

**McFarlin Memorial United Methodist Church**  
**Sanctuary Worship: January 11, 2026**

**Call to Worship**

Fanfare - William Mathias

Stephen Wurst, organ

**Welcome**

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**\*Hymn # 585**

This Little Light of Mine

**\*Unison Litany for Let It Shine! (inspired by Matthew 5: 13-16)**

Wendi Neal

Exquisite and down to earth,  
beautiful and everyday,  
rare and commonplace is the light of Christ,  
calling all followers to live in the brilliance.  
We are called to invade any darkness in our neighborhoods,  
making a difference by living the light  
and shining a pathway for others to taste the goodness of God.  
God invites us to be beautiful and attractive,  
to flaunt God's marvelous creation  
until all are drawn to God's wonderful light.  
Let it shine!

~ adapted from an original by Rev Liz Crumlish

**\*Response #2175 (TFWS)**

Together We Serve, vs 2



We seek to be - come a bea - con of hope, a lamp for the  
heart and a light for the feet. We learn, year by year, to let love shine  
through un - til we see Christ in each per - son we meet.

**Congregational Prayer/The Lord's Prayer**

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**Children's Time**

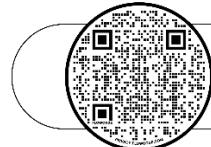
Becky Krueger

**This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine. This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine.  
This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine. Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.**

*Children's worship for grades K-5 will dismiss following the children's message at the 11:00 service.  
Parents, please pick your children up in the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor children's area following the service.*

**\*Hymn # 451**

Be Thou My Vision



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**Anthem**

(8:30) This Little Light of Mine – Mack Wilberg  
UMH #585

Emma Hatfield, soloist

(11:00) Let Your Light Shine! – Craig Courtney  
*You are the light of the world,*

Chancel Choir and Carillon Handbells

*Let your light shine, before all people, let your light shine in all the earth,  
that they might see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.*

*You are the salt of the earth, but if the salt loses its flavor, it is good for nothing.  
You are the light of the world, a city built on a hill cannot be hidden.  
A lamp cannot be covered, but shines for all to see.*

**\*Doxology # 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! Alleluia!**

**Sermon**

Beautiful News!-Let It Shine!  
Romans 10:15, Matthew 5:16, and Philippians 2:15

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**Shine Video****Invitation**

Scott Meier

**\*Hymn # 571**

Go Make of All Disciples

**\*Sending Forth**

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**\*Benediction # 206**

I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light (refrain)

**In him there is no darkness at all. The night and the day are both alike.  
The Lamb is the light of the city of God. Shine in my heart, Lord Jesus.**

**Postlude**

La Rejouissance (from Fireworks Music) - G. F. Handel

Stephen Wurst, organ

Dr. Stephen Wurst, Dir. of Music Ministries and Organist

Dr. Giovanni Corrodus, Assoc. Dir. of Music Ministries and Director of Choirs

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