

YOUTH SUNDAY
**OPEN THE EYES
OF MY HEART**



First United Methodist Church of Gilbert

Serving, Giving, Welcoming, Growing in the likeness of Christ

March 29, 2020
YOUTH SUNDAY

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Welcome!

Facebook live streaming will begin at 9:15 am • Service begins at 9:30 am
Please fill out the online attendance card and share your comments and prayers!

Ringing of the Bell

Opening Song "He Has Made Me Glad" [2x] #2270
UMC The Faith We Sing #2270 Words and Music by Leona Von Brethorst © 1976 Marantha Praise

Welcome and *Greeting Pastor Diamond

Prelude "Jesus Saves/We Have Heard the Joyful Sound"
Kirkpatrick/arr. Jones

Bringing in the Light of Christ

***Call to Worship** © B.J. Beu Youth

Leader: Our lives feel all disjointed as though they were
a valley of dry bones.

**People: But the Spirit of God will bring connection and
continuity to our lives.**

Leader: The Spirit of God breathes hope into each one of us.

People: The Spirit of God challenges us to be people of faith.

Leader: Open our hearts, Lord, and bring us to your light.

**All: Open our lives, Lord, and break us free from doubt and fear. **

***Opening Hymn** "I Sing the Almighty Power of God " vs. 1-3 #152
UMC Hymnal #152 Words: Watts 1715 Music: traditional English melody, arr. Williams 1906

Opening Prayer © B.J. Beu Youth

**Healing and Empowering God, we are sometimes so sure that things
will not work out, we doubt even your ability to put things right in our
lives. We lack such faith. But Jesus came to show us that our most
dreaded enemy—death—can be overcome by faith. Heal our doubts
and our longings for assurance and give us spirits of trust and hope.
In Jesus' Name, we pray. Amen.**

Anthem "Be Thou My Vision" Chancel Choir
arr. by Mark Hayes © 2011 Beckenhorst Press

Children's Moment Youth

Scripture Readings Psalm 130 | Ezekiel 37:1-10 Youth
Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God;
All: **Thanks be to God!**

Song of Praise "Give Me Your Eyes" Praise Band
by Brandon Heath © 2007 Peertunes, Ltd

Message Ron Mason and Sarah Butler

Hymn of Response "Open the Eyes of My Heart" Praise Band and Choir
by Michael W. Smith © 1997 Integrity's Hosanna! Music

Prayers

The Lord's Prayer

The Offering

Offertory "The Galilean" *by Stephen Adams*

***Presentation of the Offering** "Praise God, from whom all Blessings Flow" #95
UMC Hymnal #95 Thomas Ken (1674)

***Offertory Prayer (In Unison)** © B.J. Beu

Holy God, you sent your Son into the world, that we might set our minds on life and peace, rather than dwelling on earthly things. Receive this offering, that it may go forth to continue the work of Christ, who brings fullness of life. May our gifts be a source of light in a world that has learned to love the darkness. Amen.

Closing Hymn "I'll Fly Away" vs. 1-3
by Albert E Brumley © 1932 Resurrection, Eternal Life, Heaven and © 1932, 1960 Hartford Music Company

Blessing

Join us next week for ONLINE Holy Week Worship services:

Palm/Passion Sunday
HOLY WEEK WORSHIP SERIES
APRIL 5 • 9:30 AM • ONLINE



Maundy Thursday
HOLY WEEK WORSHIP SERIES
APRIL 9 • 7:00 PM • ONLINE




Good Friday
HOLY WEEK WORSHIP SERIES
APRIL 10 • 7:00 PM • ONLINE



CLERGY: Pastor Rick Casebolt and Pastor Diamond Pate
MUSIC DIRECTOR: Randy Van Der Pol ORGANIST: Jeffrey Hendrickson

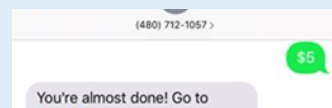
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- Create an account
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- Example: \$25



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