



*Mother's Day
May 12, 2024*



*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

May 12, 2024

8:30am

CALL TO WORSHIP Numbers 6:24-26
(Congregation, please join in the 3rd repeat.)
**The Lord bless you / and keep you; /
Make His face shine upon you / and be gracious to you; /
The Lord turn His / face toward you / and give you peace. (x3) / Amen.**

WELCOME / GREETINGS Jim Monk, Liturgist

GATHERING SONG TFWS 2164 (x2)
“Sanctuary”
**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 Marjorie Winfough
Kokua Moment
‘Ohana Joys and Concerns
Congregational Prayer
The Lord’s Prayer

**Our Father, which 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.**

*Prayer Response “The Queen’s Prayer”

**‘O kou a-lo-ha no. A-i-a i-ka la-ni,
A ’o Kou ‘o-ia ‘i –‘o, He he-mo-le-le ho‘i. A me-ne.**
(Your love is in Heaven and Your truth so perfect.)

*HYMN UMH 454
“Open My Eyes, That I May See”

**1. Open my eyes, that I may see / glimpses of truth thou hast for me; / place in
my hands the wonderful key / that shall unclasp and set me free.**

**Silently now I wait for thee, / ready, my God, thy will to see. / Open my eyes,
illumine me, / Spirit divine!**

**2. Open my ears, that I may hear / voices of truth thou sendest clear; / and while
the wave-notes fall on my ear, / everything false will disappear.**

Silently now I wait for thee, / ready, my God, thy will to see. / Open my ears,
illumine me, / Spirit divine!

3. Open my mouth, and let me bear / gladly the warm truth everywhere; / open
my heart and let me prepare / love with thy children thus to share.

Silently now I wait for thee, / ready, my God, thy will to see. / Open my heart,
illumine me, / Spirit divine!

SCRIPTURE READING

Genesis 2:16-17

Nari Molimau

Leader: This is the Word of the Holy Scripture.

People: Thanks be to God!

HYMN OF PREPARATION

“Spirit of the Living God “

Spirit of the Living God, fall a-fresh on me.

Spirit of the Living God fall a-fresh on me.

Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.

Spirit of the living God, fall a-fresh on me.

MESSAGE

“Our Mother”

Sue Pyun

SPECIAL MUSIC

Dusty Best, Guitarist

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Jim Monk

*HYMN

“He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought”

UMH 128 (vs. 1, 2, & 4)

1. He leadeth me: O Blessed thought! / O words with heavenly comfort fraught! /
What e'er I do, where'er I be, / still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me.

(Refrain) He leadeth me, he leadeth me, / by his own hand he leadeth me; / his
faithful follower I would be, / for by his hand he leadeth me.

2. Sometimes mid scenes of deepest gloom, / sometimes where Eden's bowers
bloom, / by waters still, o'er troubled sea, / still 'tis his hand that leadeth me.

(Refrain)

4. And when my task on earth is done, / when by thy grace the victory's won, /
e'en death's cold wave I will not flee, / since God through Jordan leadeth me.

(Refrain)

*Doxology

UMH 95

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; / praise God, all creatures here
below; / praise God above, ye heavenly host; / praise Father, Son, and Holy
Ghost. Amen.

*BLESSING OUR GIFTS

Jim Monk

***CLOSING CIRCLE**

“Soon and Very Soon”

UMH 706 (x2)

Soon and very soon, / we are going to see the King; (x3)

Hallelujah! Hallelujah! / We're going to see the King.

***BENEDICTION**

Sue Pyun

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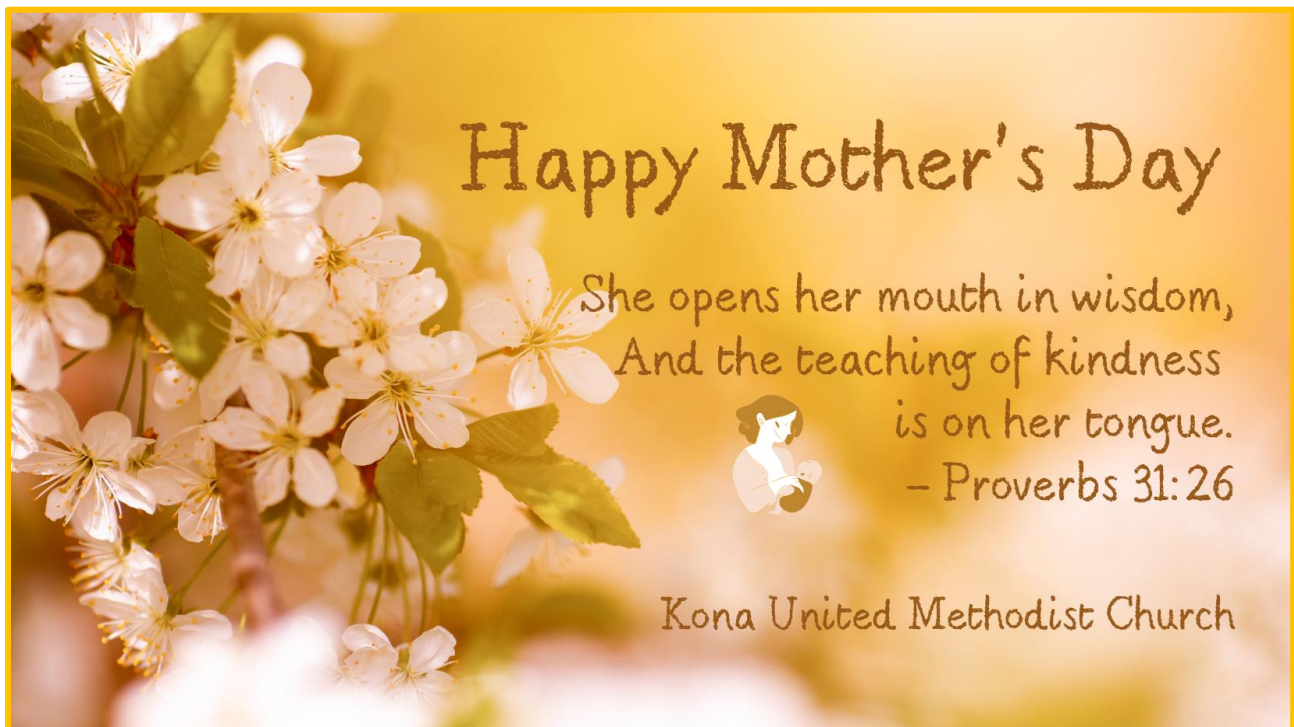
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Thank you for worshiping with us. E Komo Mai & Mahalo!

