First United Methodist Church

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August 21, 2022 — August 27, 2022

"11th Sunday After Pentecost"

Usher / Greeter: Bob & Mary Whinnen Organist: Mary Prater

Liturgist: Louise Burson Children's Worship: Natalie G./Connie K.

Altar Flowers: Connie & Dan Kelsey Fellowship: VBS Adventure Island Monthly Mission Noisy Offering: Backpack Buddies w/Zion Lutheran Church

Monday (8/22) Education 9:30 AM / Bible Study 11 AM / Prayer Group 12 PM

Tuesday (8/23)

Wednesday (8/24) Community Bell Choir Rehearsal 4:30 PM at First Baptist Church

Thursday (8/25) Friday (8/26) Saturday (8/27)

August 28, 2022 — September 4, 2022

"12th Sunday After Pentecost"

Usher / Greeter: Needed Organist: Mary Prater

Liturgist: Sharon Feichtenbiner Children's Worship: Natalie G./Needed Altar Flowers: Needed Fellowship: Mary Whinnen/Bette Jahn

Monthly Mission Noisy Offering: Backpack Buddies w/Zion Lutheran Church

Monday (8/29) Vitality 10 AM / Bible Study 11 AM / Prayer Group 12 PM

Tuesday (8/30) Wednesday (8/31) Thursday (9/1) Friday (9/2)

Saturday (9/3)



Let us please keep the following people in our prayers: Family of Karen Hendricks, Bob Whinnen, Dan Crosby, Carol Weinert, Phyllis Burge, Jo Nell Rubick, Martha Weeks, Joel Prater, Ted Burson, Penny Tracy, Kali Lewis, Connie Whitsitt, Jason Coryell (cancer free).



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"Eleventh Sunday After Pentecost"

WORSHIP 11AM

PRELUDE: Give of Your Best to the Master/This Is My Father's World

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER—INVOCATION

PSALM 51

*PRAISE CHORUS: UMH 507 Through It All

*CALL TO WORSHIP

L: We are told that God made the earth in six days, and rested on the seventh day. We also are to rest on the Sabbath Day. Do we do this?

P: Often we do rest, or at least we do not go to work. Sometimes, however, it is necessary that some people work. For instance, nurses and doctors, police and fire fighters, are often called to work on the Sabbath.

L: Jesus was harshly criticized by the religious leaders of His day for healing on the Sabbath. His response to them was that even they would work to tend to their animals, feeding them or pulling them out of a ditch. He also said that the Sabbath is made for man, not man for the Sabbath.

P: O Lord, help us to observe the day of rest, but also give us wisdom and discernment so that we can identify when it is most fair and according to the spirit of God's law, to do some work to assist one another on the Sabbath, and when it is best to refrain from labor so that we can get the rest we need.

*OPENING HYMN: UMH 474 Precious Lord, Take My Hand

*APOSTLE'S CREED: UMH 881

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

CHILDREN'S TIME

*HYMN OF PREPARATION: UMH 396

O Jesus, I Have Promised

I John 1:9

*SCRIPTURE READING

SERMON No 3-Strike Rule Here!

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: Sweet Hour of Prayer

*DOXOLOGY: UMH 95 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

OFFERTORY PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC: Vacation Bible School Choir

*CLOSING HYMN: UMH 437 (Music Tune) This Is My Song

We Pray For Peace (Hymn for Ukraine)

*BENEDICTION

*PARTING HYMN: UMH 672 God Be with You till We Meet Again

***POSTLUDE**: I Want a Principle Within

^{*} DENOTES CONGREGATION STANDING (AS ABLE)

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