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> September 12th, 2021 — September 18th, 2021 "Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost"

Usher / Greeter: Liturgist: Connie Kelsey Altar Flowers: Jack & Lynn LaRose Organist: Mary Prater Pianist: Lindy Barger Fellowship:

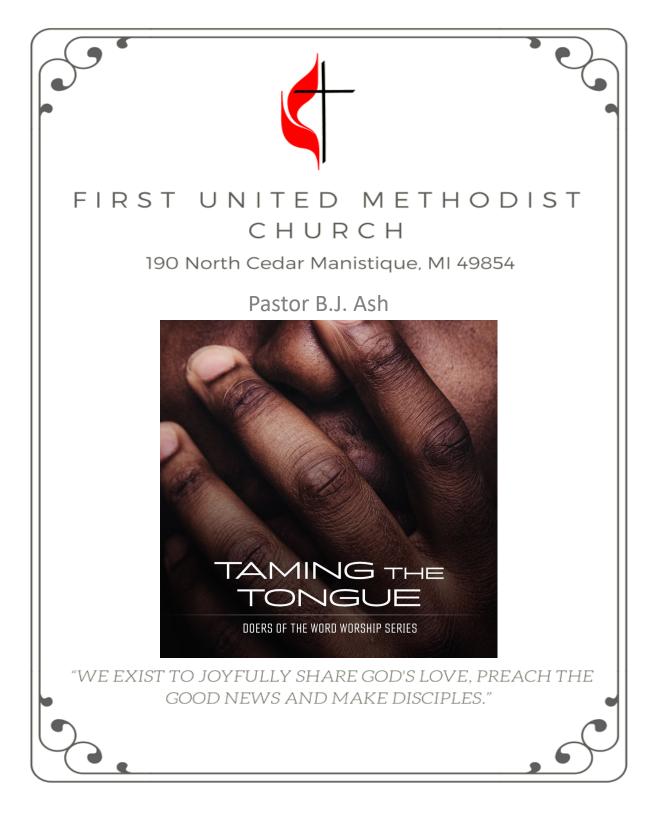
Monday (9/13)Finance Committee 10:00 / Bible Study 11:30 / Prayer Group 12:30Tuesday (9/14)Wednesday (9/15)Thursday (9/16)S/PPRC 9:30AMFriday (9/17)Friday (9/17)

September 19th, 2021 — September 25th, 2021 "Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost"

Usher / Greeter: Liturgist: Janet Helmbold Altar Flowers: Jack & Lynn LaRose Organist: Mary Prater Pianist: Lindy Barger Fellowship:

Monday (9/20)Bible Study 11:30 AM / Prayer Group 12:30 PMTuesday (9/21)Wednesday (9/22)Thursday (9/23)Vitality Team 10:00 AM

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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		September 12th, 2021 "Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost"	4	CHILDREN'S TIME		
WORSHIP			11AM	*HYMN OF PREPARATION: UN	IYMN OF PREPARATION: UMH 528	
WELCOME	E			*Epistle Reading:		James 3:1-12
PRELUDE		Rejoice ye Pure in Heart/Ho	oly Spirit. Faithful Guide	SERMON		Taming the Tongue
OPENING PRAYER—INVOCATION			PRAYER TIME	Sharing Our Joys and Concerns		
PSALM 19   * PRAISE CHORUS: UMH 145   Morning Has Broken			PRAYER HYMN	Hear Our Prayer, O Lord, Hear Our Prayer, O Lord, Incline Thine ear to us, And grant us Thy peace.		
*CALL TO	WORSHIP			PASTORAL PRAYER		
	According to the Deels of James environe who makes no mistakes in enabling is perfect			LORD'S PRAYER		
foi	According to the Book of James anyone who makes no mistakes in speaking is perfect, for such a person can keep the whole body in check, as the rider controls the horse with the bridle.			ANNOUNCEMENTS		
				OFFERING		
	Nobody makes no mistakes in speaking. All are at fault. We tell untruths, gossip, belittle others, say things in anger, and deliberately mislead others at times through			OFFERTORY:		Wonderful Words of Life
	our words. We do not control our tongues!			*DOXOLOGY: UMH 95		
to	Surely we all say things we should not, and fail to say the things we should. Our tongues have the potential to be instruments of peace, blessing, support, and good, yet we too often do not use them for these things.			OFFERTORY PRAYER		
	It is true that we often use our tongues for evil, and yet we can also use them for good. Choose your words carefully, and seek to say what will build up, and not that which		SPECIAL MUSIC "This We Pray"by Jerry Althou	-	mpanied by Maurita Holland	
	will tear down. Speak the truth rather than what is false.			"He's Got the Whole World In His Hands" Arr. by Margaret Bond		
	O Lord, help us this day and every day to use our tongues to do Your work, to				, C	
support and love Your people, and to praise and glorify You! Forgive us when we use them for harm and to express hatred and false or misleading statements which hurt			*CLOSING HYMN: UMH 338		Where He Leads Me	
others.			*BENEDICTION			
*OPENING	g worship h	YMN: UMH 419	I Am Thine, O Lord			
				POSTLUDE:	Lord [	Dismiss Us With Thy Blessing
*APOSTLES' CREED : UMH—881				* DENOTES CONGREGATION STANDING (AS ABLE) * PLEASE BE SURE TO SILENCE ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES DURING THE WORSHIP SERVICE		