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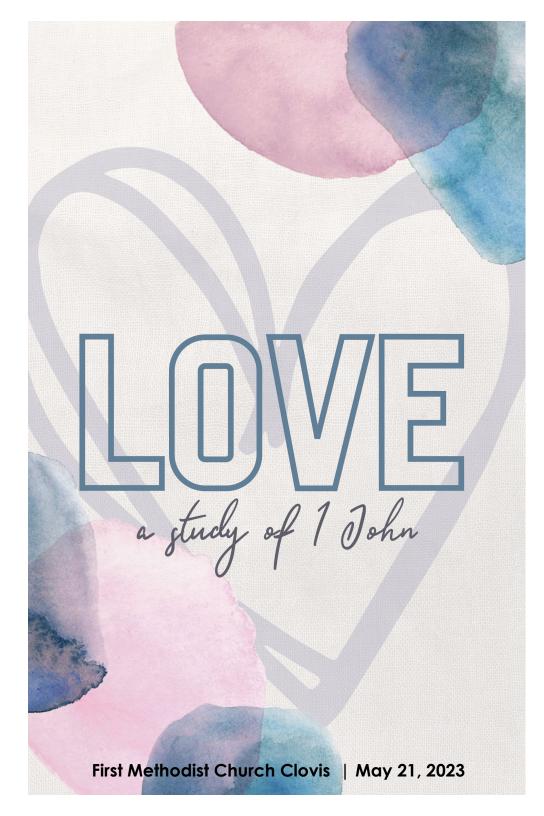


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## FIRST METHODIST CHURCH CLOVIS May 21, 2023 | 7th Sunday of Easter

**VOLUNTARY** 

Partita on St. Michael Ferrell Roberts, organ Stand Up and Bless the Lord

William Crotch/arr. Dennis Johnson

#### **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Rev. Jeb Archey

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Vernah Williams

Leader: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

People: And also with you.

Leader: How great is the love that the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God.

People: The reason the world does not know us is that it does not know him.

Leader: Beloved, now we are God's children; what we will be has not yet been made known.

People: But we know that when he appears we shall be like him,

for we shall see him as he is.

\*HYMN God of the Ages

UMH #698

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH | From 1 Timothy Vernah Williams

Leader: There is one God and there is one mediator, Christ Jesus, who came as a ransom for all, to whom we testify.

All: This saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance: that Jesus Christ came into the world to save sinners, and was manifested in the flesh, vindicated in the Spirit, seen by angels, proclaimed among the nations, believed in throughout the world, taken up in glory. Great indeed is the mystery of the gospel. Amen.

\*GLORIA PATRI

UMH #70

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

**CHILDREN'S TIME** 

Mark Bussen

MORNING PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER Rev. Jeb Archey

\*HYMN Be Thou My Vision UMH #451

\*SCRIPTURE 1 John 3:1-10 Rev. Jeb Archey

The Word of God, for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

**SPECIAL MUSIC** Give Me Jesus Annabelle Rangel, solo

arr. Moses Hogan

**SERMON** Rev. Jeb Archev

Love: Loved Like A Child

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Rev. Jeb Archey

OFFERTORY I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say Chancel Choir

arr. Ralph Vaughan Williams

\*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!

\*HYMN Sent Forth By God's Blessing UMH #664

\*BENEDICTION Rev. Jeb Archey

POSTLUDE Allegro in D Major Ferrell Roberts, organ
Cesar Franck/ed. Jon Spong

\*you are invited to stand as able

Interested in becoming a member? Contact Pastor Jeb at jarchey@fumcclovis.net or call the church office for more info.



Today's flowers are given in honor of Dewey and Alice Pierce's anniversary.

# TODAY'S WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS:

Lay Reader: Vernah Williams Children's Time: Mark Bussen Ushers/Greeters: Team 3 Piano: Alison Brown Acolyte: Addison Archey.

Leighton Castillo

**Sound/Media:** MaryNell Urban, Greg Jennings, Calvin DeWitt, Jeroen van der Ploeg

> SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:45—11:30AM AGES 3 TO ADULT

### **NURSERY CARE**

The nursery is open Sunday mornings for children birth to preschool. Our nursery is located in the north/education wing.

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