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FIRST UNITED CHURCH
320 East Hastings Street
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Ministers:

Rev. J. J. Cashore

Rev. M. J. V. Shaver

10:30 A.M.

Morning Worship

Organ Prelude

Call to Worship

Hymn No. 129 (681) "Unto the Hills"

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Invocation

Scripture Lessons

Genesis 12: 1 - 8

Romans 4: 1 - 5; 13 - 14

Ministry of Music

Confession

Absolution

Hymn No. 126 (488) "Come, Let Us Sing"

Wonderful Love

Gospel Lesson

John 4: 5 - 26

Ministry of Music

Sermon FROM MISUNDERSTANDING TO FAITH

Rev. Jack Shaver

Offering: Prayer, Offertory, Doxology

Pastoral Prayer

Announcements

Hymn No. 355 (199) "We Love the Place O God"

Quam Dilecta

Benediction

Organ Postlude

We welcome all who are worshipping with us today and invite

you to an informal coffee hour following both services.

Next Sunday

10:30 a.m. Ms. Linda Ervin

7:00 p.m. Chapel - Derek Evans

Organists:

A.M. Mr. Peter Janson

P.M. Mrs. Eleanor Bush

Evening Broadcast

(Heard over CKWX at 8:00 P.M.)

7:00 P.M.

Organ Prelude

Call to Worship

Hymn No. 139 (403) "How Firm a Foundation"

Invocation

Identification

Ministry of Music

Scripture Lessons

Genesis 12: 1 - 8

Romans 4: 1 - 5; 13 - 17

John 4: 5 - 26

Ministry of Music

Prayer and Lord's Prayer (sung)

Ministry of Music

Sermon

THE STORY OF A JOURNEY

Rev. Ray Tingley

Prayer

Hymn No. 343 (297) "Jesus Thou Joy of Loving Hearts"

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Offering: Prayer, Offertory, Doxology

Announcements

Hymn No. 142 (445) "All the Way My Saviour Leads Me"

Benediction

Organ Postlude

The Official Board meets Thursday, March 19, 1981 8:00 P.M.

The U.C.W. meets Friday, March 20, 1981 at 1:00 P.M.

On Sunday evening, March 22, 1981 at the 7:00 p.m. Chapel Service Derek Evans will present his pictures and talk to us about his trip to the Philippines.

Call to Worship

The time has come to call this meeting to order. It's probably helpful to do so if we are going to worship.

But there's more to a call to worship than a call to order.

It's ~~God's~~ Call that makes a call to worship a Call to worship.

~~It's because God calls us his~~

"God receives us his people"

It's By God's call that we become God's People.

If God be for us Who can be Against us

Again 129 Unto The Hills.

Invocations:

Almighty God, Prepare our heart to receive your word.

Let ~~God~~ your word return unto you swift and accomplished in us the word intended.

We place ourselves before you we quit our rebellion, we interrupt our flight speak Lord. Ready to hear

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FIRST UNITED CHURCH.

March 14 1981

10:30 AM

FROM MISUNDERSTANDING TO FAITH

I find it striking

frightening

Read basic Christian Literature.

Central place - Faith.

Faithfulness

Heart of the matter.

key thing - goes wrong or goes right.

-ABRAHAM -

Striking:

see how it can be so
good or wrong with life -

free instead of slave
reconciled - alienated.

State of Faith.

What does faith

not mean

meant - given reason by love or

reason & courage, justice, mercy, love, etc.

upheld instead of ~~disregarded~~ of absolute
helpful instead of destructive.

Like a tree & river of life - ever & ever

portable of Kingdom of God - day and night

Fighting:

What a Thing!

what a thing to have things that really
hang on.

not something I seem to be able to
make myself do.

Long Story of Samaritan woman
 Lost for 2 Semesters
 Against New Test Narrative

Comprehension woman

Reconstruction of that Conversation is getting at
 what actually happened

no misunderstanding after words —
 no depression after words —

Classic story

Sabbath

Pilgrims

Pilgrims figure — by abstract means →

Fetch me a drink — how come you are talking to me
 here? — how water → keep coming —

Metaphor for water of life → you worship earthly

spirit & truth — when Messiah comes

Now

—

Harbored

How rare

—

Known self known

~~WTS~~ Misunderstood ↔ clear understanding

coupled with self awareness

Now

↔

God's Faithfulness

Trusted

Trusted

From

Panic — Belief a veil
 up to Faith or not.
 as poor & faith story
 of Faith.

God's Faithfulness
 God's Faith
 in US

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Now there are only for the restoration of
loose beads. For every one of which
beads flowered & blossomed bear fruit.
Now goes one of the women into every
packed bead. Now & now
until we too can achieve the life
set before us.

And now as our savior has taught us
we say