



UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF VISTA
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Worship Bulletin of the United Methodist Church of Vista

*We are called to be an authentic, accessible and inclusive community
in Christ, celebrating and extending God's love into the world.*

In-house and Live-stream (livestream.umcvista.org) Worship

**Blended Sunday Morning
February 15, 2026
10:00 a.m.**

Prelude

Prelude in C Major BWV553

J.S. Bach

Roberta Wiersma, Piano

Opening Worship

Greeting and Invocation (Dakota Koenig, Certified Lay Minister)

***Call to Worship** (Dakota Koenig)

Leader: Before we took our first breath, God called us by name.

People: We are God's beloved, chosen to shine with Christ's light.

Leader: When John saw Jesus, he declared, here is the Lamb of God.

People: We come to witness, to wonder, and to follow.

Leader: Enter this sacred time with open eyes and expectant hearts.

All: We come to worship the light of the world. Amen.

Opening Hymn

Open the Eyes of My Heart

Praise Band

Ministry Moments (Dakota Koenig)

Invite Children to Godly Play



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Proclamation

1st Scripture Reading (Paula Amaro)

[Matthew 13:1-9 \(NRSV\)](#)

Gift of Music

The Unclouded Day

Music: J.K. Alwood

Heidi Kendall

2nd Scripture Reading (Paula Amaro)

[Matthew 13:31-32 \(NRSV\)](#)

Homily (Dakota Koenig, Certified Lay Minister)

Response

Prayer Time

-Invitation to Prayer Stations and Offering

Prayer Music

Community Prayer (Dakota Koenig)

Hymn of Promise

UMH 707 – Hymn of Promise

Brenda Foss, Piano

The Apostles' Creed (Pastor Scott)

UMH 881

Offertory (Pastor Scott)

UMH 94 – Doxology

Brenda Foss and Roberta Wiersma, Organ

Prayer of Dedication (Pastor Scott)



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Sending Forth

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Leader: People of God, we plant the seeds of Love and Hope.

People: The small things we do will blossom in your name.

Leader: Go Be instruments of God's mercy and justice.

People: We will embody the Beatitudes in all we do.

Leader: Go with the blessing of God who calls the broken ones beloved.

People: We will walk humbly, love kindly and seek peace.

Leader: Go with the light of Jesus and let His light shine in you.

All: We will shine the light of Christ's grace in the world.

Closing Hymn

This Little Light of Mine

Praise Band with Heidi Kendall

Benediction (Dakota Koenig)

Postlude

I Love to Tell the Story

by Hankey, William G. Fischer and arranged by Joel Raney

Roberta Wiersma, Piano

Music Acknowledgements

Praise Band: Greg Rye, Roy Good, Jimmy Patton and Adam Ferrara.

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Announcements

Giving thanks for your Support and Contributions: You are essential to all we do for Vista and beyond. Please consider making a financial contribution to the ongoing work of this faith community. Your monetary gifts can be dropped in the offering box, put through the secure mail slot near the office or use your credit card at the Scrip table. Thank you!

Youth Group meets today from 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. See John Giard with any questions.

Shrove Tuesday is February 17. We will meet at Denny's on West Vista Way (across from St. Francis Church), 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. You can purchase Denny's gift cards at the Scrip table on Sundays. Come enjoy a wonderful fellowship meal with your church family before the start of Lent. Any questions, please contact Sara Baldwin or Tom Humphrey.

LENT...Our Lenten Journey begins on February 18 (Ash Wednesday). Pastor Broghan will be on the upper level of the parking lot between 7:00 - 10:00 a.m. and offer some ashes and a simple blessing. A self-guided meditation in the Chapel will be available from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Lenten Bible Studies will be after worship in Cable Hall on Sundays, starting Feb. 22, or online via Zoom on Monday evenings, beginning Feb. 23, 6:30 p.m. (Zoom log in info coming soon.) Note: During Sunday's Lenten Bible study, there will also be a children's Bible study and childcare.



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