

## OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE, STUDY AND FELLOWSHIP

ADULT FELLOWSHIP: Meets the third Saturday of each month, Sept. thru May, and invites adults of all ages to join them.

Contact Persons: Jerry Mengel, 609-702-0551

UNITED METHODIST MEN: Meet at 7:45am for breakfast on the third Sunday of each month, September through May.

All men of all generations. Contacts: Doug Sell, Jr. 267-259-0621, Taylor Ruilova, 905-5198

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN: Miriam Circle meets second Monday 7:30 pm., Georgie Jenkins, Leader, 235-3582

STEPHEN MINISTRY: Contact Persons: Carol Griffith, 234-1042, Kathy Appleton, 234-0089, Suanne Bryan 824-0672

Mike Zolty, 609-261-4088, Michael Harsche, 778-3520

SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDIES: See Information Board in Narthex

PRAYER MINISTRY: Prayer Room (varied hours)

Contacts: Lonnie and Barbara DeHart, 609-261-1253

Email prayer chain: To add a name to the email prayer chain, contact Church@meetwithGod.com

TUESDAYS WITH GOD – A Weekly Prayer Gathering of the Faithful, meets every Tuesday evening from 6:00-6:45 p.m.

for prayer in the chapel. Led by Pastor HeyYoung.

LIGHT HARBOR MINISTRIES: Third Sunday of each month @ 2:30. Contact person: Linda Wanagas, 273-1298

BLAST (7-8TH GRADE YOUTH MINISTRY) Meets every Wednesday evening from 6:00-8:00, Sept. thru June

CORE (9-12TH GRADE YOUTH MINISTRY) Meets every Sunday evening from 7-8:30, Sept. thru June

Contact Person for Jr/Sr High: Brad Kenney, 866-0285

C.H.U.M. (2-4th Grade) Meets every Thursday at 4:30 for choir & 5:15 for dinner, fellowship & activity

Contact Person: Karen Murray, 222-1120

CHRISTIAN TRAILBLAZERS (5th-6th Grades) Meets every Thursday, 4:30 for choir & 5:15 for dinner, fellowship & activity

Contact Person: Karen Murray, 222-1120

YOUNG FOLLOWERS (K-1<sup>st</sup> Grade) Meets every Thursday at 4:30 in Fell. Hall for dinner and proceed to choir at 5:15

Contact Person: Karen Murray, 222-1120

COLLEGE AGE: Contact Person: Brad Kenney, 866-0285

INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK (IHN): Contact Person: Allan Hanlon, 802-1100

SIGN INTERPRETERS - The 9:30 a.m. Service is interpreted for the Deaf and Hearing Impaired as needed.

PRAISE TEAM - MUSIC AND BAND - Meets the 2nd & 4th Monday evening at 7:00 p.m.

CHOIRS AND HANDBELLS -

ADULT CHOIR Thursday 8:00-10:00 p.m.

YOUTH (7th -12th grade) Thursday 7:00-7:45 p.m.

WESLEY (5th - 6th grade) Thursday 4:30-5:15 p.m.

JUNIOR (2nd - 4th grade) Thursday 4:30-5:15 p.m.

PRIMARY (5 yrs. - 1st grade) Thursday 5:15-5:45 p.m.

ADULT BELLS Sunday 12:15-1:00 p.m.

YOUTH BELLS (7<sup>th</sup> - 12 grade) Sunday 6:00-6:50 p.m.

JUBILATION CHIMERS (4th-6th grade) Sunday 5:15-5:50 p.m.

Contact Person: Glenn Rodgers, 222-9369 (Music Department)

### WORSHIP SCHEDULE

**Saturday: 5:30 P.M. Contemporary Worship in the Chapel**

**Sunday: 8:30 A.M. Traditional Worship in the Chapel**

**9:30 A.M. Contemporary Worship in the Sanctuary**

**(Sign language interpretation available upon request)**

**11:00 A.M. Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary**

## FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

**A community of faith committed to sharing the love of Jesus Christ with a hurting world through words and actions**

**JANUARY 27, 2013**

**BOY SCOUT SUNDAY**

**9:30 A.M. Service**

We welcome you to this service of praise and adoration. Let God speak to you through the songs and the message, and enjoy the fellowship of those who are seeking the Lord and the spiritual help that we need for daily living.

**WELCOME**

Rick McConnell, Worship Leader

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: The Spirit of God is upon us! This is a holy day and we are a holy people!

The joy of God is our strength! All of us, with all our gifts – we are the body of Christ!

