

ORDER OF WORSHIP  
July 28, 2019

PRELUDE Based on an early American melody Nevett Bartow

WELCOME

NEWS OF THE CHURCH

\*GREETING TIME

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

I seek You with all my heart;

**DO NOT LET ME STRAY FROM YOUR COMMANDS.**

I have hidden Your Word in my heart

**I REJOICE IN FOLLOWING YOUR STATUTES.**

I delight in Your decrees;

**I WILL NOT NEGLECT YOUR WORD.**

\*HYMN "Stand Up and Bless the Lord" (vs 1, 2, 4 & 5) #662

OPENING PRAYER

**HOLY SPIRIT, WE OPEN OUR HEARTS AND MINDS THIS MORNING TO LISTEN AND BREATHE IN YOUR WORD. WE COME TO THE ALTAR OFFERING PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING FOR YOU ARE ALIVE IN OUR HEARTS AND IN OUR WORLD. WE TAKE UP YOUR SHIELD OF FAITH THAT WILL GUARD US FROM EVIL. WE TAKE UP THE SWORD OF THE SPIRIT, YOUR VERY WORD, WHICH HAS THE POWER TO DEMOLISH STRONGHOLDS. YOUR WORD IS ALIVE, ACTIVE AND SHARPER THAN ANY DOUBLE-EDGED SWORD. OPEN OUR EARS TO HEAR, UNDERSTAND AND LIVE OUT YOUR WORD THIS DAY AND EVERY-DAY. IN JESUS' NAME WE PRAY, AMEN.**

HYMN (8:15) "Every Time I Feel the Spirit" (vs 1 & 2) #404

CHILDREN'S MOMENT (11:00)

PRAYERS AND CONCERNS

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

PRESENTATION OF OFFERING

Offertory "Morning Has Broken" Gaelic Melody

\*Doxology

\*Prayer of Dedication

SPECIAL MUSIC

Miss Marian Rose

SCRIPTURE READING Ephesians 6:10-18 (8:15)

Susan Bobbitt (11:00)

SERMON

"Armor Up - Essential Gear"

Pastor Ann Wurster

\*HYMN "Soldiers of Christ, Arise" (vs 1-4) #513

\*CLOSING PRAYER

\*POSTLUDE

"Blessed Assurance"

Phoebe Knapp

Hymn Leader: Michael Turner

\* Please Stand

**CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**

# Welcome!

We rejoice that you are worshipping with us this morning!

- Child care is available at 9:30am and 11:00am in the nursery located off the lobby.
- A private area is available for nursing mothers.
- Activity packets for children are available at the back of the sanctuary.
- Coffee and refreshments are available in the coffee bar area in the lobby. Relax and enjoy a time of fellowship!
- Sunday School is available at 9:30am for children age 4 to grade 6 in our Education Wing, which is down the hallway past Fellowship Hall and up the stairs. Youth have Sunday School at 9:30am in the Youth Room on the 2nd floor.
- Following the children's message at the 11:00am service, children age 4 to grade 6 can follow the Children's Ministry Director out of the sanctuary to participate in Children's Church. Children return to the sanctuary during the last hymn.
- Communion is served on the first Sunday of the month. Communion is open to all who wish to partake (children will return at this time to partake.) Grape juice is served. Gluten-free bread is also available.

Check us out on Facebook!



## CHURCH STAFF

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**Getting There**  
Traveling Essentials  
for You and Your Family

**Sharonville United Methodist Church**  
Sunday, July 28, 2019  
*Armour Up - Essential Gear*  
Traditional Worship  
8:15 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.