

Judges 4:3-9

Then the Israelites cried out to the Lord for help, for Sisera had nine hundred chariots of iron and had oppressed the Israelites cruelly twenty years. At that time, Deborah, a prophet, wife of Lappidoth, was judging Israel. She used to sit under the Palm of Deborah between Ramah and Bethel in the hill country of Ephraim, and the Israelites came up to her for judgment. She sent and summoned Barak, son of Abinoam from Kedesh in Naphtali, and said to him, "The Lord, the God of Israel, commands you, 'Position yourself at Mount Tabor, taking ten thousand from the tribe of Naphtali and the tribe of Zebulun. I will draw out Sisera, the general of Jabin's army, to meet you by the Wadi Kishon with his chariots and his troops, and I will give him into your hand.'" Barak said to her, "If you will go with me, I will go, but if you will not go with me, I will not go." And she said, "I will surely go with you; nevertheless, the road on which you are going will not lead to your glory, for the Lord will sell Sisera into the hand of a woman." Then Deborah got up and went with Barak to Kedesh.

Offering Our Gifts

Lydia Kantonen, summer intern

Doxology *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

UM Hymnal #95

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below;
praise God above, ye heavenly host; Creator, Christ and Holy Ghost. Amen*

Sermon

Spiritual Guides: Deborah

Kelby Werner, pastoral intern

* Hymn

For All the Faithful Women

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Benediction

Pastor Jeanine Alexander

Postlude

March on the Old Hundredth Psalm Tune

Brenda Portman

Velda Graham Bell, organ

** please stand as you are comfortable*



Announcements

*to fill out the Connect Cards each week. They are replacing the attendance pads formerly found in the pews. Keeping attendance and making sure the church has your current contact information is an important part of church records. **On the back of the card**, is a list of ministry opportunities, places where your help can make a difference! These will change often, so check them each week and please sign up where you can. **Guests:** Welcome to First United Methodist Church. We are so glad you are worshipping with us today! Please stop by the Welcome Desk in the Narthex; we have a packet and small gift for first-time visitors.*

Please join us for coffee and doughnuts in Lakeview Social Hall following the worship service.

Food, Fun and Fellowship Event - Wednesday, July 19, 6-7 pm. Newer members and those thinking about joining the church: join us for an outdoor evening of getting acquainted or reconnecting with others. Hosted by Pastor Jeanine and Mary Giese, there will be pizza, veggies, watermelon and lemonade for supper in the east parking lot. Bring a friend!. Our summer interns, Kelby and Lydia, will be there to supervise kids' fun. This is a rain-or-shine event: we can meet in Lakeview Social Hall if need be. Please RSVP to the church office 218-727-5021 or info@fumcduluth.com. We look forward to seeing you!



Scholarship Opportunities:

The Lennon-Berini Scholarship supports students who are members of FUMC, have completed two years of college and are pursuing a people-centered career. Each scholarship this year will be \$2000. The application form will be available July 1 on the church website (fumcduluth.com) and **must be submitted by 4pm on July 22**. Scholarships will be awarded during the worship service on Sunday, August 27.

The Ardath Gibson Scholarship supports students who are members of FUMC (or whose family are members), are pursuing education in health care, physical sciences or business, and who have a GPA of 3.0 or above. The application form will be available July 17 and must be submitted by August 17. Scholarships will be awarded during the worship service on Sunday, August 27.

Summer Concerts at FUMC:



Monday, July 17 – Big Wave Dave and the Ripples are making a return appearance in the FUMC parking lot! Join us at 6:30pm, or come at 5:30 and have supper at the Room at the Table food trucks. Chairs will be set up, or bring your own. There will be activities for children. The freewill donation will benefit CHUM's 50th Anniversary Fund and the FUMC Summer Parking Lot Concert Series. Rain date is Tuesday, July 18.

Monday, August 7 - Strikepoint's homecoming concert following their annual summer tour. Join us at 7pm in the Sanctuary for a rollicking good time. You know they save the best performance for us! Admission is free but an \$18 donation is suggested.

Sunday, July 30 will be Cynthia and Jojo Coffin-Langdon's last Sunday as FUMC staff members. After worship that Sunday, please join us for special treats in Lakeview Social Hall to thank and celebrate them for their staff ministry: Cynthia as our youth pastor and director of children's music and Jojo as the director of children and family ministries. Please feel free to contribute to a cash gift for them; bring or send your gift to the church office. There will also be a box for cards and an open mic in Lakeview Social Hall for people to offer words of love and appreciation.

Guest WIFI Network: FirstUnitedPublic. Password: Public2022.

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For All the Faithful Women

1. For all the faith-ful wom - en who served in days of old, to
 2. O God, for saints and ser - vants, those named and those un - known, in
 3. All praise to God the Fa - ther! All praise to Christ the Son! All

you shall thanks be giv - en; to all, their stor - y told. They
 whom through all the a - ges your light of glo - ry shone, we
 praise to God the Spir - it, who binds the church as one! With

served with strength and glad - ness in tasks your wis - dom gave. To
 of - fer glad thanks - giv - ing and fer - vent prayer we raise that,
 saints who went be - fore us, with saints who wit - ness still, we

you their lives bore wit - ness, pro - claimed your pow'r to save.
 faith - ful in your ser - vice, our lives may sing your praise.
 sing glad al - le - lu - ias and strive to do your will.