ALTAR FLOWER DEDICATION

Today's altar flowers are given

by Rhett Parham & Becky Torpey for Mother's Day.



From May 12-25, Pastor Sunny will be out of the country
joining the Kona UMC's Cambodia Mission Team
(Dennis Bensen, Navy & Peta Mareko, and Sung Ahn).

The team will visit Cambodia, Vietnam, and Korea.

Please keep the team in your prayers.

NEWS & MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Next Sunday (5/19): Rev. Harry Garrison, who served Kona UMC as the Senior Pastor from 2002-2003, fashioning Kona UMC's Koa Cross Leis, passed away on Tuesday, May 7th, 2024, at age 97. In honor of Rev. Garrison and his wife Betty, all are invited to wear a Koa Cross Lei next Sunday, May 19th.

Education Sunday (5/26): Our graduating high school seniors, who will receive Kona UMC's scholarship, will share their dream of pursuing higher education. This year, Lile Talasinga and Mara Wallace are the recipients of Kona UMC's scholarship.

2024 Hawaii District Conference (5/11) and 2024 California-Pacific Annual Conference (6/12-15): All pastors and all those elected Kona UMC delegates are expected to register to attend.

Keiki Slumber Party (6/7-8, F, 5pm-Sat, 2pm): Kona UMC's keiki will have its summer slumber party from 5pm on Friday, June 7, to 2pm on Saturday, June 8. The theme of this program is "The Armor of God," based on Ephesians 6:11-18. All parents must register their children for the program by **Sunday, June 2**. The registration form is available in the church office and at the greeting table during the 8:30am in-person worship. Please speak to Neo Mateaki or Pastor Sunny.

2024 KUMC Backpack/School Supply Drive: This year, our drive aims to benefit our KUMC children. We aim to provide a backpack for every youth and every keiki. We prefer to accept monetary donations only. We would like to receive donations by Sunday, July 14, to bless and distribute backpacks/supplies to children on Sunday, July 21. If God moves your hearts for this, please make a check payable to "KUMC" with the 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 at our church website (KonaUMC.com). Please speak to Neo Mateaki for more information.

Summer "Movie-A-Thon" (3 Fridays, 6/21, 6/28, 7/5, starting 4pm each Friday): Each Friday, we have a starting time but no ending time. The people who will show up for the movie for the day will determine how long they will stay to watch it. We will watch "The Chosen" movie series, starting with the first season, at 4pm on Friday, June 21st at the parsonage. Popcorn and drinks will be provided. For more information, please speak to Pastor Sunny.

Thursday Men's Breakfast & Church Beautification: All are welcome to join, especially the church beautification at 8:30am at church. Extra hands are needed for this important ministry. We need YOU!

Online Giving: You may visit our church website (KonaUMC.com) 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!



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*: Acts 2:1-13

Bible Readings for the Week:

05/12 (Sun): 2 Sam 19-20 & Mark 5

05/14 (T): 2 Sam 23-24 & Mark 6

05/16 (Th): 1 King 3-4 & Mark 7

05/18 (Sat): 1 Kings 7-8 & Mark 8

05/13 (M): 2 Sam 21-22

05/15 (W): 1 Kings 1-2

05/17 (F): 1 Kings 5-6

05/19 (Sun): 1 Kings 9-10

THIS WEEK AT KONA UMC

Sunday, 5/12

8:30 am

Mother's Day

In-Person Worship & via FACEBOOK

2:00 pm

Tongan Sunday School

3:00 pm

Tongan In-Person Worship & via FACEBOOK

Tuesday, 5/14

7:30 am

Morning Devotion Bible Reading via Zoom

6:30 pm

Worship Team Meeting via Zoom

Wednesday, 5/15

10:30 am

Staff Meeting

7:00 pm

Tongan In-Person Worship

Thursday, 5/16

7:30 am

Men's Breakfast @ Denny's & Church Clean Up

7:30 am

Morning Devotion Bible Reading via Zoom

Saturday, 5/18

11:30 am

'Ukulele Class

Sunday, 5/19

Pentecost Sunday

8:30 am

In-Person Worship & via FACEBOOK

2:00 pm

Tongan Sunday School

3:00 pm

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