



*12th Sunday after Pentecost
August 15, 2021*



*The Kona United Methodist Church welcomes
ALL people with no judgments of your history or place in life.*

*The Mission of the United Methodist Church is
to make disciples of Jesus Christ
for the transformation of the world.*

*The Vision of Kona United Methodist Church is
growing disciples through worship, outreach,
and living the gospel.*

ORDER OF WORSHIP: IN-PERSON/ONLINE

August 15, 2021

8:30am / 10:00am

WELCOME / GREETINGS Joyce Brady, English Language Ministry Lay Leader

GATHERING SONG “Sanctuary” TFWS 2164

**Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary,
Pure and holy, tried and true.**

With thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for you.

TIME OF PRAYER Les Miller

‘Ohana Joys and Concerns

Congregational Prayer

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

*HYMN “Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah” UMH 127

- 1. Guide me, O thou great Jehovah, / pilgrim through this barren land. / I am weak, but thou art mighty; / hold me with thy powerful hand. / Bread of heaven, bread of heaven, / feed me till I want no more; / feed me till I want no more.**
- 2. Open now the crystal fountain, / whence the healing stream doth flow; / let the fire and cloudy pillar / lead me all my journey through. / Strong deliverer, strong deliverer, / be thou still my strength and shield; / be thou still my strength and shield.**
- 3. When I tread the verge of Jordan, / bid my anxious fear subside; / death of death and hell’s destruction, / land me safe on Canaan’s side. / Songs of praises, songs of praises, / I will ever give to thee; / I will ever give to thee**

SCRIPTURE READING Exodus 15:22-27 Sylvyn Parham

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

HYMN OF PREPARATION

(sing 2 times)

**“Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors”
Oh God we greet you
with open hearts, open minds, open doors.
Each day we seek you
with open hearts, open minds, open doors.
Each day we need you. Each day we greet you.
Each day we seek you. Enter our hearts today.**

SERMON

“The Story (6): Wandering”

Rev. Dr. Ahn

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Joyce Brady

***HYMN**

“Leaning on the Everlasting Arms”

UMH 133

- 1. What a fellowship, what a joy divine, / leaning on the everlasting arms; / what a blessedness, what a peace is mine, / leaning on the everlasting arms.
(Refrain) Leaning, leaning, / safe and secure from all alarms; / leaning, leaning, / leaning on the everlasting arms.**
- 2. O how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way, / leaning on the everlasting arms; / O how bright the path grows from day to day, / leaning on the everlasting arms.
(Refrain)**
- 3. What have I to dread, what have I to fear, / leaning on the everlasting arms? / I have blessed peace with my Lord so near, / leaning on the everlasting arms.
(Refrain)**

SHARING OUR GIFTS

You are encouraged to mail your offering to the church office

OR set up electronic giving (Online Giving).

Please visit our website (konaumc.com) or contact Bill Jaeger.

***BENEDICTION**

An asterisk (*) indicates a place for you to stand as you are able.

Bold Print indicates a place for you to sing or speak.

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Thank you for worshipping with us. E Komo Mai & Mahalo!

During the current Coronavirus (COVID-19) health crisis, we are adjusting the ways we do “church” together until further notice:

- **SUNDAY IN-PERSON WORSHIP @ 8:30AM:** You can join the service in the Sanctuary OR via Facebook-Live wherever you are.
- **SUNDAY “DEAF FRIENDLY” ONLINE WORSHIP @ 10AM:** Join KUMC Online Worship, which you can find on our church website (konaumc.com) under the News & Events section in the Video Gallery or Facebook.
- **SUNDAY TONGAN ONLINE WORSHIP VIA FACEBOOK LIVE @ 11AM (Except for the 1st Sunday of the month).**
- **SUNDAY ONLINE CHILDREN’S CHURCH @ 1:00PM:** Join KUMC Children’s Church on Facebook.
- **SUNDAY TONGAN IN-PERSON WORSHIP @ 3:00PM (except the 1st Sunday of the month).**
- **TUESDAY ADULT STUDY @ 8:30AM** can be joined via ZOOM-LIVE [Meeting ID: 862 8033 1586; Password: KUMC].
- **WEDNESDAY TONGAN PRAYER SERVICE @ 7PM on Facebook-Live.**
- **MORNING DEVOTION BIBLE READING (T & TH, 7:30AM)** can be joined via ZOOM-LIVE [Meeting ID: 864 4097 0919; Password: KUMC].
- **MORNING WALK (Wednesdays & Fridays, 7:15AM @ Old Kona Airport Garden).**



