### First United Methodist Church

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

### August 7, 2022 — August 13, 2022

"9th Sunday After Pentecost"

Usher / Greeter: Sharon Feichtenbiner Organist: Mary Prater
Liturgist: Janet Helmbold Pianist: Maurita Holland

Children's Worship: Natalie G./Char C. Altar Flowers: Connie & Dan Kelsey

Fellowship: Pixie Livingston

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

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

Tuesday (8/9) Pasty Prep 10:30 AM

Wednesday (8/10) Pasty Prep 7:30 AM / Sale 10 AM - 1 PM Thursday (8/11) Pasty Prep 7:30 AM / Sale 10 AM - 1 PM

Friday (8/12)

Saturday (8/13) Northern Skies District Worship Service 11 followed by picnic

District Conference Meeting 1 PM ending with 100th Camp Michigamme Celebration

## August 14, 2022 — August 20, 2022

"10th Sunday After Pentecost"

Usher / Greeter: Carol Hollenbeck Organist: Mary Prater

Liturgist: Carol Weinert Children's Worship: Natalie G./Mary W.

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

Monday (8/15) Vacation Bible School 9 AM—12 PM

Tuesday (8/16) Vacation Bible School 9 AM—12 PM / Ad Council 1:30 PM

Wednesday (8/17) Vacation Bible School 9 AM—12 PM Thursday (8/18) Vacation Bible School 9 AM—12 PM

Friday (8/19) Newsletter deadline

Saturday (8/20) BBQ Picnic @ Pastor Ash house on Indian Lake, 11 AM—3 PM



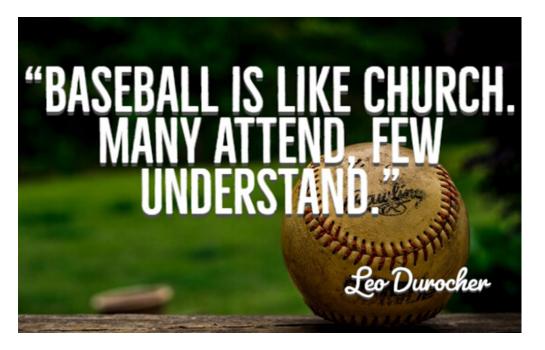
Let us please keep the following people in our prayers: Kathleen Haynes, Bob Whinnen, Dan Crosby, Jo Nell Rubick, Martha Weeks, Joel Prater, Ted Burson, Penny Tracy, Phyllis Burge, Kali Lewis, Connie Whitsitt, Jason Corvell.



# FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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



## First United Methodist Church August 7, 2022 "Ninth Sunday After Pentecost"



WORSHIP 11AM

PRELUDE: Joshua Fit de Battle of Jericho Maurita Holland

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER—INVOCATION

PSALM 50:1-8, 22-23

\*PRAISE CHORUS: UMH 389 Freely, Freely

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Teachers have a heavy responsibility, for it is their place to accurately teach others the truth, even when the truth is unpopular and we do not want to listen to it.

P: Most of us are not teachers, so we don't have to worry about the heavy responsibility they bear.

L: We are all teachers, every one of us. Whether or not we have certification as teachers, we all teach those around us, every single day. Others learn from what we say and do, whether or not we intend to teach this way. We all share the burden of the teacher. Thus we must be very careful what we teach.

#### P: What then should we teach?

L: Teach what you know is true, and helpful, and good. Teach the hard but God-given way, rather than the easy way which pleases people but is not true and so misleads them. Above all, teach what the *Bible* teaches us about what God says to us and intends for us.

P: O Lord, guard our tongues, that we may speak the truth plainly. Guide our hearts so that we may teach love and forgiveness, mercy and justice. Above all, lead us in the way You would have us go so that we may teach others to follow You.

\*OPENING HYMN: UMH 160 Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart

\*APOSTLE'S CREED: UMH 881

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

CHILDREN'S TIME

\*HYMN OF PREPARATION: UMH 154

2 Timothy 4:2-4

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

\*SCRIPTURE READING

SERMON Keep In the Game

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

**ANNOUNCEMENTS** 

OFFERTORY: Maurita Holland

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

**OFFERTORY PRAYER** 

SPECIAL MUSIC: (J. Althouse) Roger Chard

Maurita Holland

SERVICE OF WORD & Table II: UMH 13 Praise My Soul the King of Heaven

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

We Pray For Peace (Hymn for Ukraine)

\*BENEDICTION

SPECIAL MUSIC: Goin' Home Roger Chard

Maurita Holland

\*POSTLUDE: Blessed Be Thy Name

<sup>\*</sup> DENOTES CONGREGATION STANDING (AS ABLE)

<sup>\*</sup> PLEASE BE SURE TO SILENCE ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES DURING THE WORSHIP SERVICE