

May grace meet you here . . .

WELCOME *(Please sign the Friendship Pad)*

Prelude
Fire-Flies Amy Beach

Greeting & Welcome

Passing of the Peace

Call to Worship
We come as we are—
**with different stories, different gifts,
different ways of seeing.**
There is room here for all of us.
Some of us arrive with joy.
Some carry things others cannot see.
We make space for one another.
We are more than what we accomplish.
None of us has to be everything.
None of us stands alone.
Together, we are more than we are apart.
Come, let us worship.

+Hymn
Gather Us In TFWS #2236

Children's Message

Special Music
A Legend About A Bird Anatol Liadov
(from Eight Russian Folksongs)

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

THE WORD

+Hymn
Many Gifts, One Spirit UMH #114

Scripture 1 Corinthians 12:12-27

Message Faith & Film | Encanto

THANKSGIVING

Finance Moment Kerry Cipra

Offertory Music *The Holy Wings*
Swedish Folk Tune Setting: John Ferguson

Offertory Liturgy
**Generous God, you have given us gifts, but
our gifts do not define our worth. We belong
to you and to one another. Receive what we
bring today—our resources, our abilities, our
hopes, and very selves—and weave them
together for your purposes. May our giving
strengthen your church, serve our neighbors,
and share your love in the world. Amen.**

+Hymn
For the Beauty of the Earth
UMH #92

BLESSING

Postlude
Pollywog's Lake Talk Barry Ulman

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Donna Dempewolf, Pastor
Richard Waters, Reader
Joanne Rodland, Organ
The Windy Chicks:
Dawna Hendricks, Flute
Wendy Placko, Bassoon
Heather Scott, Oboe
Kathy Szydlo, Clarinet
Judy Tonolli, French Horn

If you are new here . . .

- ✧ We are so glad you joined us!
- ✧ **If you would benefit from a large print bulletin or a hearing assistance device, please ask an usher.**
- ✧ +Please stand as able when you see this symbol as we move through the order of worship.
- ✧ Words for congregational liturgy and song are listed in the bulletin or projected on the screen at the front of the sanctuary. Most hymns can be found in the hardcover *United Methodist Hymnal* (2-3 digit) or soft cover *The Faith We Sing* (4 digit) located in the pews. We also have Bibles for following along with Scripture.
- ✧ Check our website for more information.

For Parents

- ✧ Want to learn more about NUMC's ministry with children, youth, and families? Join our email list! info@northfieldumc.org
- ✧ Staffed nursery available for children during worship.

Northfield United Methodist Church Mission

We are companions in Christ, called, nurtured, and sent out for this purpose: to glorify God by acts of worship, devotion, compassion, and justice.

Donna Dempewolf, Pastor
Kristen Twitchell, Interim Youth Director
Ruth Kruse, Parish Nurse
For more information visit our website at www.northfieldumc.org.
Miss a week?
Watch our worship service online on our website!

Jesus Christ calls us to offer welcome, hospitality and God's gracious love to all.

Upcoming Events

Sundays

9:30 am – Worship
10:30 am – Coffee in Fellowship Hall
Children's Church will return in September

Wednesdays

Super Wednesday will return on September 16th

Upcoming Events

Mugs and Muffins, Monday, August 17, 9:00 am, Library

Card Making, Monday, August 17, 2:30 pm, room #120

Women's Bible Study, Tuesday, August 18, 9:00 am, room #120

Facilities Team Mtg., Tuesday, August 18, 7:00 pm, Library

Meditation, Tuesday, August 18, 7:00 pm, Reception Room

Mission Sewing, Wednesday, August 19, 9:00 am, room #120

Men's Breakfast, Friday, August 21, 8:00 am, Fellowship Hall

Summer Splash Party, Saturday, August 29, 1:00-4:00 pm

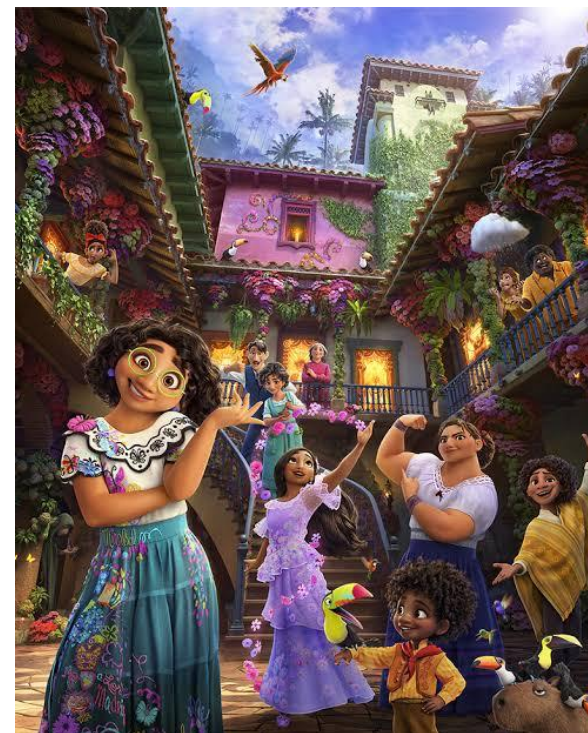
August Worship Series: Faith & Film

Join us for Faith & Film as we explore how stories on the screen can deepen our understanding of God's story.

To get the most out of the series, we encourage you to watch the movies ahead of time—or revisit an old favorite!

August 16: Encanto

August 23: Inside Out 2



Faith & Film Encanto

August 16, 2026
9:30 am

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Worship.
Devotion.



Compassion.
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