

REview and PREview
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Good Tuesday afternoon. I hope you have enjoyed today's sunshine and mild temperature! The fresh snow in the mountains is stunning to behold.

REview - Special thanks to Rev. Erin for Sunday's sermon. You can find it on our church website: <http://pafumc.org/home.php>.

PREview - The readings for Sunday will be Psalm 137 and Luke 17:5-10. I encourage you to read these before Sunday.

Sunday is World Communion Sunday, one of six church-wide Special Sundays with offerings of the United Methodist Church. We recognize that countless gifted and qualified people from around the world face financial obstacles that hinder them from preparing for the vocation God has given them, especially youth and young adults. Monies collected will assist students in the United States and in foreign countries who are pursuing college, graduate, and service training programs.

I hope you will make every effort to attend services on Sunday: 8 AM Choir; 9 AM Sunday School (Library); 10 AM Worship in Sanctuary; 11.15 AM Coffee/Tea Hour in Parlor; 11.30 AM ProFaith Future in Room 101.

In the meantime, ponder this reflection of Steve Garnass-Holmes, based on Sunday's gospel reading: "If you have faith the size of a mustard seed..." Luke 17.6

"Faith is no superpower; it isn't a substance with quantity. Faith is trust in God, openness to the power inherent in what is. Faith is being in the grip of the gravity of God's grace. It's the gravity that does all the work, and no one is without it.

Faith is a tiny, weak finger willing to flip the light switch of God.
Faith is whatever the bird knows of feather, of wing, of air. Faith is allowing light to shine, lungs to breathe, God to love."