Solomons United Methodist Church

Loving, Serving, and Growing in the Name of Jesus Christ

Sunday, May 6, 2018 10:00 a.m.

Welcome



THE OUTSIDERS JOIN US

*Welcome and Opening Prayer

Opening Song

Spirit Break Out

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Scripture Reading: Acts 8:26-40, 10:44-48

Pew Bible, page 892/see screen

Sermon

Rev. Dottie Yunger

Reflection Song

Make Us One

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Joining Us and Prayers

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Offering

The Great Thanksgiving

Holy Wisdom is with us.

We praise you, Christ Crucified.

Holy Spirit breathes in us.

Spirit of Power, Spirit of Life!

Holy Source of All draws near.

In you alone we boast!

With all creation we proclaim:

Holy, holy, holy!

Holy are you, O God, ever creating, stirring in the souls and bringing among us those we least expect. Holy are you, O God.

^{*}Please stand as you are able

Holy are you, O God, enfleshed in Jesus, delivering us from the power of sin and death, empowering us by the Spirit, and interrupting our talk and explanations with unmistakable signs of your saving power.

Holy are you, O God.

Holy the food Jesus gave,
when on the night of his betrayal
he took bread, blessed it and broke it,
and gave it to his disciples.
Holy the words he spoke then,
and your Spirit speaks still:

"This is my body broken for you. Remember me."

Holy the drink Jesus offered, when that same night he took the cup, thanked you and shared it.
Holy the words he spoke then, and your Spirit speaks still:

"This is my blood of the new covenant for you. Remember me."

We remember you, Source, Wisdom and Spirit of Holiness. We praise you not only with our lips but with our lives:

Jesus Christ,

crucified, you called and claimed us, risen, you have raised us, coming again, you make all things new.

Even so, come Lord Jesus! Hallelujah!

Even so, come and fill this feast, Holy Spirit, Spirit of Power, Spirit of Life.

Come upon us and these gifts of bread and wine.

Make them be for us what Jesus says they are, Christ's body, Christ's blood.

Make us become what Jesus prays we are, one body in him empowered and enlivened by his blood.

So may this food and drink be holy, and nourish us in holy conversation this day and every day as on that day we feast with him in new creation.

And now and ever, all glory to you, Holy Spirit, Holy Wisdom, Holy Source of all that was, and is, and is to come. Amen

**Communion All Who Hunger see screen

**Communion is open to everyone in attendance. Take a piece of bread and dip it into the juice provided for you.

We offer gluten-free communion, please let us know when you come forward.

Children's Time

*Closing Hymn God of Grace & God of Glory UMH #577/see screen

*Benediction

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