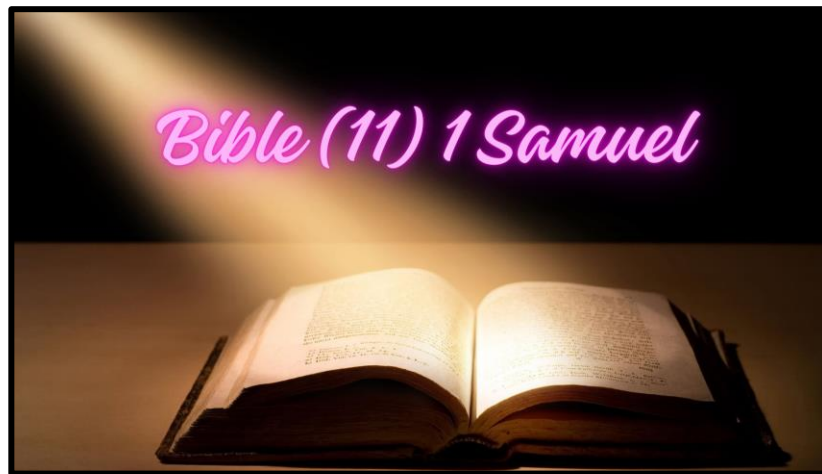




*5<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost  
June 23, 2024*



*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

June 23, 2024

8:30am

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CALL TO WORSHIP

Numbers 6:24-26

*(Congregation, please join in the 3<sup>rd</sup> 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

“Sanctuary”

TFWS 2164 (x2)

**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

“Cry of My Heart”

TFWS 2165

*(Refrain)* **It is the cry of my heart to follow you. / It is the cry of my heart to be close to you. / It is the cry of my heart to follow / all of the days of my life.**

**1. Teach me your holy ways, O Lord, / so I can walk in your truth. / Teach me your holy ways, O Lord, / and make me wholly devoted to you. (Refrain)**

**2. Open my eyes so I can see / the wonderful things that you do. / Open my heart up more and more, / and make me wholly devoted to you. (Refrain)**

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Samuel 16:7

Nancy Lowrey

Leader: This is the Word of the Holy Scripture.

**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

“Bible (11): 1 Samuel”

Rev. Dr. Sunny Ahn

SPECIAL MUSIC

“How Great Thou Art”

Marty Wallace, Flugelhornist

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Jim Monk

**\*HYMN**

**“Forward Through the Ages”**

**UMH 555**

**1. Forward through the ages, / in unbroken line, / move the faithful spirits / at the call divine; / gifts in differing measure, / hearts of one accord, / manifold the service, one the sure reward.**

***(Refrain)* Forward through the ages, / in unbroken line, / move the faithful spirits / at the call divine.**

**2. Wider grows the kingdom, / reign of love and light; / for it we must labor, / till our faith is sight. / Prophets have proclaimed it, / martyrs testified, / poets sung its glory, / heroes for it died. *(Refrain)***

**3. Not alone we conquer, / not alone we fall; / in each loss or triumph / lose or triumph all. / Bound by God’s far purpose / in one living whole, / move we on together / to the shining goal. *(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**

Rev. Dr. Ahn

**\*CLOSING CIRCLE**

**“Awesome God”**

**TFWS 2040 (x2)**

**Our God is an awesome God; / he reigns from heaven above / with wisdom,  
pow’r, and love. / Our God is an awesome God!**

**\*BENEDICTION**

**Rev. Dr. Ahn**

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 worshiping with us. E Komo Mai & Mahalo!*

**ALTAR FLOWER DEDICATION**

Today’s altar flowers are given by Neolina Mateaki  
for Koinonia’s 6<sup>th</sup> birthday.



## NEWS & MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

**2024 KUMC Backpack/School Supply Drive:** We aim to provide a backpack for every youth and every keiki at Kona UMC. 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. Please speak to Neo Mateaki for more information.

**Summer “Movie-A-Thon” (Fridays, 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 Fridays at the parsonage. Popcorn and drinks will be provided. For more information, please speak to Pastor Sunny.

**Water Aerobics (Tuesdays & Thursdays, 8am-9am @ Kona Community Pool):** Marjorie Winfough and Peta Mareko invite everyone to join water aerobics held at Kona Community Pool on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8am to 9am. There are showers and restrooms for men/women. There is a facility to change your clothes. Please speak to them for more information if you are interested.

**Ladies’ Luncheon (3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the Month at 12noon, starting 8/21):** We are “resurrecting” our “Ladies’ Luncheon” starting this August under the leadership of Marjorie Winfough and Peta Mareko. We will meet on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month at noon. On Wednesday, August 21<sup>st</sup>, we will meet at Big Island Grill. Please bring an inspirational quote or a short story to share. Please let Marjorie Winfough or Peta Mareko know if you plan to join the luncheon.

**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*:** 1 Samuel 13:14

### Bible Readings for the Week:

<b>06/23 (Sun):</b> 1 Chron 25-26 & Luke 21	<b>06/24 (M):</b> 1 Chron 27-29 & Luke 22
<b>06/25 (T):</b> Ps 77-80	<b>06/26 (W):</b> 2 Chron 1-2 & Luke 23
<b>06/27 (Th):</b> 2 Chron 3-4 & Luke 24	<b>06/28 (F):</b> 2 Chron 5-6 & Acts 1
<b>06/29 (Sat):</b> 2 Chron 7-8 & Acts 2	<b>06/30 (Sun):</b> 2 Chron 9-10 & Acts 3

## THIS WEEK AT KONA UMC

### Sunday, 6/23

8:30 am In-Person Worship & via FACEBOOK  
2:00 pm Tongan Sunday School  
3:00 pm Tongan In-Person Worship & via FACEBOOK

### Monday, 6/24

7:30 am Morning Devotion Bible Reading via Zoom

### Tuesday, 6/25

8:00 am Water Aerobics @ Kona Community Pool

### Wednesday, 6/26

10:30 am Staff Meeting  
7:00 pm Tongan In-Person Worship

### Thursday, 6/27

7:30 am Men's Breakfast @ Denny's & Church Clean Up  
8:00 am Water Aerobics @ Kona Community Pool

### Friday, 6/28

7:30 am Morning Devotion Bible Reading via Zoom  
4:00 pm Movie-A-Thon @ the Parsonage

### Sunday, 6/30

8:30 am In-Person Worship & via FACEBOOK  
2:00 pm Tongan Sunday School  
3:00 pm Tongan In-Person Worship & via FACEBOOK

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