

## First United Methodist Church

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### November 5, 2023 — November 11, 2023

*"23rd Sunday After Pentecost" "Daylight Savings Time Ends"*

Usher/Greeter: Needed

Pianist/Organist: Cynthia Burgin

Liturgist: Connie Kelsey

Children's Worship: Natalie G./Needed

Altar Flowers: Needed

Fellowship: John & Carol Livingston

Monthly Mission Noisy Offering: Thanksgiving Baskets

Monday (11/6) Bible Study 11 AM / Prayer Group 12 PM

Tuesday (11/7) Trustees 10 AM / UWif 1 PM

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

Thursday (11/9) Pasty Prep 7:30 AM / Sales 10:30 AM-1 PM / Vitality 10:15 AM / S/PPRC Zoom 6:30 PM

Friday (11/10) Ad Council 10 AM

Saturday (11/11) Charge Conference 10 AM Escanaba Central UMC

### November 12, 2023 — November 18, 2023

*"24th Sunday After Pentecost" "United Women in Faith (UMW) Sunday"*

Usher/Greeter: Rita, Linda, Carol H. Pianist/Organist: Cynthia Burgin

Liturgist: Carol Weinert

Children's Worship: Natalie G./Needed

Altar Flowers: Rita Salter

Fellowship: UWif Ladies

Monthly Mission Noisy Offering: Thanksgiving Baskets

Pastor B.J. will be out of the office Monday (11/13)-Friday (11/28)

Monday (11/13) Bible Study 11 AM / Prayer Group 12 PM

Tuesday (11/14)

Wednesday (11/15)

Thursday (11/16)

Friday (11/17)

### Lectionary Calendar—Bible Study

11/5/23 Josh 3:7-17; Ps 107:1-7, 33-37; 1 Thess 2:9-13; Matt 23:1-12d

11/12/23 Josh 24:1-3a, 14-25; Ps 78:1-7; 1 Thess 4:13-18; Matt 25:1-13



Let us please keep the following people in our prayers: Rita Salter, Ruth Annelin, Joel Prater, Jo Nell Rubick, Gayle Tufnell, Cynthia & Ken Burgin, Sharon V. & Celie N.'s brother, Lynn LaRose, Connie Meade, Katie Putnam, Mary Prater, Michael Haynes, Phyllis Burge, Martha Weeks, Ted Burson, Penny Tracy family health concerns, Kerry Billings family health concerns, Connie Whitsitt, Stout family needs, unspoken needs, our country, and the loss of life in war.



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190 North Cedar St., Manistique, MI 49854

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PREACH THE GOOD NEWS AND MAKE DISCIPLES."**



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## November 5, 2023

### “23rd Sunday After Pentecost” “All Saints Sunday”



WORSHIP 11AM

PRELUDE: For the Beauty of the Earth by W. Boyce

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER—INVOCATION

PSALM 107:1-7, 33-37

\*PRAISE CHORUS: FWS 2031 We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise

#### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

**P: We would prefer not to have any cause to mourn, but we thank You, O God, that there is comfort for us when we do mourn.**

L: Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

**P: Thank You, O God, for being merciful to us. Help us to be merciful to others.**

L: Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely because of your faith in Jesus. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven.

**P: O Lord, we have trouble with this blessing. We recognize that You were persecuted unto death for our sakes, yet we are hurt and angry when subjected to ridicule and rejection. It is very difficult for us to rejoice when we are treated badly, even if it is for Your sake. Forgive us, Lord, and strengthen us when we falter.**

\*OPENING HYMN: UMH 558 We Are the Church

\*APOSTLE’S CREED: UMH 881

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

CHILDREN’S TIME

\*HYMN OF PREPARATION: UMH 463

Lord, Speak to Me

\*SCRIPTURE READING:

Revelation 7:9-17

SERMON

From Every Tribe

PRAYER TIME Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

PRAYER HYMN: FWS 2193 Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying

PASTORAL PRAYER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY: His Eye is on The Sparrow arrg. L. Smith

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

OFFERTORY PRAYER

ALL SAINTS RECOGNITION

COMMUNION: SERVICE OF WORD & TABLE II Hymn Medley

\*CLOSING HYMN: UMH 571 Go Make of All Disciples

\*BENEDICTION

\*PARTING HYMN: FWS 2186 Song of Hope

POSTLUDE: Honor and Glory (brass ensemble on clavinova) by E.H. Wetherill

**November Mission Noisy Offering — Thanksgiving Baskets**  
Through Kiwanis International we are providing four baskets to local residents in need of a nutritious Thanksgiving meal. God is working through us. Thank you for your support!

\* DENOTES CONGREGATION STANDING (AS ABLE)

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