

Traditional Worship Service

Finding Our Contentment in
God

October 18, 2026

Generous

Length
in mins

5:00 Prelude

1:30 Live Stream Startup

3:00 Introit

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5:00 Welcome & Announcements

1:00 Call To Worship

Liturgist: Rev. June Webster

Leader: God has provided enough to satisfy us, but the world is full of temptation.

People: The love of money is the root of so much evil and causes so much pain.

Leader: Let us pursue God over material things.

People: Let us fight the good fight of faith, and so take hold of eternal life.

3:30 *For The Beauty Of The Earth*

#92 UMH, vs. 1, 2, 5, 6

2:00 Unison Prayer

ALL: Gracious God, help us to live in a community that finds contentment not in things but in our relationship with you. We offer you thanksgiving for all that you have given us. Lead us to be good stewards of our resources of time, talent, and treasure so that we might be a blessing to others. Today we will strive to focus on growing in righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, and gentleness, as we remember all that you have provided. We ask this in your son's name. Amen.

3:30 Special Music

"Zip, Zing, Ring," Youth Handbells

2:00 Children's Choir

"The BIBLE & Jesus Loves Me," Children's Choir

5:00 A Time for Children

Noelle Allison, Director of Children and Families

Indicate special props, placement and movement if known.

1:00 Scripture Readings

1 Timothy 6:6-12

5:00 Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

1:00 Offering Our Gifts to The Lord - Breakthrough Prayer

Optional introduction to the offering:

Liturgist: I love the way the apostle Paul wrote about financial giving in his letter to the Corinthian church. He said, "each one of you should give as you have decided in your heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." What Paul is describing is a thoughtful, intentional consideration of giving. No manipulation. No giving grudgingly. Paul wants financial giving to be handled with maturity and joy. When we approach our giving in this way, our faith flourishes and the church prospers. So, at this time, I invite you to give your tithes and offers... with a smile on your face!

Breakthrough Prayer

ALL: O God, we offer ourselves to you. We are your people and this is your church. Use our gifts and breakthrough in new ways as we seek to love our neighbors and be a beacon of Christ-centered hope to our community. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen

4:00 Offertory

"Assurance," Chorale

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1:00	<i>Doxology</i>
20:00	Message
3:00	<i>It Is Well</i> #377 UMH It Is Well With My Soul, vs. 1-3
1:00	Benediction
2:00	Postlude
61:00	