pain –

The LORD is my light and my salvation – whom shall I fear?

Through uncertainty and confusion, sorrow and loss –

The LORD is the stronghold of my life – of whom shall I be afraid?

***Opening Song**

Red #140
on screen/supplement

“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

***Opening Prayer**

Prayer of Confession

Eternal God, we are sometimes quick to join Abram’s doubt and impatience, and find it difficult to copy Abram’s faith and trust. We want to believe Your promises, but the here-and-now problems of daily life consume our focus and erode our faith. Open our eyes to your light. Open our hearts to Your love. Open our minds to Your possibilities. Speak to us today, O God, and strengthen our faith, that we, too, may know the everlasting power of Your love.

(Pause for a moment of reflection.)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

In Christ we are forgiven and made new. Let us place our trust in God’s promise of new and abundant life. **Amen.**

Children’s Message

“How Many?”

Bible Reading

on screen/supplement

Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18

Pastor’s Message

“God of the Snowflakes”

Tithes and Offerings

***Song of Thanksgiving “Give Thanks” Black #2036**

**Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy One,
give thanks, because he’s given Jesus Christ his Son. (Repeat)**

**And now let the weak say, “I am strong”.
let the poor say, “I am rich,
because of what the Lord has done for us.” (Repeat)**

Give thanks! Give thanks!

Prayers of the People

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer

Announcements

***Closing Hymn**

**Red #451
on screen/supplement**

“Be Thou My Vision”

***Blessing**

The LORD, who in mercy, forgives the past, and in hope sends us into the future, now grants us the assurance of His abiding presence. Go in peace, and the blessing of God the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit go with you. **Amen.**

Today's Worship Ministers:	All of us – wherever we are
Tech Operators:	Ken Brown and Emily Brown
Pianist:	Sue Rens Guell
Pastor/Worship Leader:	Steve Miller
Counters:	Jeanne Ludjack and Deb White

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Monday, March 14: Worship Committee – 6:15

Tuesday, March 15: Elizabeth Circle – 1:30

Wednesday, March 16: Lenten Study: The Lord's Prayer – 6:00
Choir rehearsal – 7:00

Thursday, March 17: Dream Team - 5:30

Friday, March 18: Café Friday 9 – 11 am

INTENSIVE PRAYER CONCERNS

Jean Bartlett Bob Bradley Paula Wendt Ray Dolgner
Pastor Rom Pegram Mike Duer Sam Schrader Ryan Giese Marge Schrader
David Schrader, son of Susan Mason, grandson of Susan Schrader
Those impacted by the coronavirus

Remember our homebound:

At Home: Doris Laurain (in Indiana)
Christian Home: Louise Miescke
Hillside Manor: Joyce Berry, Dick Walters
Marvin's Manor: Viola McRobert
Prairie Place, Ripon: Elaine Stanton
Prairie Ridge: June Witowich, Phyllis McDowell, Alice Chase
St. Francis' Home, FdL: Janette Ruck

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