Greetings from
EAST NELSON UMC
Welcome



November 1, 2026

SUNDAY SERVICE TIME: 10:00 AM

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SERVICE ORDER

PRELUDE – Kathi Jo DeYoung

LIGHT OF CHRIST

WELCOME and OPENING PRAYER - Pastor Chuck Smith

LIFE OF THE CHURCH

OPENING WORDS -- Gloria Cole

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Ldr: We are chosen children of God, bound together by the Holy Spirit.

ALL: We belong to God, and through God, we belong to one another.

Ldr: As we gather to remember the saints who formed us in the faith, we give thanks for their living witnesses to God's love, showing us that:

ALL: We belong to God, and through God, we live as family in Christ, bound together by Love.

Ldr: We give thanks for the influence of the saints in our lives who demonstrated God's love and saving grace, so that we could know in our bones that:

ALL: We belong to God, and through God, we are saved to love one another.

Ldr: Come let us worship God who blesses us with witnesses to divine love that we may be witnesses of Him.



SONG: How Great Is Our God

SONG: I'll Fly Away

SONG: For All The Saints (UMH 711)

PRAISE TEAM: Purify My Heart/Refiners Fire



TIME OF PRAYER – Pastor Chuck Smith

SCRIPTURE: Revelation 7:9-17 (NIV)
1 Thessalonians 4:14–18 (NIV)
Matthew 23:2-12 (NIV)

MESSAGE–"Are You A Saint?" Pastor Chuck Smith

LIGHTING OF CANDLE FOR ALL SAINTS DAY

COMMUNION (UMH p. 6-11)

OPENING PRAYER/PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION
INVITATION TO CHRIST'S TABLE
CONFESSION AND PARDON
PASSING THE PEACE
THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION (UMH p. 9-11)

UNISON PRAYER:

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery
in which you have given yourself to us
Grant that we may go into the world
in the strength of your Spirit,
to give ourselves for others,
In the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

OFFERING of our tithes and gifts

DOXOLOGY – Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow (#94)

CLOSING SONG: Give Thanks With A Grateful Heart
(TFWS 2036)

BENEDICTION - Pastor Chuck Smith

GOD BE WITH YOU

*Special thanks to the many volunteers who make our morning worship a wonderful place to be, the Praise Team and coffee servers and cookie suppliers. We Love YOU!

Piano – Kathi Jo DeYoung
Liturgist – Caroline Bartlett

Video – Wayne Sharp
Sound – Gordon DeYoung
Screens – Jane Lubahn

Events & Announcements

Day	Date	Time	Event
Mon	11/02/2026	4:30 pm	AD Board Meeting
Wed	11/04/2026	4:30 pm	Praise Team
Sat	11/07/2026	10:00 am	AA
Sun	11/15/2026	After service	Holiday Dinner Planning
Thurs	12/03/2026	5:30-7:00 pm	Holiday Community Dinner

- **Hand2Hand**: Donation list of food items is by the Mission table. We will be having our 3rd "Fill the Altar", Sunday before Thanksgiving
- New member classes after service Sunday 11/22. See Caroline Bartlette if interested in knowing more about East Nelson and becoming a member.
- Advent Bible Study – See information in the monthly newsletter.



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