

CHURCH HAPPENINGS:

July 9 ~ July 15

Today 9:30 am SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE (ALSO VIA FACEBOOK)
6:00 pm TONGAN WORSHIP SERVICE

Thurs 10am – 12 FEED MY SHEEP (FOOD MINISTRY)

Fri 9am - 11 MRM BREAKFAST AND BIBLE STUDY

Next Sunday July 16

9:30 am SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE (& ONLINE STREAMING)
6:00 pm TONGAN WORSHIP SERVICE



OFFICE HOURS : MON/WEDS/FRI 9:30 AM – 1:30 PM

“OPEN HEARTS...OPEN MINDS...OPEN DOORS”



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LAHAINA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SUNDAY, JULY 9, 2023 9:30 A.M.
SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

ORGAN PRELUDE

Rosalyn Baker

BLOWING OF THE CONCH SHELL



PROCESSION

GREETINGS AND ALOHA

Liturgist

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Christ calls those who are weary and heavy laden.

People: IN CHRIST, WE FIND REST.

Leader: Christ calls us to bear his yoke and learn from him.

People: IN CHRIST, WE SEE GOD'S WAYS.

Leader: Christ is gentle and humble in heart.

People: IN CHRIST, WE KNOW GOD'S LOVE.

All: COME, FOR CHRIST CALLS US HERE.

HYMN OF PRAISE

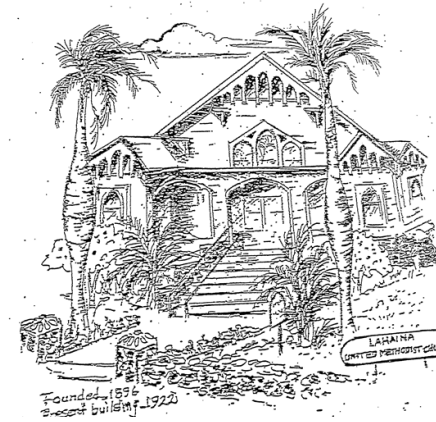
Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me

UMH 361

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

THE SHARING OF OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

Leader : Lord in your mercy
ALL : HEAR OUR PRAYERS



PLEASE NOTE:

We invite you to browse in our gift shop KOINONIA KORNER, just downstairs around the corner on our right as you leave the Sanctuary. Proceeds will help us to keep up with the maintenance of our aging building.

Spiritual/Nurture Resources...copies of the Upper Room, Alive Now, Care Notes are available for you at the display table near the entrance of the Sanctuary. Take a copy or give one to someone you know who will enjoy reading them.



LUMC RENOVATION FUND:

Our church has now been in our current building for over 100 years! We have begun renovations to improve our church and surrounding property.

If you would like to donate:

You can send a check to the church and write "Renovation Fund" in the notes section. Or make an online donation by going to <https://lumcmaui.org/building-renovation-fund> and clicking the Donate button. Mahalo for your support and love as we continue in the beautification of our historic church!

Lahaina UMC also contributes to many giving ministries such as Maui Rescue Mission, Feed My Sheep and many more. If you are interested in donating or becoming a part of these ministries, please visit our website <https://lumcmaui.org> and click the ministries tab for more information. May God bless you and your family as you have blessed us.



Flowers donated in celebration of

WE REMEMBER OUR SISTERS AND BROTHERS IN PRAYERS:

Rhonda Wilkes	Janice Hayes and family
The family of Justine	The family of Wyatt Podgar
Laura	Fonda's family in the loss of her brother
Linda & Les Takahashi	The family of Mike Vaughn
Warren Carthan & family	The family of Barb Dering
Noah Min	The family of Janice Markwith
Gavyn Kang	The family of Bob Hockholter
Justine	The family of Lori Ramsey
Rhoda	The family of Fletcher Volkman
Sandy Wong	The family of Don and Betty McCullum
Lotima Filiai	Fred Katonga's daughter in law and sister
Doreen Taylor	Kevin's sister Uheina Oliveti in Tonga
Joyce Ige	Patrick Muratta
Marceline Farquharson	Kelly Hess
Julie Reed	Chris & Velvet Welland
Riley Hope Jacobs	Ellen Di Giampaolo's grandson
Julie Reed	Denny White
Ellen Damaskas	Lyn and Judy Ebbesen's family
Nadine Tucker	Sophie
Kyle	Jon
Candee	Clara

Prayers for our Community/Country:

- *Prayers for support for all non-profit organizations and charities that support the keiki and kupuna in our community.
- *Those impacted financially from Covid. Those who have lost loved ones during this pandemic as well as those who continue to heal.
- *Racial reconciliation in this country that will honor, respect and value all racial and ethnic identities.
- *End to violence and a commitment to loving our neighbor, loving the migrant and the stranger, protecting our children, and helping the poor.

All prayers spoken and unspoken
Lord in Your Mercy, HEAR OUR PRAYERS



UNISON PRAYER

YOU HAVE WALKED MANY MILES WITH US, O GOD. YOU HAVE COMFORTED AND STRENGTHENED US ALONG THE WAY. KEEP US ON YOUR PATH, FOR WE EASILY LOSE OUR WAY. AS WE LEARN TO LIVE IN YOUR WAYS, HELP US CHOOSE THE CAUSE OF JUSTICE AND RIGHTEOUSNESS. AMEN.

PRAYER RESPONSE "Queen Liliuokalani's Prayer"

O kou aloha no. Aia i ka lani. A'o Kou 'oia i'o. He hemolele ho'i. Amene
(Your loving mercy is in heaven, and your truth so perfect. Amen.)



THE READING FROM THE SCRIPTURES

FIRST READING	Psalm 45 : 10-17	O.T. Pg #
SECOND READING	Romans 7 : 15-25	N.T. Pg #

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.
People: THANKS BE TO GOD!



AFFIRMATION OF FAITH : THE APOSTLE'S CREED, ECUMENICAL VERSION # 880

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, is seated at the right hand of the Father, and will come again to judge the living and the dead.



I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic** church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

(** universal)

GLORIA PATRI

UMH 70

THE LORD'S PRAYER

CHOIR OFFERING

LUMC Tongan Choir

DOXOLOGY



HYMN OF PREPARATION

Lord, I Want to Be a Christian

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SERMON SCRIPTURE

Matthew 11:16-19; 25-30

N.T. Pg #

MESSAGE

Rest for the Weary

Pastor John Crewe

MINISTRY UPDATES



CLOSING HYMN

What a Friend We Have in Jesus

UMH 526

BENEDICTION

CIRCLE OF OHANA "HAWAII ALOHA" (Rev. Lorenzo Lyons)

E Hawai'i e ku'u one hanau e, Ku'u ho-me kulaiwi nei. Oli no au i na pono lani ou, E Hawai'i, aloha e. E hau'oli na `opio o Hawai'i nei. `Oli e! `Oli e! Mai na aheahe makani e pa mai nei. Mau ke aloha, no Hawai'i.

(O Hawai'i, O sands of my birth, My native home. I rejoice in the blessings of heaven, O Hawai'i, aloha. Happy youth of Hawai'i, Rejoice! Rejoice! Gentle breezes blow. Love always for Hawai'i.)

ORGAN POSTLUDE

Rosalyn Baker

