

First United Methodist Church

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July 16, 2023 — July 23, 2023

"7th Sunday After Pentecost" "Passionate Worship"

Usher / Greeter: Carol Hollenbeck

Organist: Cynthia Burgin

Liturgist: Bette Jahn

Children's Worship: Natalie G./Connie K.

Altar Flowers: Needed

Fellowship: Kelsey/Jahn/Crosby

Monthly Mission Noisy Offering: Society of St. Andrews

Monday (7/17) Bible Study 11 AM / Prayer Group 12 PM

Tuesday (7/18) Trustees 10 AM

Wednesday (7/19)

Thursday (7/20)

Friday (7/21)

NOTE: Pastor B.J. will be out of the office this week. He will be at Scout Camp.

July 23, 2023 — July 29, 2023

"8th Sunday After Pentecost" "Intentional Faith Development"

Usher / Greeter: Bill & Gayle Tufnell

Organist: Cynthia Burgin

Liturgist: Carol Weinert

Children's Worship: Natalie G./Needed

Altar Flowers: Needed

Fellowship: Needed

Monthly Mission Noisy Offering: Society of St. Andrews

Sunday (7/23) Ecumenical Worship & Praise 7 PM, Manistique Bandshell

Monday (7/24) Bible Study 11 AM / Prayer Group 12 PM

Tuesday (7/25)

Wednesday (7/26)

Thursday (7/27) 150th Anniversary Committee 10 AM

Friday (7/28) Ad Council Special Meeting 10 AM

Lectionary Calendar—Bible Study

7/16/23 Gen 25:19-34; Ps 119:105-112; Rom 8:1-11; Matt 13:1-9, 18-23

7/23/23 Gen 28:10-19a; Ps 139:1-12, 23-24; Rom 8:12-25; Matt 13:24-30, 36-43



Let us please keep the following joys and concerns in our prayers: Mary Whinnen, Char Crosby, Sharon V. & Celie N.'s brother, Lynn LaRose, Ken & Cyndi Burgin family, Karen Klaus, Connie Meade, Katie Putnam, Mary Prater, Kathleen & Michael Haynes, Phyllis Burge, Jo Nell Rubick, Martha Weeks, Joel Prater, Ted Burson, Penny Tracy family health concerns, Kerry Billings family health concerns, Kali Lewis, cancer victims and those affected by wildfires.

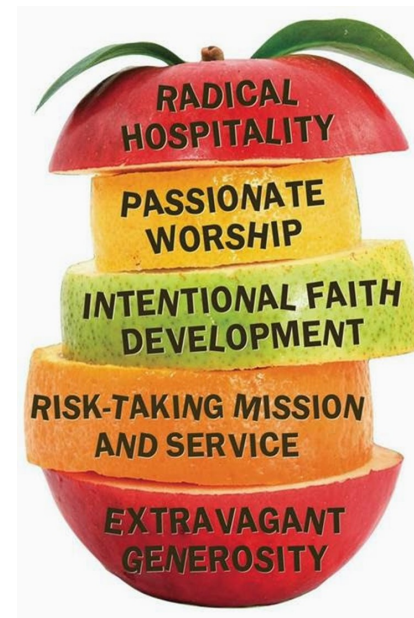


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July 16, 2023
“7th Sunday After Pentecost”



WORSHIP 11AM

PRELUDE: Morning Prelude by L.P. Loucks

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER—INVOCATION

PSALM 118:24

*PRAISE CHORUS: UMH 70 Glory Be to the Father

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: Come, children of God, let us lift our hearts and our voices.

P: We lift our hearts to God, inviting God to touch and shape us during this time of worship.

L: God delights when hearts are open to the Spirit.

P: We lift our voices in praise and adoration to God for all the wondrous things God does, and in amazement at God’s sheer magnificence.

L: God delights in our heartfelt, passionate worship.

P: Praise God for this day. Praise God for creation. Praise God for life itself. Praise God for opportunity and possibility. Praise God for saving grace. Thanks be for the steadfast, abiding presence of God.

*OPENING HYMN: UMH 57 (v 1,2,3,7) O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing

*APOSTLE’S CREED: UMH 881

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

CHILDREN’S TIME

*HYMN OF PREPARATION: UMH 732 Come, We That Love the Lord

***GOSPEL READING**

Luke 18: 9-14

SERMON

Passionate Worship

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: Come Holy Spirit by W.J. Gaither

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

OFFERTORY PRAYER

*CLOSING HYMN: UMH 114 Many Gifts, One Spirit

*BENEDICTION

*PARTING HYMN: UMH 671 (v 1) Lord, Dismiss Us With Thy Blessing

POSTLUDE: Fanfare by J.J. Mouret

July Noisy Offering: Society of St. Andrew brings people together to harvest and share healthy food, reduce food waste, and build caring communities by offering nourishment to hungry neighbors in the U.S.

* DENOTES CONGREGATION STANDING (AS ABLE)

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