

11/13/2016
Connection Card

Please place completed form
in offering plate.

Welcome! Whether you are a guest or a member,
we'd love to connect with you! Let us know how we
can help you.

- I need to update my contact information.
- I'd like to begin receiving the Gobin Weekly via email.
- I'd like to begin receiving the Gobin Monthly Newsletter via email.
- I'd like to begin receiving weekly emails for the Digital Prayer Chain.

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

I AM A:

- 1st time guest
- 2nd time guest
- Regular Attender
- Member

Prayer Requests or Prayer Needs

How can we pray for you?

Please feel free to send prayer requests to
prayers@gobinumc.org
throughout the week!

- For Prayer Team
- For Digital Prayer Chain
- Confidential

This Week

Please consider using the following resources
throughout the week ahead.

Questions for Reflection

Jesus speaks of wars, insurrections,
earthquakes, famines, and plagues, but
instructs his followers, "Do not be terrified!"
How does our witness to the gospel include
resistance to our natural impulse to be
terrorized by evil? Have you ever suffered
persecution as a Christian because you
refused to go along with social pressure to
be fearful of enemies, terrorists, criminals,
illegal aliens, or other pariahs?

Morning Prayer

Lord of Creation, every morning you renew
the earth with light.

I praise for you the morning light, and I
rejoice in the life you
have given me.

Let me be a friend to those who do not
know your love.

Let me offer hope to those who do not trust
your goodness.

Let me embody graciousness to those who
do not understand your peace.

Help me to be a blessing to all I encounter–
to bear witness to your goodness through
Jesus Christ. Amen.

Evening Prayer

Surely God is my salvation;

I will trust and will not be afraid.

For the Lord God is my strength and my
might;

he has become my salvation.

Lord, the day is done and my labors must
end.

I trust to your care all that I have done
and all that I have left undone,

for you alone are my strength.

Give me peaceful rest

that I may raise to faithful service,

with Jesus Christ my Lord. Amen.

Scriptures for Sunday, November 20

Jeremiah 23:1-6

Luke 1:68-79

Colossians 1:11-20

Luke 23:33-43

ANNOUNCEMENTS

EMILY CHEN'S RECITAL: FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18TH, 7:30PM

Come support our wonderful instrumentalist, Emily Chen, this Friday as she performs her recital with soprano Molly McGuire. The performance will be at DePauw's Green Center in the Thompson Recital Hall. This is a free event and open to the public.

AND DON'T FORGET THESE EVENTS!

Sunday School: Sundays, 9:30am

Abundant Health Meeting: November 18, 5:30pm

Abundant Health Down Home Dinner: December 11

A Christmas Carol Performance: November 26, 7pm

Choir Practice: Thursdays, 7-8pm

Disciple Bible Study: Tuesdays, 7-9pm

Drum Circle: Wednesdays, 7-8:30pm (September 28 - December 7)

Missions Committee Meeting: Monday, October 24th at 7pm

Morning Prayer: Wednesday mornings at 8:30am

Sewing Bee: Last Wednesday of each month, 9:30am-3pm

UMW Board Meeting: Second Wednesday of each month, 9:30am

Aldersgate Circle: Third Thursday of each month, 1:30pm

Genesis Circle: Third Wednesday of each month, 7pm

Don't forget– this is just a glimpse of what goes on at Gobin! All are welcome to join in fellowship. To stay up-to-date and find out more, please visit our Events page at gobinumc.org/news-events/events/ or call the church office at 765-658-6010 for more info!

Scriptures for each Sunday can be found at: lectionary.library.vanderbilt.edu

Morning Prayer & Evening Prayer Resources: (2013-03-25). *Feasting on the Word Worship Companion: Liturgies for Year C, Volume 2: Trinity Sunday through Reign of Christ.* Presbyterian Publishing Corporation.



Gobin Memorial
THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

connect. grow. serve.

Sunday, November 13, 2016



Our Mission

The mission of Gobin Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

Our Vision

To create a spiritual community that is full of life by honestly sharing our whole selves with one another in relationship.

