First United Methodist Church

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August 22nd, 2021 — August 28th, 2021

"Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost"

Usher / Greeter:

Liturgist: Gordie Barry

Altar Flowers: Ellen Derber

Organist: Mary Prater

Pianist: Lindy Barger

Fellowship: Rita Salter

Monday (8/23) Bible Study 11:30 / Prayer Group 12:30

Tuesday (8/24) Vitality Team 10:00

Wednesday (8/25)

Thursday (8/26) Pastor B.J. out of office through Sunday, Janet preaching

Friday (8/27)

August 29th, 2021 — September 4th, 2021

"Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost"

Usher / Greeter: Bob & Mary Whinnen Organist: Mary Prater
Liturgist: James Gaffney Pianist: Lindy Barger
Altar Flowers: Mary Prater Fellowship: Jodi & Brian

Monday (8/30) Bible Study 11:30 / Prayer Group 12:30

Tuesday (8/31) Wednesday (9/1) Thursday (9/2) Friday (9/3)



Let us please keep the following people in our prayers: Hank Weinert, Willie Chittle, Joel Prater, Ted Burson, Penny Tracy, Connie Whitsitt, Larry Billings, Jason Coryell, Kali Lewis, and Martha Weeks.



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"Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost"

WORSHIP 11AM

WELCOME

PRELUDE Just When I Need Him Most/More Like the Master

OPENING PRAYER—INVOCATION

Psalm 84

*PRAISE CHORUS: UMH 352 It's Me, O Lord

*CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Pray in the Spirit at all times, every time you pray. It is the Spirit that gives life; the flesh has no power. Put on the armor of God, that you may have protection from the evils which surround us.

P: What is the armor of God?

L: The armor of God consists of truth, righteousness, readiness to proclaim the gospel of peace, faith, salvation, and the Word of God. With these you can withstand the evil forces around you.

P: How do we put on the armor of God?

L: Pray always, in every endeavor, for the Spirit to lead you. Be truthful always in all you do and say. Be morally upright at all times. Seek to live peaceably with all you encounter. Believe! Strengthen your belief through reading the Scriptures and by communing with those of faith who surround you. Proclaim your faith whenever you have a chance, and live so that others can see it through your actions and words. Above all, walk with the Holy Spirit.

P: O Lord, we cannot do all of this alone! Be with us, guide us, and pull us back to You when we start to drift away! We ask this in Jesus' name!

*OPENING WORSHIP HYMN: UMH 496 Sweet Hour of Prayer

*APOSTLES' CREED : UMH—881

*SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

CHILDREN'S TIME

*HYMN OF PREPARATION: UMH 103

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

*EPISTLE READING: Ephesians 6:10-20

SERMON Armored

PRAYER TIME Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

PRAYER HYMN Hear Our Prayer, O Lord,

Hear Our Prayer, O Lord, Incline Thine ear to us, And grant us Thy peace.

PASTORAL PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER: UMH 895

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING

OFFERTORY: Jesus, Priceless Treasure

*DOXOLOGY: UMH 95

OFFERTORY PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC For You I Am Praying

*CLOSING HYMN: UMH 670 Go Forth With God

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE: Dear Jesus in Whose Life I See

^{*} DENOTES CONGREGATION STANDING (AS ABLE)

^{*} PLEASE BE SURE TO SILENCE ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES DURING THE WORSHIP SERVICE