

June 28, 2026
9 & 11:15 a.m.

We Know WHO We Are

A Counter-Testimony of Faith, United Methodism,
and the Work of the Church

In a time when many voices claim certainty about truth, identity, and purpose, the church offers a different witness. Grounded in scripture, shaped by the United Methodist tradition, and committed to the work of justice and mercy, this series reclaims the clarity of Christian faith—not as ideology, but as a way of life. Together, we will remember who we are, what we stand for, and how we are called to live in the world today.

Part II — The United Methodist Way:
Grace, Practices, and Public Faith

United Methodism offers more than a denominational label—it offers a deeply rooted way of living the Christian life. Through grace, the means of grace, the sacraments, and social holiness, we will explore the practices that form resilient disciples equipped to love God, love each other, and change the world.

WELCOME

Foundry United Methodist Church has been serving downtown Washington, D.C. and the wider world since 1814. Foundry is a Reconciling Congregation, affirming the call of the gospel of Jesus Christ to be in ministry with all people of all races, gender identities, sexualities, ages, immigration status, and physical conditions. We are all on a spiritual journey and we want you to feel welcome here. Please visit foundryumc.org to find more information about our congregation, submit prayer requests, and let us know you've been with us in worship today.

References to God in traditional prayers and hymns may sometimes be gender-specific. As we pray and sing together, you are invited to substitute terms that reflect your understanding of the full inclusiveness of the spirit of God. You are also invited to sing hymns and speak parts of the services, such as the Lord's Prayer, in your native tongue.

Please fill out the **Prayer Request** online at foundryumc.org/prayer. Our prayer team will follow up with you. You will have the option for your request to be kept confidential, or if you'd prefer for it to be shared.

FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN

Foundry offers a variety of childcare and worship options for our youngest congregants through youth every Sunday! **Children of all ages are welcome to join their families in the Sanctuary at both the 9 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. worship services.** Before the sermon, a servant leader will invite children (pre-K through 5th grade) to attend a special Children's Worship. They will rejoin their families in the Sanctuary during the Offertory/Last Hymn.

Sunday School classes (PreK 3-12th) are on break for the summer season. We encourage families with children who attend service this summer to gather & play with our neighbors at Stead Park, before and after services. We look forward to seeing you again at start the 2026-2027 program year in September.

Nursery care is available for infants up to 2 years old from 8:45 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Volunteers near the Community Commons will help you find the Child Care Center or your child's Sunday School class.



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9 A.M. Worship Service

Welcome Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli

+Hymn AAHH #499 Charles Gabriel,
Louis Sykes
Since Jesus Came Into My Heart

Children's Message Ben Roberts

Offertory Ben Roberts

Music at the Offertory Anthony Pattin
Hallelujah Is the Highest Praise

Scripture Reading Josiane Blackman
Romans 6:3-11 & Luke 24:28-35

One Voice: Receive what the spirit is saying.

Many Voices: Thanks be to God

Anthem Kenneth W. Louis
Taste and See, from Mass of St. Cyprian

Sermon Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli
This Is Real: Sacraments That Shape Us

Sharing Joys and Concerns Ed Crump

Call to Prayer AAHH #447 Richard Blanchard
Fill My Cup, Lord
Verse 1 & Refrain

Pastoral Prayer Ed Crump

Celebration of Holy Baptism

Franklink Roberts Downie, child of Kelly Roberts and James Downie

One Voice: Do you, as Christ's body, the Church, reaffirm both your rejection of sin and your commitment to Christ? If so say, we do.

Many Voices: We do.

Will you nurture one another in the Christian faith and life and include these children now before you in your care?

With God's help we will proclaim the good news and live according to the example of Christ. We will surround these children with a community of love and forgiveness, that they may grow in their trust of God, and be found faithful in their service to others. We will pray for them, that they may be true disciples who walks in the way that leads to life.

Baptismal Response UMH #611 adapt. Henry Gauntlett
Child of Blessing, Child of Promise
Verse 1

+Hymn AAHH #501 Beatrice Brown
Jesus Is Real to Me

+Benediction Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli

Postlude

11:15 A.M. Worship Service

Prelude Camil Van Hulse
Sweet Hour of Prayer

Welcome Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli

+Hymn UMH #545 Samuel Sebastian Wesley
The Church's One Foundation

Children's Message Ben Roberts

Sharing Joys and Concerns Ed Crump

Call to Prayer UMH #361 Thomas Hastings
Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me
Verse 1

Pastoral Prayer Ed Crump

Epistle Nancy Groth
Romans 6:3-11

+Response UMH #365 Daniel Towner
Grace Greater Than Our Sin
Verse 1

+Gospel Reading Nancy Groth
Luke 24:28-35
One Voice: Receive what the spirit is saying.
Many Voices: Thanks be to God

Anthem Philip Bliss,
arr. Nathan Carter
It Is Well With My Soul

Sermon Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli
This Is Real: Sacraments That Shape Us

Offertory Ben Roberts

Music at the Offertory Traditional,
arr. Adolphus Hailstork
My Lord, What a Moanin'

+Hymn UMH #391 Anon.,
refrain attr. Edward Rimbault
O Happy Day, That Fixed My Choice
Verses 1, 2 & 5

+Benediction Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli

Postlude Flor Peeters
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