

**First United Methodist Church**

**Church Phone: (906) 341-6662 Secretary: Connie Kelsey**

**Pastor: Rev. B.J. Ash Cell: 906-286-1492 email: [pastorbjash@gmail.com](mailto:pastorbjash@gmail.com)**

**Office Hours: Pastor M-F 8-12pm , Off Wed/Connie M-T work from home 10-2, W-TH 10-2 office**

**[www.manistiquemethodist.org](http://www.manistiquemethodist.org) email: [office@manistiquemethodist.org](mailto:office@manistiquemethodist.org)**

**We encourage the wearing of face masks to prevent the spread of Covid-19.**

**February 6, 2022 — February 12, 2022**

*"Fifth Sunday after Epiphany"*

Usher / Greeter: Needed

Organist: Mary Prater

Liturgist: Carol Weinert

Children's Sunday School: Natalie G./Louise B.

Altar Flowers: In Memory of Tom Burge Jr. Fellowship: Needed

Monday (2/7) Bible Study 11 AM / Prayer Group 12 PM / Vitality 1 PM  
Tuesday (2/8) Pasty Prep 10:30 AM  
Wednesday (2/9) Pasty Sales  
Thursday (2/10) Pasty Sales  
Friday (2/11)

**February 13, 2022 — February 19, 2022**

*"Sixth Sunday after Epiphany"*

Usher / Greeter: Needed

Organist: Mary Prater

Liturgist: Louise Burson

Children's Sunday School: Natalie G./Janet H.

Altar Flowers: Needed

Fellowship: Mary & Bob Whinnen

Monday (2/14) Bible Study 11 AM / Prayer Group 12 PM  
Tuesday (2/15)  
Wednesday (2/16)  
Thursday (2/17)  
Friday (2/18)



**Let us please keep the following people in our prayers: Phyllis Burge, Jo Nell Rubick, Hank Weinert, Martha Weeks, Joel Prater, Ted Burson, Penny Tracy, Kali Lewis, Connie Whitsitt, Jason Coryell, and health concerns for the Chittle family.**



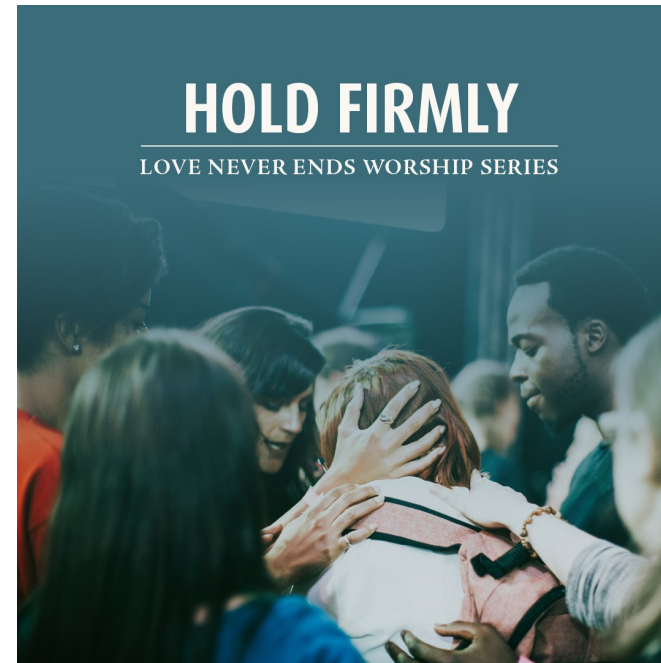
FIRST UNITED METHODIST  
CHURCH

190 North Cedar Manistique, MI 49854

Pastor B.J. Ash

**HOLD FIRMLY**

LOVE NEVER ENDS WORSHIP SERIES



*"WE EXIST TO JOYFULLY SHARE GOD'S LOVE, PREACH THE GOOD NEWS AND MAKE DISCIPLES."*



**First United Methodist Church**  
**February 6, 2022**  
**“5th Sunday after Epiphany”**



WORSHIP 11AM

PRELUDE Give My Thy Heart/Where He Leads Me

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER—INVOCATION

PSALM 138

**\*PRAISE CHORUS:** UMH 436 The Voice of God is Calling

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: Jesus gathered disciples around him. Some were fishermen. He told them that they would become fishers of men, and later this came true. Today those who follow Jesus are also expected to be fishers of men.

**P: How can this be? How do we do this?**

L: Follow the example Jesus set for us. Tell others about Jesus. Share the Good News. Always trust God to provide. Above all, have faith that God will guide you as you do his will. Believe!

**P: How do we know we are on the right path?**

L: At the Lake of Galilee, when the fishermen were catching nothing, Jesus told them to try the other side of the boat. They obeyed him, even though they had caught nothing there before. When they obeyed, their nets were filled to overflowing. Obey, and you will be on the right path!

**P: O Lord, give us the desire to obey you. Remind us that we are your tools, to use as you will, whether or not we see immediate results. We may not always know the results of what we do, but we can trust that if we do your will, you will produce the results whether or not we recognize them.**

**\*OPENING HYMN:** UMH 358 Dear Lord and Father of Mankind

**\*APOSTLE’S CREED:** UMH 881

CHILDREN’S TIME

**\*HYMN OF PREPARATION:** UMH 103

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

**\*EPISTLE READING**

**1 Corinthians 15:1-11**

SERMON

Hold Firmly

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. (2x)  
 Amen

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY:

There’s Something About That Name

**\*DOXOLOGY:** UMH 95

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

OFFERTORY PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC: Mary Prater

The Old Rugged Cross

SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE II: UMH 13

O How I Love Jesus

**\*CLOSING HYMN:** UMH 378

Amazing Grace

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*POSTLUDE:**

Stand Up and Bless the Lord

\* DENOTES CONGREGATION STANDING (AS ABLE)

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