

# First United Methodist Church

Building A Village of Faith  
October 10, 2021 – 11:00 AM


**Worship Theme:** We bring “the story of a man named Job” to a close this Sunday. It’s been quite a journey, and I hope it’s been insightful and helpful to you! We bring the series full circle and finish up at the opposite end of the narrative world of Job from where we started. That is, with God’s full restitution of all that “ha-satan,” the accuser, took from him. Well, maybe not everything...kind of tough to erase the time Job spent in misery! That notwithstanding, I think Job may agree with the old adage that serves as the sermon title: “All’s well that ends well...”

*“... the Lord restored the fortunes of Job when he had prayed for his friends; and the Lord gave Job twice as much as he had before.”  
- Job 42:10 [NRSV]*

**HAPPY ENDINGS**

“And the Lord restored Job’s losses when he prayed for his friends. Indeed the Lord gave Job twice as much as he had before... So Job died, old and full of days.” (Job 42:10, 17)

First Job 1:3	Finally Job 42:10-17
7 sons and 3 daughters	7 sons and 3 daughters
7,000 sheep	14,000 sheep
3,000 camels	6,000 camels
500 yoke of oxen	1,000 yoke of oxen
500 female donkeys	1,000 female donkeys



Job ended with twice of everything he had before. In addition, his daughters were the most beautiful on earth. He met his grandchildren and his great-grandchildren and he lived 140 years more to enjoy everything! Nevertheless, Job finally died.

\* It is customary to stand at these times; however, please feel free to remain seated if you prefer.

## Words of Welcome & Greeting

Pastor Steve

## Music to Set the Tone for Worship

“Fughette on A Mighty Fortress is our God”  
Joe Henry, organ/piano

Johann Pachelbel

## \* Call to Worship & Hymn of Celebration

Charlotte Boylan

Leader: Friends, know that we are beloved of God, no matter what calamities befall us.

People: **With Job, we long to see the face of God; we yearn for our eternal home.**

Choir Only: Verse 1 of “I Know That My Redeemer Lives”

Leader: Friends, taste and see that the Lord is good.

People: **And one day, he will wipe every tear from our eyes.**

Choir Only: Verse 2 of “I Know That My Redeemer Lives”

Leader: And friends... of this we can be sure:

People: **Our Redeemer lives, and we shall arise with the risen Lord!**

Choir Only: Verse 3 of “I Know That My Redeemer Lives”

Congregation to Join on Refrain:

**I know that my Redeemer lives, that I shall rise again.**

**I know that my Redeemer lives, that I shall rise again.**

## \* Affirmation of Faith (Aloud in Unison)

Congregation, led by Charlotte Boylan

Affirmation from Romans 8

UMH #887

Who shall separate us from the love of Christ?  
Shall tribulation or distress, or persecution or famine,  
or nakedness or peril or sword?

Charlotte Boylan

**No! In all things we are more than conquerors...**

Congregation

## \* The Gloria Patri

“Glory Be to the Father”

UMH #70

## Children’s Message

Video Clip

Anna Aleksa

<b>Scripture Proclamation</b>		Pastor Steve
	Beginning with <i>The Job Suite</i> Michael Card, Christian Artist	
	Finishing with the Scripture: Job 42:10-17 [NRSV]	Charlotte Boylan
<b>Message</b>	“All’s Well That Ends Well...”	Pastor Steve
<b>Choral Anthem</b>	“From Age to Age the Same” Sanctuary Choir	Lloyd Larson
<b>Generosity Celebration: New Members Joining the Church</b>		
	→ Names: Constantine Daniels, John & Nelda Partin, Pat & Larry Backes, GeneAnn Jimmerson, Karen Goucher, and Kathy Kain	
	→ Prayer of Thanksgiving & The Lord’s Prayer	Pastor Steve
<b>* Doxology</b>	“Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”	UMH #94
<b>Living Our Faith</b>	Prayer Concerns and Community-building Opportunities	Pastor Steve
<b>* Going Forth in Song</b>	“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”	UMH #140
<b>* Benediction</b>		Pastor Steve
<b>Postlude</b>	“Fughette on A Mighty Fortress is our God” Johann Gottfried Walther	



### Prayers for Our People & Beyond

- For Sandy Nesbitt who had a heart procedure on 9/23. Cards may be sent to her at 2616 H Road, GJ 81506.
- For Dick Mantlo, the brother of Tana Foote, who is struggling with metastatic cancer and treatment. Also prayers for Dick's wife, Claudia, and family.
- **Praying for our District Churches** (1 every week) – This week is First UMC, Ogden located in Marriott-Slaterville City, Utah. Their leader is Rev. Kim James.

**To add someone to the phone prayer chain, please call Peggy Price at 242-4206**

*Thank you for participating in our worship service today.  
We hope you continue to be with us!*