

Announcements

GROUP PICTURES

Please remain in the sanctuary if your group is scheduled for pictures today.

LABOR DAY HOLIDAY

The church office is closed on Labor Day. Faith Based Fitness and Knit One, Crochet Too are also cancelled.

SNOWCAP CLOTHING

Thursday at 2 pm
at Gresham Station.

KID'S CONNECTION

Next Sunday

CHURCH COUNCIL

Monday, September 9th in-person
at 6:30 pm. All are welcome to attend.

PRAYER REQUESTS

prayers@greshamumc.com
or Prayer Box at back of Sanctuary.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.
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Gresham United Methodist Church

**A Spiritual Community,
In the Christian Tradition,
Where Everyone is
Welcome**





15th Sunday After Pentecost

Order of Worship

*If able, please stand when indicated by the asterisk **

September 1st, 2024

Pastor

Rev. Dr. Troy Lynn Carr

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Welcome

Prelude

“How Great Thou Art”

Call to Worship *

Opening Hymn *

“For the Beauty of the Earth”
UMH 92 vs.1-4

Special Music

“I Walked Today Where Jesus Walked”
Robert Potter, vocalist

**Passing of the Peace
of Christ**

Prayer of the Day

Scripture Readings

Old Testament: Song of Solomon 2:8-13
Gospel: Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23 *

Gospel Response

“Alleluia” UMH 186

Sermon

“Inside Out”

Rev. Dr. Troy Lynn Carr

Sermon Hymn

“Jesus, Name Above All Names”
TFWS 2071

Prayer for the People

Offering/Offertory

“Give Thanks”

Doxology *

“Praise God from Whom All
Blessings Flow”
UMH 94

Receiving of the Gifts *

“All Things Come of Thee, O Lord”
UMH 588

**Invitation &
Prayer of Confession**

The Great Thanksgiving

Communion

“Let Us Break Bread Together” UMH 618
“Eat This Bread” UMH 628

Lord’s Prayer

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Closing Hymn *

“Lord, I Want to Be a Christian”
UMH 402 vs. 1,2,4

Benediction *

Postlude

“They’ll Know We are Christians”

Lectionary Readings

9/1 - 9/8

Proverbs 22:1-2, 8-9, 22-23 *Psalms 125*
James 2:1-10 (11-13), 14-17 *Mark 7:24-37*