

First United Methodist Church

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October 17, 2021 — October 23, 2021

“Twenty First Sunday after Pentecost”

Usher / Greeter: Needed

Liturgist: Sharon Feichtenbiner

Altar Flowers: Carol Weinert

Organist: Mary Prater

Pianist:

Fellowship: Connie K/Penny T

Monday (10/18)

Tuesday (10/19)

Wednesday (10/20)

Thursday (10/21) S/PPRC 6:30PM at church—Zoom

Friday (10/22)

Saturday (10/23) Work Bee 9am-12

October 24, 2021 — October 30, 2021

“Twenty Second Sunday after Pentecost”

Usher / Greeter: Needed please signup

Liturgist: Gordon Barry

Altar Flowers: Carol Weinert

Organist: Mary Prater

Pianist:

Fellowship: Candace Haskell

Monday (10/25)

Tuesday (10/26)

Wednesday (10/27)

Thursday (10/28)

Friday (10/29)

Saturday (10/30) Church Conference



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



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190 North Cedar Manistique, MI 49854

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WORSHIP 11AM

PRELUDE I am Praying for You/O Jesus, I have Promised

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER—INVOCATION

PSALM 104:1-9, 24, 35c

***PRAISE CHORUS:** UMH 77 How Great Thou Art

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: Jesus told His disciples that He came to serve, not to be served. They, and we, are to do as Jesus did, and serve others.

P: Many of us serve, in many ways. Sometimes it is an honor to do so. Sometimes it is burdensome to do so, and we balk at being of service but we still do so. Sometimes we are no longer able to serve because we lack the strength or resources. What then shall we do?

L: Our God knows whether or not we are able to be of service. He also knows that anyone can pray, and that prayers for others are never wasted. Pray!

P: We pray, but often do not see any results. Still we pray. However, some can no longer even pray, for they no longer have enough awareness of themselves or of others to do so.

L: God knows our situations. He never asks us to do that which we cannot do without helping us. Sometimes the only gift we can give is that of allowing ourselves to be served by those who can do this. Allow yourselves to be served when this is where you are in your life's journey, for people are honored to feel the gift of being helpful and needed which serving others can give.

P: O God, help us to be of service to others as long as we can, and give us the grace to accept the service others give us when we have no other gift to give.

***OPENING HYMN:** UMH 89 Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee

***APOSTLE'S CREED:** UMH 881

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

CHILDREN'S TIME

***HYMN OF PREPARATION:** UMH 421

Make Me a Captive Lord

***SCRIPTURE READING:**

Job 38:1-7 (34-41)

SERMON

Out of the Whirlwind

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING

OFFERTORY:

I Love To Tell the Story

***DOXOLOGY:** UMH 95

OFFERTORY PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC

Are Ye Able?

***CLOSING HYMN:** UMH 144

This Is My Father's World

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE:**

For the Beauty of the Earth

* DENOTES CONGREGATION STANDING (AS ABLE)

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