

Covenant United Methodist Church

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22nd Sunday after Pentecost
Virtual and Indoor Worship Bulletin

“Light yourself on fire
with passion and
people will come from
miles to watch you
burn.”

— John Wesley



Welcome & Announcements

Prelude

Call to Worship

The world finds no proof of God.

But the heavens tell of God's glory.

God's message is foolishness to the world.

But God's folly trumps human wisdom.

The freedom of the world brings us death.

But obedience to God's ways brings life.

We gather in the name of Christ crucified.

The Word made flesh brings life to God's people!

— adapted from *The Abingdon Worship Annual 2009*

Opening Prayer

Gracious God, help us to burn with the passion of our founder, John Wesley, that we might share your love in the world with energy and generosity. Amen.

Opening Hymn

Open the Eyes of My Heart, Lord
Covenant Virtual Choir

Time with Children

Pastor Dawn

Scripture

Galatians 3:25-29

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

Special Music

Be Thou My Vision
Trio: Rhonda von Ballmoos, Anita Stonebraker, Nancy Wilcox
Piano: Kathy Herman
Cello: Martha Vance

Dan Forrest

Sermon

“Our Founder: John Wesley—The Resister”

Pastor Dawn

Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

Invitation to Offering

Closing Hymn

Wonderful Words of Life

Benediction

The altar flowers are given to the Glory of God and in memory of their son, Matthew Henry Irish by Kim and Steve Irish.

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