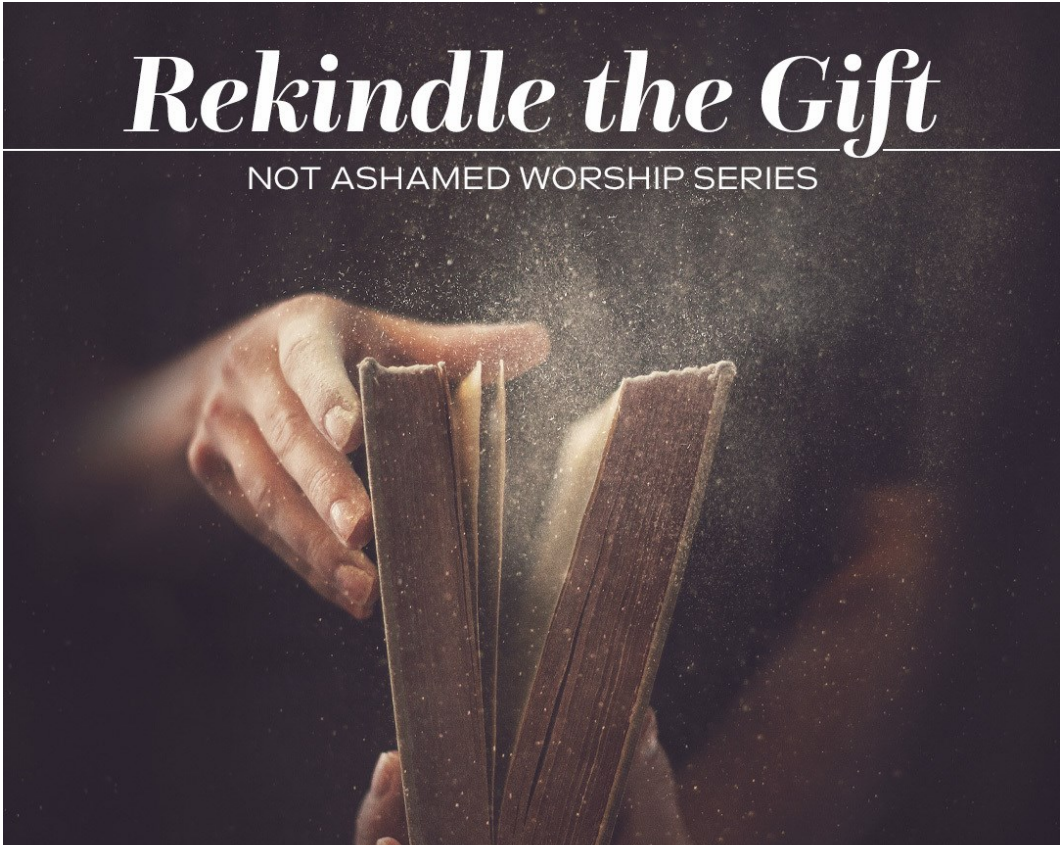


Rekindle the Gift

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

October 2, 2022

WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY

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Welcome!

Services at 8:00 and 9:30 am • See gilbertumc.org for streaming information

**please stand as you are able*

Pre-service Music “He Is Lord/Beautiful Savior”

arr. by David Paxton / arr. by Paul Davis © 1999 Lorenz Publishing

Ringing of the Bell

Welcome and Greeting

Sharon Kotsonas

Bringing in the Light of Christ

Prelude

“Open Our Eyes, Lord”

by Bob Cull © 1976 Maranatha! Music

***Call to Worship**

(8:00) Sean Wyatt (9:30) Cathy Panella

Leader: When we feel spiritually homeless, where can we turn for help?

People: Our help is in the grace of God .

Leader: When we are imprisoned in our suffering,
where can we turn for solace?

People: Our solace is in the mercy of Christ.

Leader: When we are trapped in the grip of misfortune,
where can we turn for strength?

People: Our strength is in the power of the Holy Spirit.

All: Come! Let us worship God, our guide and guardian.

***Opening Hymn** “God of Love and God of Power” vs. 1, 2, 4

#578

UM Hymnal #578 WORDS: Gerald H. Kennedy MUSIC: Joachim Neander

***Opening Prayer**

Spirit of God, enlighten our hearts to the reality of divine presence
in our midst. Let our worship be pleasing in your sight, so that our
gathering is an experience of deep communion with you and one another.
In the name of Jesus Christ, this is our prayer. Amen.

Anthem

“We’ve Come This Far By Faith”

The Chancel Choir

by Albert A. Goodson

Scripture Reading 2 Timothy 1:1-14

Message “Rekindle the Gift” Pastor Adriana Hernandez

Pastoral Prayer

Offering

Offertory “We Will Not Be Shaken”

*CCLI Song # 7029075 Ben Fielding | Bob Hartley | Bobby Strand | Brian Johnson | Chris Greely
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***Doxology** “Praise God, from whom all Blessings Flow” **#95**
UMC Hymnal #95 Thomas Ken

***Offering Prayer**

Gracious and giving God, we bring our tithes and offerings to you this day and pray as we give them that you will kindle in us a deeper faith and a stronger commitment. We acknowledge that some of us have found our way back to you on our own; others of us have lived into a faith that surrounded us from the time we were born, lived out in parents, grandparents, siblings, and spouses. However this faith found its way into our hearts or into our DNA, help us to kindle it to flame, that the world might be set on fire with your love and compassion. In Christ, we pray. Amen.

The Sacrament of Communion

The Lord’s Prayer

Music during Communion “Prayer Of Communion” *arr. by Mary McDonald*

***Prayer after Communion**

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

***Closing Music (8:00)** “I Know Whom I Have Believed” vs. 1, 3, 4 **#714**
UM Hymnal #714 WORDS: Daniel W. Whittle MUSIC: James McGranahan

(9:30) “House of The Lord”

CCLI Song # 7168995 Jonathan Smith | Phil Wickham © 2020 Be Essential Songs (Essential Music) et al.

***Blessing**

Postlude (8:00) “Marche” *by Edward Grieg*

Join us in worship next week!

Luke 17:11-19



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Thank you for joining our services today!

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

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MUSIC DIRECTOR: Randy Van Der Pol ORGANIST: Marilyn Harter

TRUNK *or* TREAT

Monday, October 31

6pm to 8pm



Join us for this free community event. Safe fun for the whole family!

- Trick or treating
- Free hot dogs, chips and water
- Trunk decoration contest
- Music and fun!

Trunks, volunteers, and donations needed!

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