

# Kingston Springs United Methodist Church

Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Door

## A Service of Word and Table

October 9, 2022

### Prelude

Come, O Thou Traveler Unknown  
David Wood, Stephan Dudash, Bruce Baxter

### Words of Welcome and Announcements

Dr. Steven B. Angus

### Introit

Alleluia

Choir

### \*Call to Worship

Bob Sanders

When we are lonely and feeling lost . . .

**Jesus calls us and brings us hope and peace.**

When we are angry and frustrated . . .

**Jesus heals our wounds and soothes our tempers.**

When we are sorrowful and broken . . .

**Jesus binds up our wounds with his healing love.**

Come, let us worship the one who cares so abundantly for us.

**Together: AMEN.**

### \*Hymn

Come, O Thou Traveler Unknown

UMH 386

1 Come, O thou Traveler unknown,  
whom still I hold, but cannot see!  
My company before is gone,  
and I am left alone with thee.  
With thee all night I mean to stay  
and wrestle till the break of day.

2 Wilt thou not yet to me reveal  
thy new, unutterable name?  
Tell me, I still beseech thee, tell,  
to know it now resolved I am.

Wrestling, I will not let thee go  
till I thy name, thy nature know.

3 My strength is gone, my nature dies,  
I sink beneath thy weighty hand,  
faint to revive, and fall to rise.  
I fall, and yet by faith I stand;  
I stand and will not let thee go  
till I thy name, thy nature know.

4 Yield to me now—for I am weak,  
but confident in self-despair!  
Speak to my heart, in blessing speak,  
be conquered by my instant prayer.  
Speak, or thou never hence shalt move,  
and tell me if thy name is Love.

5 'Tis Love! 'tis Love that wrestled me!  
I hear thy whisper in my heart.  
The morning breaks, the shadows flee,  
pure, universal Love thou art.  
To me, to all, thy mercies move—  
thy nature and thy name is Love.

### \*Scripture Reading

Luke 17:11-17 [NRSV]

Bob Sanders

### Missional Giving

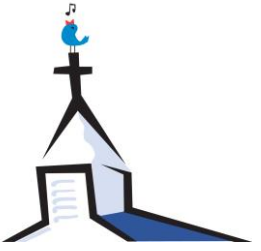
All children in worship are invited to assist in collecting money for the FUEL offering, which provides snacks for children in need at Kingston Springs Elementary School.

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*\*Indicates please stand if able.*

*Greeters will provide a wheelchair for those who need one.*

*Restrooms are available behind the Sanctuary. Please exit through the left door by the piano and take a right. Restrooms are at the end of the hallway.*



Children’s Message

Dr. Angus

Following the Children’s Message, children 4 years old and younger are invited to the Nursery. Our Nursery Care Providers will bring them back to the Sanctuary for Holy Communion.

Our Joys and Concerns

Dr. Angus

Lord, in your mercy, Hear our prayers.

The Pastoral Prayer

Anthem

In Steadfast Faith I Stand

Choir

Sermon

Dr. Angus

Its Julie Andrews Meets the Walking Dead

\*Hymn of Response

There Is a Balm in Gilead

UMH 375

**Refrain:**  
There is a balm in Gilead  
to make the wounded whole,  
there is a balm in Gilead  
to heal the sin-sick soul.

1 Sometimes I feel discouraged  
and think my work's in vain,  
but then the Holy Spirit  
revives my soul again. **Refrain**

2 If you cannot preach like Peter,  
if you cannot pray like Paul,  
you can tell the love of Jesus  
and say, "He died for all." **Refrain**

Offertory Prayer

Bob Sanders

Offertory

Sons of God

Choir

\*Doxology

UMH 95

Gathering at the Lord’s Table

UMH 15

The 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, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.*

Commission and Blessing

Sending Forth

Day by Day

Day by Day, day by day,  
O dear Lord, three things I pray:  
To see Thee more clearly,  
Love Thee more dearly,  
Follow Thee more nearly,  
Day by day (back to top)  
(end) Day by day—day by day by day by day by day

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### MONTHLY GIVING

Through August, to operate the church and its programs was \$112,176.98.  
Through August, the church has received \$105,296.11 from all sources.

**BIBLE STUDY With Pastor Steven** Class will not meet this week.  
**Topic--And You Thought You Knew Them**, *Significant Personalities of Genesis and Exodus*.

Join us Thursday, October 13 at 10 am as we discuss ***Abraham and Sarah***. The time was chosen to make this a community Bible Study so KSUMC folks can invite friends to join them. If you cannot attend in person you can join us by ZOOM. Contact Dr. Angus at [steven.angus@twkumc.org](mailto:steven.angus@twkumc.org) and he will send you a ZOOM link and study guide.

## WEEKLY CALENDAR EVENTS

**SUNDAY** Sunday School - 9:15am Worship - 10:30am  
**WEDNESDAY** Fellowship Supper -- 5:45pm  
**WEDNESDAY** Choir Practice – 6:30pm

### **AA COMFORT ZONE**

Meets in the Oak House on Sundays at 4pm, Tuesdays at 7pm, Wednesdays at 12pm, Thursdays at 7pm, Fridays 11:30am (Women's Group) and Saturdays at 10:30am.

**AI-Anon** meets at the Oak Street house on Thursdays at 5:30pm.

## LOOKING AHEAD

**Wednesday, October 12 at 5:45** we will have a fellowship dinner. Bring a side dish and join the festivities!

**Sunday, October 23 at 1pm**, Charge Conference at Pegram UMC.

Prayer requests can be submitted online at [ksunc.org/prayer](http://ksunc.org/prayer) or given to the pastor.  
If you would like to receive the church's digital newsletter, email Dr. Angus at [steven.angus@twkumc.org](mailto:steven.angus@twkumc.org).