First United Methodist Church

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February 8, 2026 — February 14, 2026

"5th Sunday After Epiphany" "Scouting Sunday"

Usher/Greeter: Needed
Pianist/Organist: Cynthia Burgin
Liturgist: Bette Jahn
Youth's Worship: Natalie G./Needed
Altar Flowers: Bette Jahn
Fellowship: UWF Pasties
Monthly Noisy Offering: Manistique Public Schools Helpful Hotspot

Monday (2/9)	Bible Study 11 AM / Prayer Group 12 PM
Tuesday (2/10)	
Wednesday (2/11)	Pasty Prep 7:30 AM / Sales 10 AM-1 PM
Thursday (2/12)	Pasty Prep 7:30 AM / Sales 10 AM-1 PM
Friday (2/13)	
Saturday (2/14)	

February 15, 2026 — February 22, 2026

"Transfiguration Sunday"

Usher/Greeter: Needed
Pianist/Organist: Cynthia Burgin
Liturgist: Sharon Feichtenbiner
Youth's Worship: Natalie G./Needed
Altar Flowers: Needed
Fellowship: Char C. & Carolyn W.
Monthly Noisy Offering: Manistique Public Schools Helpful Hotspot

Monday (2/16)	Bible Study 11 AM / Prayer Group 12 PM
Tuesday (2/17)	Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper 5 PM
Wednesday (2/18)	Ash Wednesday Service 5 PM
Thursday (2/19)	Education Committee 10 AM
Friday (2/20)	
Saturday (2/21)	

Lectionary Calendar—Bible Study

2/8/26	Isa 58:1-9a (9b-12); Ps 112:1-9 (10); 1 Cor 2:1-12 (13-16); Matt 5:13-20
2/15.26	Exo 24:12-18; Ps 2 or Ps 99; 2 Pet 1:16-21; Matt 17:1-9

Let us please keep the following people in our prayers: Lynn LaRose & family, Louise Burson & family, Mary Prater & family, Gordie Barry, Ron Williams, Char Crosby, Penny Tracy, Martha Weeks, Ken & Cyndi Burgin, Joel Prater, Jean Smith, Barbara Schneider, Phyllis Burge, Carol Weinert, Curt & Celie Norton, Katie Putnam, Rita Salter, Sharon V. & Celie N.'s brother, Kerry Billings & family concerns, Michael & Kathleen Haynes family concerns, Connie Meade, Sandi Kolder, Betty Tracy, Jesse Baker, travel mercies, church ministries, unspoken joys and concerns, and for our world needs.

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WORSHIP 11AM

PRELUDE: Interlude by Ira B. Wilson

WELCOME—INVOCATION

PSALM 112:1-10

*__WELCOME__: (sing twice) Welcome, Friends

*__SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST__

__*CALL TO WORSHIP:__

L: Christians are the light of the world. Let others see your light, that they may see your good works.

P: But aren't we supposed to be modest and not show off to others?

L: We should not show others our good works to give us bragging rights, or to draw praise for ourselves. Rather, we should provide an example for others to follow by obeying God's will in all that we do. We should serve with humility as servants of God, not as proud and boastful people.

P: Who should we serve? Everybody? Only certain people? We need direction!

L: Serve those who need help. If someone is poor, give what is needed to meet their need. If someone is grief stricken, provide comfort and compassion. If someone is angry and acting out of anger remain calm and assess the problem to provide help if possible. In all you do, to all you meet, respond as Jesus would do, with love and caring.

P: It is impossible to deal with all the problems everybody faces. No one can meet all the needs others have?

L: We don't have to meet all the needs everybody has by ourselves! Work together, seek God's guidance and do what you can! You can't do everything, but you can do something! Do what you can do!

P: Let us remember that with God's help, we can do anything He directs us to do!

*__OPENING HYMN__: UMH 185 When Morning Gilds the Skies

*__APOSTLES' CREED__

YOUTH TIME

*__HYMN OF PREPARATION__: UMH 163 Ask Ye What Great Thing I Know

SCRIPTURE READING: Isaiah 58:1-12

SERMON: Call to Action

PRAYER TIME Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

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

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY: Old Melody by Nancy Heyward

*__DOXOLOGY__: Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

__*OFFERTORY PRAYER__

SPECIAL MUSIC: His Eye Is on the Sparrow (by Civilla Martin) Katie Putnam

*__CLOSING HYMN__: UMH 377 It Is Well With My Soul

__*BENEDICTION__

*__PARTING HYMN__: UMH 672 (v 1) God Be With You till We Meet Again

POSTLUDE: Sing and Rejoice by Randolph Johnston

<u>The Altar Rail is always open to all.</u>

<u>February Mission Noisy Offering—Manistique Public Schools Helpful Hotspot</u>

This noisy offering is used by the Helpful Hotspot to provide local students personal necessities.

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**