NEWS & MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

COVID-19 Vaccine in Hawaii: Individuals age 12+ (Pfizer) and 18+ (Moderna and Johnson & Johnson) now are eligible to receive the COVID-19 vaccine in Hawaii. As COVID cases spike lately in Hawaii, all members and friends of Kona UMC are strongly encouraged to receive the vaccination if you have not received it yet. It is not just for your safety, but it is also about loving our neighbors by doing no harm. So, please receive the vaccination when you can. To find a location near you and see which vaccines are being offered at each location, please visit www.vaccines.gov/search

2021 KUMC Backpack/School Supply Drive: This year our drive is aimed at benefitting our KUMC children. Our aim is to provide a backpack for every youth and every keiki. Due to COVID-19, we can only accept monetary donations. We'd like to bless and distribute backpacks/supplies to children on Sunday, September 5.

If God moves your hearts for this, please make a check payable to "KUMC" with a memo "Backpack Drive" and place it in the offering plate during the in-person worship or mail it to the church office. You can also give online on our church website (konaumc.com). Please speak to Neo Matiaki if you have any questions.

Tuesday Adult Study via Zoom (6 weeks, starting Tuesday, 9/7, 8:30am): The book the class will use is "Five Marks of a Methodist: The Fruit of a Living Faith," authored by Magrey deVega with Steve Harper. Please purchase a "Five Marks of a Methodist Participant Character Guide" at Amazon.com now to have this guide before the starting day of the class. Please speak to Joyce Brady for more information.

2022 Visioning Retreat (Saturday, September 18, 10am-1pm): The theme of the retreat is, "Restructuring, Recommitment, and Responding." All are encouraged to attend. Please speak to Tim Brady, Kathleen Jaeger, or Pastor Sunny if you have any questions.

Sharing the Pulpit at the 8:30am In-Person Worship Service: Please contact Pastor Sunny if you would like to offer this blessing some Sundays this year.

Online Giving: Kona UMC offers several online giving options. You may visit our church website (konaumc.com) and click the giving icon on the home page OR contact Bill Jaeger (bjaegerhawaii@gmail.com) to set up online giving or simply scan the image you see here using your phone's Quick Response (QR) Code Reader! We sincerely thank you!



SPIRITUAL PRACTICE OF THE WEEK

Lectio Divina is a way of reading the Scriptures: *lectio* (reading), *meditatio* (reflection), *oratio* (response), and *contemplatio* (rest).

Scripture Verse for *Lectio Divina*: Joshua 1:7-11
Scripture Readings for the Week: 1 Kings 8:22-30;
Psalm 84; Ephesians 6:10-20; John 6:56-69

THIS WEEK AT KONA UMC

Sunday, 8/15

- 8:30 am In-Person Worship & via FACEBOOK
- 10:00 am English Language Worship / FACEBOOK
- 11:00 am Tongan Language Worship / FACEBOOK
- 1:00 pm Children's Church / FACEBOOK
- 3:00 pm Tongan Language In-Person Worship

Monday, 8/16

- 5:00 pm Movie Night @ the Parsonage

Tuesday, 8/17

- 7:30 am Morning Devotion Bible Reading via Zoom
- 12:00 pm Feeding the Homeless @ the Shelter

Wednesday, 8/18

- 7:15 am Morning Walk @ Old Kona Airport Garden
- 7:00 pm Tongan Prayer Meeting / LIVE-STREAM

Thursday, 8/19

- 7:30 am Morning Devotion Bible Reading via Zoom

Friday, 8/20

- 7:15 am Morning Walk @ Old Kona Airport Garden

Sunday, 8/22

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