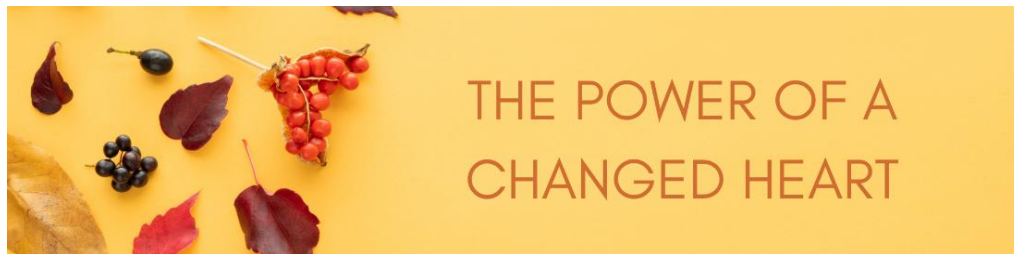


Psalm 119:137-144

LORD, you are righteous, and your rules are right. The laws you commanded are righteous, completely trustworthy. Anger consumes me because my enemies have forgotten what you've said. Your word has been tried and tested; your servant loves your word! I'm insignificant and unpopular, but I don't forget your precepts. Your righteousness lasts forever! Your Instruction is true! Stress and strain have caught up with me, but your commandments are my joy! Your laws are righteous forever. Help me understand so I can live!

Luke 19:1-10

Then Jesus entered and walked through Jericho. There was a man there, his name Zacchaeus, the head tax man and quite rich. He wanted desperately to see Jesus, but the crowd was in his way—he was a short man and couldn't see over the crowd. So he ran on ahead and climbed up in a sycamore tree so he could see Jesus when he came by. When Jesus got to the tree, he looked up and said, "Zacchaeus, hurry down. Today is my day to be a guest in your home." Zacchaeus scrambled out of the tree, hardly believing his good luck, delighted to take Jesus home with him. Everyone who saw the incident was indignant and grumped, "What business does he have getting cozy with this crook?" Zacchaeus just stood there, a little stunned. He stammered apologetically, "Master, I give away half my income to the poor—and if I'm caught cheating, I pay four times the damages." Jesus said, "Today is salvation day in this home! Here he is: Zacchaeus, son of Abraham! For the Son of Man came to find and restore the lost."



November 2, 2025 9:00 am

**Please stand if it is comfortable for you*

PRELUDE

WELCOME & GREETING

SONG OF BEGINNING

Holy Ground

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: In the midst of our hectic lives, God has poured wonder and beauty into each day.

People: We thank God for the respite we are given in worship.

Leader: Let us open our hearts to God's redeeming love.

People: We tune our hearts and voices in praise to God.

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all you people.

People: With shouts of joy, we celebrate the good news of God's love.

Leader: Come, let us worship God with hearts and souls and voices!

All: Let our voices share the joy we feel because of God's love for us.

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 119:137-144

*HYMN

Pass Me Not, O Gentle Savior,
vs. 1 & 3-4

No. 351
Red Hymnal

WITNESSING GOD'S LOVE TO OUR CHILDREN

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

One Step

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 19:1-10

SERMON

The Power of a Changed Heart

*HYMN

Zacchaeus

Words on the Screens

(Tune: Sung to, The Church's One Foundation,
No. 545 Red Hymnal)

PRAYER JOYS & CONCERNS

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

We will receive Communion at the front of the sanctuary. Once the meal has been blessed, you will be invited to come forward. You may put your hand out and a piece of bread will be given to you. You may then take a small cup from the tray. You may eat and drink as you receive the elements. Gluten-free bread is available at the center station. Bowls are at the sides of the sanctuary to collect the empty cups.

As you return to your seat, if you would like anointing with oil, you may stop on organ side of the sanctuary where the pastor will be standing. Oil will be placed on your forehead in the sign of the cross and a prayer shared with you. Anointing is a way of opening yourself to God for a particular place in your own life or on behalf of someone else.

OFFERING OUR LIVES AND OUR BLESSINGS

Invitation

Doxology

No. 94 Red Hymnal

*CLOSING BLESSING

*CLOSING SONG

Together We Serve, vs.
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No. 2175
Black Hymnal

POSTLUDE

Participating in Worship:

Rev. Jenny Arneson, Pastor

Amanda Hinthorn, Dir. of Community Engagement,
Worship Assistant

Owen Hinthorn, Reader

Daniel Taylor, Director of Family Ministry, Children's Time

Pop-Up Choir and Singing Churchman, Music;
Stephanie Klein, Director; Marilyn Silvester,
Piano
Singing Churchman
Pam Girard, Organist

INVITATIONS TO ACTION

If you are not already receiving our Monday Devotional Word of the Week or our weekly Thursday email that outlines what is happening in the life of this faith community please reach out to the church office so we can get you on this email list at office@sunprairieumc.org or 837-5554.

SPUMC FALL WOMEN'S RETREAT

Join the women of SPUMC for the Fall Retreat, November 14–16, 2025, at Pine Lake United Methodist Camp! The weekend theme, **"Show Love, Practice Hope, Spread Kindness"** (based on Romans 12), will guide our time together through Bible study, small group sessions, laughter, and fellowship. Enjoy a relaxing getaway with space for renewal and connection.

Cost: \$150 per person (double occupancy), which includes lodging, meals, and retreat materials. Visit the church website or watch our weekly email to sign up. If you have any questions, please contact Lisa Wink at lisa@sunprairieumc.org.

OUR PODCAST CHANNEL IS GROWING

We're excited about the recent growth of our church podcast channel, including new episodes that explore the United Methodist Social Principles and what they mean for our lives today. Our podcast team is growing, and we'd love to welcome more voices into the mix. If you've got ideas to share—or if you'd enjoy helping with future episodes—please let Amanda Hinthorn know. A podcast planning meeting will be held, on **November 9** at 10:15 a.m.

BE A PART OF OUR ANNUAL LIVE NATIVITY

Our Annual Live Nativity will take place on Saturday,

December 13 from 5:30-7 pm. We are looking for volunteers to help with this amazing event we share with our community. We are in need of setup, cleanup volunteers, and actors for the day of. If you are able to volunteer or would like more information, please contact Amanda Hinthorn, Director of Community Engagement at ahinthorn@sunprairieumc.org.