



## First United Methodist Church of Gilbert

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

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# Welcome!

Services at 8:30 and 10:00 am • See [gilbertumc.org](http://gilbertumc.org) for streaming information  
*\*please stand as you are able*

**Pre-service Music:** "God Will Make a Way" Marilyn Harter  
*by Dan Moen © 1990 Integrity's Hosanna! Music c/o Integrity Music*

## Ringing of the Bell

**Welcome and Greeting** Divina Katching

## Bringing in the Light of Christ

**Prelude** "There's a Quiet Understanding"  
*by Tedd Smith © 1973, Hope Publishing Co.*

**\*Call to Worship** (8:30) Eric Butler (10:00) Charlotte Hazelrigg

Leader: Jesus dwells among us, teaching us to believe in his name.

**People: Let us offer God our thanks.**

Leader: The Holy Spirit dwells among us, guiding us down the paths of life.

**People: Let us offer God our praise.**

Leader: God dwells among us, beckoning us to worship.

**All: Let us offer God our worship.**

**\*Opening Hymn** "He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought" vs. 1, 3, 4 #128  
*UM Hymnal #128 WORDS: Joseph H. Gilmore MUSIC: William B. Bradbury*

## \*Opening Prayer

Loving companion, you give your people visions, allowing us to believe in your words. We come to you today to keep our word, profess our love, and proclaim our faith. Nurture our hearts with your teachings, and nurture our minds with your grace. Amen.

**Anthem** "Here I Am, Lord" The Chancel Choir  
*arr. by Craig Courtney*

## **Graduate Blessing (10:00)**

### **Scripture Reading**

Acts 16:9-15

### **Message**

Pastor Diamond

### **Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer**

### **Song of Response (8:30) "Open Our Eyes, Lord" #2086**

*The Faith We Sing #2086 WORDS and MUSIC: Robert Cull*

### **(10:00) "Here I Am To Worship"**

*CCLI Song # 3266032 Tim Hughes © 2000 Thankyou Music (Capitol CMG Publishing) et al.*

### **Offering**

#### **Offertory**

#### **"Build My Life"**

**The Mutach Family**

*CCLI Song # 7070345 Brett Younker | Karl Martin | Kirby Kaple | Matt Redman | Pat Barrett  
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### **\*Presentation of the Offering "Praise God, from whom all Blessings Flow" #95**

*UMC Hymnal #95 Thomas Ken, 1674*

### **\*Offering Prayer**

Creator and almighty God, from city to city, you continue to bless our lives.  
Wherever we find ourselves, the bounty of your peace meets us there.  
We bring these gifts to you in order to share our bounty, as you have shared  
yours with us. May those who need these gifts find your presence, even as they  
receive what they need. May their paths of faith be lit with your light, as ours  
have been. In your holy name, we pray. Amen.

### **\*Closing Music (8:30) "Take My Life and Let it Be" vs. 1-3 #399**

*UM Hymnal #399 WORDS: Frances R. Havergal MUSIC: Louis J. F. Hérolld; arr. George Kingsley*

### **(10:00) "Lay Me Down"**

*CCLI Song # 6223577 Tomlin | Ingram | Myrin | Redman © 2012 Atlas Mountain Songs (Capitol CMG)*

### **\*Blessing**

#### **Postlude (8:30)**

#### **"Make Me A Blessing"**

*by George Schuler Published by Tabernacle Publishing Company*

Join us next week for Worship!

Acts 16:16-34



*Thank you for joining our services today!*

If you have any questions or comments please contact us at [connection@gilbertumc.org](mailto:connection@gilbertumc.org)

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