



# Sunday, June 20, 2021

## Father's Day

**Prelude**      *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*  
Trio

Ludwig van Beethoven, arr. Hodges  
Johann Krebs

Benjamin Hintzman, organ

**Welcome and Announcements**

Pastor Jeanine Alexander

**\* Call to Worship**

Pastor Cynthia Coffin-Langdon

One: We gather for worship to waken our hearts and minds,

**All: that we might be able to know and name God's presence of love.**

One: Within our daily world, in every human face,

**All: may we find the presence of God and see the gift of love.**

One: May love be a presence sensed and shown at work, at home, or in the street.

**All: Help us, God, to name and live your love!**

**\* Hymn**      *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*

UM Hymnal #384

**Morning Prayer**

Kelby Werner, pastoral intern

Concerns and Celebrations

Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

**Children's Message**

Jojo Coffin-Langdon, director of family ministries

**Scripture Reading**

Steve Hansen

### John 8:31-38

One: Jesus told the people who had faith in him, "If you keep on obeying what I have said, you truly are my disciples. You will know the truth and the truth will set you free."

**All: They answered, "We are Abraham's children! We have never been anyone's slaves. How can you say we will be set free?"**

One: Jesus replied, "I tell you for certain that anyone who sins is a slave of sin! And slaves don't stay in the family forever, though the Son will always remain in the family. If the Son gives you freedom, you are free! I know that you are from Abraham's family. Yet you want to kill me because my message isn't really in your hearts. I am telling you what my Father has shown me, just as you are doing what your father has taught you."

### Matthew 5:6

One: Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

**Offering Our Gifts and Tithes**

Pastor Jeanine Alexander

**Anthem**     *In the Name of the Lord*     Sandi Patti Helvering, arr. Doug Holck  
Michael Hintzman, alto saxophone; Benjamin Hintzman, piano

**Sermon**     *Values to Live By #1: Integrity*     Pastor Jeanine Alexander

\* **Hymn**     *Lord, I Want to be a Christian*     UM Hymnal #402

**Benediction**     Pastor Jeanine Alexander

**Postlude**     *Toccata in F*     Dietrich Buxtehude  
Benjamin Hintzman, organ

\* *Please stand as you are comfortable.*



***Announcements***

*Please fill out the attendance cards* each week. At least for now, they are replacing the pew pads. Keeping attendance and making sure the church has your current contact information is an important part of the church records. On the back of the card, you will find a list of volunteer opportunities, places where your help can make a difference! These opportunities will change often, so check them out each week and please sign up where you can.

*Fellowship, coffee and doughnuts* will be available following the worship service, in Lakeview Social Hall on the lower level.

**Attention College Students:** The Lennon-Berini Scholarship is following a different timeline this year. This scholarship supports student members of FUMC who are pursuing people-centered careers and have completed at least two years of college. Applications will be available July 1 on the church website ([fumcduluth.com](http://fumcduluth.com)) and are due by 4 pm on Friday, July 23. Look for more information in the July issue of *First Family*.

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