–Rev. Bryan Langdoc, Pastor of Gobin
pastor@gobinumc.org

GATHERING

New Beginnings

Twenty-sixth Sunday After Pentecost, November 13, 2016

Welcome Rev. Bryan Langdoc

Introit *At the River* Gobin Choir
Adapted by Aaron Copland

Call to Worship Teddy Shuck

One: The Lord is continually creating something new.
All: We are part of that creation, renewed, redeemed, beloved.

One: Through all this change, God is with us.
All: Though we struggle and doubt, yet God is faithful.

One: Praise be to God who continually blesses us.
All: Let our hearts, our voices, and our spirits sing God's praises. AMEN.

Opening Prayer

Hymn of Praise "This is a Day of New Beginnings" UMH #383

Affirmation of Faith 20th century South African creed
One: Jesus taught us to speak of hope as the coming of God's kingdom,
so let us profess our faith and hope!

**All: We believe that God is at work in our world
turning hopeless and evil situations into good.
We believe that goodness and justice will triumph in the end,
and that tyranny and oppression cannot last forever.
One day all tears will be wiped away;
the lamb will lie down with the lion,
and justice will roll down like a mighty stream.
True peace and true reconciliation are not only desired,
they are assured and guaranteed in Christ.
This is our faith.**

PROCLAMATION

Prayer for Illumination

God of the earthquake and the silence, quiet in us any voice but your own, that by the power of the Holy Spirit we might hear, and in hearing we might believe, and in believing we might act, making way for your new creation. Amen.

Scripture Reading— Pew Bible Page #743 Teddy Shuck
Isaiah 65:17-25

One: For the Word of God in scripture,
for the Word of God among us,
for the Word of God within us:

All: Thanks be to God!

A Children's Blessing

[children are invited to children's church]

Sermon "New Beginnings" Rev. Bryan Langdoc

RESPONSE

Service of Baptism (booklet)

THANKSGIVING

Prayers of the People Marilyn Culler

The Lord's Prayer
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come,
thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the
kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Offertory Prayer & Offering Rev. Bryan Langdoc

Offertory Solo Steven Snyder, *piano*

Doxology UMH #94
Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

SENDING FORTH

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

Hymn of Invitation "My Hope is Built" UMH #368

Benediction & Commission Rev. Bryan Langdoc

Go out into the world in peace.
Live fully.
Build homes.
Plant vineyards.
Give thanks.
Work for what is right.

And now may the God of our salvation,
our strength and our comfort,
guard your hearts and minds this day and evermore.

Postlude Steven Snyder, *piano*

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Children & Nursery

We love it when children stay to join us in worship.
Liturgy boxes are located near the South entrance
and are available for children to use and
participate in the worship service. Children are
invited to go to Children's Church immediately
after A Time for the Child. In addition, a nursery is
available for children ages 4 and under in Wesley
Hall.

This Week's Scripture Reading

Scan this QR code to instantly pull up the Epistle &
Gospel Readings on your smart phone!



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or via text message from your smart phone or
electronic device. If texting, please text your
amount to:
765-253-4477.



Available in the Narthex.

What's Next?

Connect.

- I'm ready to follow Jesus.
- I've never been baptized and am interested in learning more about it.
- I'm ready for a do-over and would like to reaffirm the promises made at baptism.

Grow.

- I'm interested in joining a small group.
- I'd like to have coffee with the pastor.
- I'm interested in learning more about church membership.
- I'm interested in joining a bible study.

Serve.

- I want to volunteer for a ministry.
- I would like to be contacted by a leader.
- I'd like to learn more about mentoring young people.
- I'd be willing to read scripture in the worship service.
- I'd be willing to spend 30 minutes this week to clean the church.
- I'm willing to help put a fresh coat of paint on the walls.

I'd like to serve on a team

- Coffee Ministry
- Sunday School
- Nursery
- Children's Church
- Hospitality
- Worship
- Education
- Stewardship/Finance
- Mission/Service

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