

Tulare United Church
January 31, 2021 10:00am

[Jesus said] "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God
has come near; repent, and believe in the good news."

Mark 1:15

Gathering Music
Welcome

Tammy Nowell, piano
Pastor Lorah

Call to Worship

Cry of My Heart **

Tammy Nowell

One: Jesus has called us to leave our comfortable ways and venture forward with him. We are so often afraid, it is easier for us to remain bound to our habits. Be assured that Jesus knows your fears and offers you healing.

All: Lord Jesus, Open our hearts and teach us your ways.

Prayer Litany **

Karla Schultz & Pastor Lorah

Opening Hymn *Standing on the Promises* Tammy Nowell

Written by R. Kelso Carter this hymn reminds us that the promises of God create a foundation for our lives. UMC Hymnal # 374 - please hum along or think along since we are not congregational singing yet ☺

Children's Time

iPromise

Scripture Readings

Genesis 9:8-17

Mark 1:9-15

A New Prayer

projected

Message

Covenantal Faith

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer (sins)

Invitation to Share Tithes and Offering

Ways to give to the work and ministries of Tulare United Church (UMC and UCC) *prayers *time *financial (checks, cash, online giving at tulareunitedchurch.com), text to 605-299-8102 or use the GivePlus mobile app. Mail to PO Box 109, Tulare, SD 57476 or put it in the basket on the back pew. Thank you for your generosity!

Special Music *Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)* *** Brian Hull

Announcements and Celebrations

Response

Go Now in Peace **

By: Don Besig, Nancy Price

please hum along, think along or sing quietly
since we are not congregational singing yet ☺

Go now in peace, never be afraid.

God will go with you each hour of every day

Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true

Know God will guide you in all you do

Go now in love, and show you believe

Reach out to others so all the world can see

God will be there, watching from above

Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.

****** Please leave the sanctuary by rows with the back rows leaving first. Please visit outside or in Fellowship Hall being respectful of each other's 6' space and risk tolerance.**

Thank you for being here today in person or in thought. All of us have different opinions and risk tolerance in regard to COVID-19 so no judgment and no guilt if you attend online! For those in attendance please read and follow the gathering guidelines... we count on each other to abide by them. They are found on the website and there are also some in the entryway.

Worship Notes: Our worship service is a time to move away from outside distractions and focus on God. Thank you for turning off cell phones and not texting during worship BUT feel free to use your Bible app! **If you do not want to take your bulletin home please help us keep the sanctuary neat and tidy...and recycle it by putting it in the basket in the entry.** Thank you for worshipping with us in-person or online.

Church Office: 596-4156 (by appointment - physical distancing due to COVID-19 precautions) Pastor Lorah tries to take off Fridays and Saturdays.

Web Page: www.tulareunitedchurch.com – all worship services are posted here – under Praise and Worship – Worship Together

E-mail: tulareuc@venturecomm.net

Pastor Lorah Houser Jankord 450-0408 cell 596-4256 home

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#* Prayer Litany by Nancy C. Townley, ministrymatter.com
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*** Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone) by Chris Tomlin,
Louie Giglio and John Newton, reported to CCLI 4768151

##*Go Now in Peace, reported to CCLI

ON FEBRUARY 7 THE SUPER BOWL WILL FEATURE THE
KANSAS CITY CHIEFS AND THE TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS.

At Tulare United Church we'll participate in the

SOUPER BOWL OF CARING

by bringing food and financial donations to TUC.

They will then be given to The Good Samaritan Center.

Thanks!

"Amen, a Hebrew word meaning "certainly" or "let it be so", used in response to someone's statement and in liturgical settings" (footnote p. 295 The New Oxford Annotated Bible, Third Edition, Michael D. Coogan, Editor, Oxford University Press, 2001)



***"The woods are lovely, dark and deep.
But I have promises to keep, and
miles to go before I sleep."***

- Robert Frost

WELCOME TO

TULARE UNITED CHURCH

January 31, 2021

May we pray for you? Our prayer list... for mind, body and spirit:
 Karen Kohnen (member), **Hyke family and all who work at Hyke Funeral Home**, Tom & Linda McNeill (children of Sandi McNeill), Bob Bruening (neighbor), Cole Louwagie (son of Kristen (Swope) & Derek – friend of Jankords) the United Methodist Church denomination, people in prison, **everyone living with cancer and other long term physical or mental illness or addiction**, all military and their families at home especially **Edna Knutson** (Kianna Binger’s mother deployed to Djibouti) the United Church of Christ denomination, George Semmler, Mary Merrigan (Pastor Lorah’s friend), McKenzie Lee (Rhonda Stroh’s daughter), Herb Stellmacher (Judy Wagner’s father), Karen Stephenson, Maggie VanderPoole (friend of Pastor Lorah’s Aunt Charl), Becky Brooker, Tenlee Gatzemeyer, Sandy Wagner, Jeff Wagner, Barb Stoner, **all those with or affected by or recovering from Covid-19, staff and residents at Eastern Star Home, staff and residents at Avantara**, Erin Smith (Dennis & Linda’s daughter), **Mona Schultz**

StoneyBrook (Huron): Alice MacNeill
Eastern Star (Redfield): Marvine Roeber, LaDean Stoner, Shirley Stellmacher (Judy Wagner’s mother)
Lakeside (Redfield): Erma Ames, Amy Garman
At Home: Leone Schultz

Mail a card or note to someone on this list.

January 18-24, 2021

Attendance	36
Tithes & Offerings	\$ 1,873.50
<i>\$5.00 designated to youth</i>	
<i>There is a piggy bank on the back pew for all change for camperships.</i>	
<i>(\$ 2,219 is needed each week to meet the budget)</i>	

What covenants have I made?

What covenants has God made with me?

This week at Tulare United Church...

Sunday 1/31

- 8:45 Sunday School for 3 year olds – 12th grade
- 10:00 Worship
- Projection Set-Up: Karla Schultz
- Sound/Projection: Karla Schultz
- Music: Tammy Nowell
- Special Music: Brian Hull
- Video: Shane Gross
- Ushers: Brian & Pam Hull

Wednesday 2/3

- 6:00 Senior Youth meet in FH
- 7:30 Pastor Lorah meets with family re: Baptism

Sunday 2/7 First Sunday Fruit - Love

- 8:45 Sunday School for 3 year olds – 12th grade
- **SOUPER Bowl of Caring** – bring food (and monetary) donations to TUC and they will be taken to the Good Samaritan Center
- 10:00 Worship
- Projection Set-Up:
- Sound/Projection:
- Music:
- Video: Rich Jankord
- Ushers: Chad & Kristie Binger

our vision

To be a church where people of all ages can grow in faith, be inspired by the love and grace of God and align their lives with the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

our mission

To share God's love through worship, study, caring relationships and community.

we value

the whole family
 We will be a church where all generations bless one another and worship God together.

servicing community
 We are called to serve as Jesus served and to give as Jesus gave.
 We will use our individual gifts to serve everyone, inside and outside the church.

openness to all
 We are filled by the love of God, which inspires us to open our hearts and our doors to everyone.