

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS *Lay Leader*

PRELUDE “Chorale Prelude on a melody by Melchior Vulpius”, arr. Healey Williams  
*Cheryl Mahoney, Organist*

\*CALL TO WORSHIP (Read responsively) *Lay Leader*

Leader: Ascended God, we praise you for the mighty power of your royal reign!

**ALL: Glorious and Righteous King of all things: we come today to worship you.**

Leader: Ascending God, we give thanks for your continuing reign of truth and love.

**All: “Come, everyone! Clap your hands! Shout to God with joyful praise...!”**

Leader: LORD Most High God, Creating King of all that was and is, and all that will be:  
we sing our praises and offer our thankful prayers for all God’s gifts to us.

**All: Awe-inspiring God, the Alpha and the Omega, we revere your Holy Name, and yearn  
for the time when God’s Kingdom of justice and peace is realized. Amen** written by Joan Stott

\*OPENING HYMN “God of Grace and God of Glory” #577 UMH

BAPTISM AND RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS (11:15 ONLY) *Pastors*  
Sadie Joy Moriarty (baptism); Kim Levinsohn and Matthew Boyer (new members)

CHILDREN’S TIME *Pastor Emilee*

PASTORAL PRAYER *Pastor Tim*

\*GOSPEL READING Luke 24.44-53 (NRSVUe)

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Ephesians 1.15-23 (NRSVUe)

MESSAGE *Pastor Emilee*

INTRO TO OFFERING

MINISTRY MOMENT – Tom Pinney; Contemporary Worship Leader

OFFERING & MUSIC “Let Not Your Heart Be Troubled“ arr. Oley Speaks  
*Ashley Rizzo, alto soloist (8:15 am)*

“Ancient Words” arr. John Purifoy  
*Sanctuary Choir (11:15 am)*

\*DOXOLOGY (modern version) #95 UMH

\*PRAYER FOR OFFERING

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (Unison) #882 UMH  
Apostles’ Creed Ecumenical Version

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE

GREAT THANKSGIVING & HOLY COMMUNION #2257 TFWS

COMMUNION HYMN “Fairest Lord Jesus” #189 UMH

\*PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

\*CLOSING HYMN “He Is Exalted” #2070 TFWS

\*MISSION STATEMENT: *As followers of Christ, we **Seek** others in our  
community, **Serve** their needs, **Grow** in the love of Christ, and **Connect** with each  
other.”*

\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE Fanfare on “Gopsal” arr. David Willcocks

*The flowers on the altar today were given in memory of my son, Scott Davis,  
with love from Janet Davis*



Scan this code (or find a paper visitor card in the pew backs), to connect with us,  
write a prayer request, or get more information! We’ll be happy to follow up!

**Congratulations to our Confirmation Class of 2026**

Evan Beasley, Reece Burton, Sophie Govar, Jane Murray  
Jake Rodriguez, and Cora Xanthopoulos.

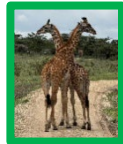
Who are being confirmed today at the 9:45 am service.

**NOTES YOU NEED**

**May 17th** Join us this afternoon at 4pm in Kobler Hall for “Community Conversations” with Joshua Cole!



**THIS EVENING!!**  
**Community Conversations:  
 Faith, Policy & the Common  
 Good**  
 Peace with Justice Ministry  
 is sponsoring an evening with  
 Joshua Cole  
 Sunday, May 17 at 4 pm in  
 Kobler Hall



**Tomorrow May 18<sup>th</sup>**, join the JOY(Just Older Youth) Ministry for light refreshments at 3 pm in the Fellowship Hall, with a program at 3:30 pm for a delightful afternoon as we journey through safari highlights from Tanzania and learn about Maasai life among the Serengeti’s animals and plants.

**Food pantry Volunteer Reception & Training** -Have you ever thought about volunteering at the Food Pantry? Join us on **May 20 at 2:00 p.m. in Kobler Hall** for refreshments and a welcoming overview of how we serve our food insecure community together, as we also give thanks for all who have volunteered and continue to serve. RSVP at [pantry@fumcva.org](mailto:pantry@fumcva.org)

**You’re invited Sunday, May 24<sup>th</sup>** at 5pm, for a time of prayer and song, but more importantly, we will have space. Space to breathe, space to feel whatever your soul needs to feel. All are welcome and invited.



*A Service of  
 Lament & Gathering*  
 Sunday, May 24 | 5pm | Kobler

**May 31st - 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday** Breakfast at 8:45, service at 10:00 am both in Kobler Hall! We’re celebrating our Graduates too! All types of breakfast/brunch food are welcome, bring something to share if you feel led!



<b>Attendance 5/10/2026; 8:15 –70, 9:45 -98, 11:15-103, Online- 14</b>	
Amount Needed for Budget – 2026 Annually:	\$ 1,020,206.00
Monthly:	\$ 85,017.17
Weekly:	\$ 19,619.35
Amount Received for Budget: Year 2026:	\$ 369,872.54
April 2026:	\$ 85,124.32
Last Week 5/10-5/16/26:	\$ 11,918.50
Amount Received to Pay Off Building Loan: Year 2026:	\$42,787.00
April 2026:	\$ 7,180.00
Last Week 5/10-5/16/26:	\$ 5,395.00
Actual Amount on Building Loan:	\$83,630.00



**WELCOME TO FREDERICKSBURG UMC**

**Sunday, May 17, 2026**

**8:15 & 11:15 AM**

Are you new or visiting? We'd love to connect with you!  
 Please speak with an usher to receive a welcome bag!

**Meet our Pastors**

Pastor Tim Tate – [pastortim@fumcva.org](mailto:pastortim@fumcva.org)  
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