

South Community United Methodist Church
11800 47 Mile Road, Cadillac, MI 49601
231.775.3067

www.scommunityumc.org

January 11, 2026

Rev. Earl Detwiler, Pastor

Worship, 9:00am

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

WE ENTER INTO GOD'S DIVINE PRESENCE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

"How Great Thou Art"

UMH 77

*OPENING HYMN

"My Jesus, I Love Thee"

UMH 172

*UNISON OPENING PRAYER

Lord, I have lots of questions. Seems like insanity has taken over everything around us. The news is full of situations that really upset us and typically we look for blame. Seeking out our own understanding we become victims of our own thought processes. How can we make sense out of the times we live in? Dear Lord, come to us in this service and establish a presence that will lead us into not just knowledge but understanding. Help us to find direction in your Word and peace in your Spirit. In Jesus name. AMEN.

BY FAITH, WE LOOK INSIDE OUR LIVES

CALL TO REFLECTION

A MOMENT FOR SILENT REFLECTION

BY FAITH WE SHARE IN THE WORD OF GOD

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 5:1-12

SERMON

Rev. Earl Detwiler

"Pop Quiz"

BY FAITH, WE RESPOND TO GOD'S CALL

HYMN OF RESPONSE

UMH 177

"He Is Lord"

MINISTRY OF PRAYER

Sharing our Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

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.

HOLY COMMUNION

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Offertory

*Doxology

UMH 95

"Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

RATE YOURSELF ABOUT THE FOLLOWING:

1. Spiritual Wellness

1 2 3 4 5

2. Grieving

1 2 3 4 5

3. Meekness

1 2 3 4 5

4. Desire for Righteousness

1 2 3 4 5

5. Merciful

1 2 3 4 5

6. Pure in Heart

1 2 3 4 5

7. Peacemaker

1 2 3 4 5

8. Handling Personal Injustice

1 2 3 4 5

9. Handling Hurtful Rumors

1 2 3 4 5

WE GO FORTH TO SERVE

***CLOSING HYMN**

UMH 526

"What a Friend We Have in Jesus"

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**