

First United Methodist Church of Gilbert

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

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Welcome!

Facebook live streaming will begin at 9:25 am • Service begins at 9:30 am

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Welcome and Greeting

Pastor Diamond

Bringing in the Light of Christ

Prelude

"Great Redeemer" WORDS: John Roy Harris MUSIC: Paolo Conte

Call to Worship ©Mary Scifres

Patti and David Baker

Leader: Rejoice and sing to God. **People: We sing of the Risen Christ.**

Leader: Clap your hands and shout with joy.

People: We rejoice in the living God.

Leader: Celebrate this day.

All: We celebrate with the Spirit who calls us here.

Opening Hymn
UM Hymnal #396"O Jesus, I Have Promised" vs. 1-4
WORDS: Johne E. Bode, ca. 1866#396MUSIC: Arthur H. Mann 1881

Opening Prayer © Mary Scifres

Holy God, we celebrate your presence this day.
For the gift of resurrection, we give you thanks and praise.
For the gift of your ongoing presence in our lives, we rejoice and sing.
Overwhelm us with your presence here, that we might be overwhelmed with joy.
In joyous gratitude, we pray. Amen.

Special Music "What A Beautiful Name" by Ben Fielding | Brooke Ligertwood ©2016 Hillsong Music Publishing Australia CCLI #7068424

Recognition of Graduates

Scripture Reading Psalm 68 3-10, 32-35 | John 17:1-11

Message

Pastor Rick

Pastoral Prayer The Lord's Prayer

Hymn of Response
UM The Faith We Sing #2016"Glorify Thy Name" vs. 1-3
WORDS and MUSIC: Donna AdkinsTFWS #2016

Offering

Offertory "Glory to God Forever" sung by Jo Goslar Songwriters: Steve Fee / Vicky Beeching © Capitol Christian Music Group CCLI#5384338

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

Offering Prayer John 17:1-11

God of Glory and Majesty, we have seen your glory in Christ, for it shines in our lives through the faithful who have walked with us on this journey. In seeing Christ's glory in them, we have seen you. As we bring our gifts to you, remind us that the world will not see you and your glory unless they see it in each of us. Remind us as we move through each day that all around us are your children who are desperately searching for a glimpse of your holy presence and love. May they see it in us today. In the holy name of Christ, our Savior. Amen.

Closing Hymn	"A Charge to Keep I Have" vs. 1-4	#413
UM Hymnal #413	WORDS: Charles Wesley, 1762 MUSIC: Lowell Mason, 1832	

Blessing

Postlude

"To God Be the Glory" (Reprise) UM Hymnal #98 WORDS: Fanny J. Crosby, 1875 MUSIC: William H. Doane, 1875



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If you have any questions or comments please contact us at connection@gilbertumc.org

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