

# First United Methodist Church

*“Dodge City First United Methodist Church is a place where people encounter Christ, believe, are made new, and go out in Service to Christ and Neighbor”*



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*Third Sunday after the Epiphany  
January 26, 2025*

## Worship of God 8:55 a.m.

Gathering “Who Trusts in God, a Strong Abode”

Welcome

\*Call to Worship Read in Unison UMH#574

**Renew your church, Lord, your people in this land. Save us from cheap words and self-deception in your service. In the power of your Spirit transform us, and shape us by your cross. Amen.**

\*Hymn “I Love to Tell the Story” UMH#156

\*Affirmation of Faith “Apostles Creed” UMH#881

\*Gloria Patri UMH#70

Sharing our Joys and Concerns

Response **Lord Hear Our Prayer**

Pastoral Prayer

Lord’s Prayer

8:55 Worship continued...

Giving our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory “God Is Spirit”

Presentation of Offering with Doxology UMH#95

Offertory Prayer

Ministry with Children (Holy Wiggle Time)  
“Jesus Loves Me”

Anthem “Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken”

Sermon “Why Are You Here?”

Scripture Luke 4:14-21

\*Hymn “We’ve a Story to Tell to the Nations” UMH#569

Announcements

Benediction

Going Forth “Toccata”

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*\* - indicates congregation standing, as able.*

*Please join us for Coffee Fellowship at 9:45 a.m. in the Parlor.*

**Each Sunday:** Traditional worship at 8:55 a.m. in the Sanctuary.  
Mosaic worship at 11:00 in the Sanctuary led by our worship band.  
Casa de Oración *en Español* at 11:00 in the Chapel, Sunday School for all ages at 10:00 a.m.

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Facilitating Worship at 8:55 a.m.

Pastor: Rev. Berniece Ludlum

Associate Pastor: Rev. Juan Espinoza

Music Director: Jeff Adams

Organist: Bonnie Castelli

Children’s Time: Melyssa Walker

Liturgist: Jane Gregg

Ushers: Jerry Roetzer, Jane Gregg, KaCee Richards

Acolytes: Tyce Parker, Payson Parker

Media: Bob Melia

Sound: Matt Gerard

## Worship of God 11:00 a.m.

Welcome

Praise and Worship

“Rest on Us”

“Everlasting God”

*Bring attendance and offering forward as we sing the next song.*  
“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus”

Offertory Prayer

Go God!

Prayer Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Lord’s Prayer

Ministry with Children (Holy Wiggle Time)  
“Jesus Loves Me”

Sermon “Why Are You Here?”

Scripture Luke 4:14-21

Song “Trading My Sorrows”

Announcements

Benediction

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Facilitating Worship at 11:00 a.m.

Minister: Rev. Berniece Ludlum

Worship Band: Jeff Adams, Pat Falcon, Susan Hansen, Molly Johnson, John Radenberg

Children’s Time: Melyssa Walker

Media: Kathy Falcon, Megan Welsh