**People: Amen! Let us worship together!**

**WORSHIP IN SONG: YESTERDAY, TODAY AND FOREVER** (by Vicky Beeching)

Everlasting God, the years go by, but You're unchanging.

In this fragile world, You are the only firm foundation.

*Chorus: Always loving, always true, always merciful and good, so good. Yesterday, today, and forever.*

*You are the same, You never change. Yesterday, today, and forever; You are faithful, and we will trust in You.*

*We will trust in You.*

Uncreated One, You have no end and no beginning, earthly powers fade, but there is no end to Your kingdom.

*Chorus: Always loving, always true, always merciful and good, so good. Yesterday, today, and forever.*

*You are the same, You never change. Yesterday, today, and forever; You are faithful, and we will trust in You.*

*We will trust in You. We will trust in You. (2002 Thankyou Music)*

**JOY!** (By Amy Grant/George Cook)

1. I got the JOY (joy) JOY (joy)! (Repeat)

I got the JOY (joy) JOY JOY -----

Down in my heart, down in my heart, down in my heart to stay, down in my heart to stay.

2. I got the Love . . .

3. I got the Light . . .

4. I got the Joy . . . (1993 Age to Age Music)

**OPENING PRAYER:** O wondrous God, on this holy day, we have gathered together once again to celebrate your presence among us, to praise you, and to thank you for all you have given us. May this time of worship strengthen and refresh us, and fill us with such joy that we cannot help but share it with everyone around us. Though we are very different people, with many different talents and gifts, make us one in your Spirit, that we may be your ministers in the world. Amen.

**SWEET, SWEET SPIRIT** (by Doris Akers)

There's a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place, and I know that it's the Spirit of the Lord;

there are sweet expressions on each face, and I know they feel the presence of the Lord.

Sweet Holy Spirit, sweet heavenly Dove, stay right here with us, filling us with your love;

and for these blessings we lift our hearts in praise;

without a doubt we'll know that we have been revived when we shall leave this place. (1962 Manna Music, Inc.)

**LIKE A SHEPHERD** (by Dan Moen & Deborah Simpson)

Like a father feeds his children, like a shepherd leads his flock, the Lord will always guide us and show us where to walk; And in times when we have plenty, in times when we have not,

He is our Provider and His mercy never stops.

*Chorus: Like a shepherd He leads us, like a father He feeds us from the morning to the evening, till the sunrise again; Like a shepherd He leads us, like a father He feeds us, He is the great I Am.*

As we come into His presence confessing Him as Lord, His Holy Spirit leads us, He feeds us by His Word; We're seated at His table, partaking of His love, children of His kingdom, purchased by His blood. (chorus)  
*(1986 Integrity's Hosanna! Music)*

**SHOUT TO THE LORD** *(by Darlene Zschech)*

My Jesus, my Savior, Lord, there is none like You, all of my days I want to praise  
the wonders of Your mighty love; My Comfort, my Shelter, Tower of refuge and strength;  
Let ev'ry breath, all that I am, never cease to worship You.

*Chorus: Shout to the Lord, all the earth, let us sing power and majesty, praise to the King;  
Mountains bow down and the seas will roar at the sound of Your name.*

*I sing for joy at the work of Your hands, forever I'll love You, forever I'll stand;  
nothing compares to the promise I have in You. (1993 Hillsongs Australia)*

**BRINGING OUR NEEDS TO GOD**

**PRAYER RESPONSE:** ALLELUIA *(by Jerry Sinclair)* (verses 1 & 3)

1. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

3. I will praise Him Repeat Alleluia... *(1972 Manna Music, Inc.)*

**WORSHIP IN GIVING:** Offering

**SPECIAL MUSIC**

Everywhere I Go the Lord Is Near Me  
Junior and Wesley Choirs

Natalie Sleeth

**SHARING THE WORD** **Scripture:** Matthew 6:31-33, John 10:7b-10

**Message: January at the Movies, 4**

Pastor Steve Donat

Film: Babbette's Feast

**CLOSING HYMN 92** FOR THE BEAUTY OF THE EARTH *(by Folliot Pierpoint)*

For the beauty of the earth, for the glory of the skies,  
for the love which from our birth over and around us lies;  
Lord of all, to thee we raise this our hymn of grateful praise.

For the beauty of each hour of the day and of the night,  
hill and vale, and tree and flower, sun and moon, and stars of light;  
Lord of all, to thee we raise this our hymn of grateful praise.

For the joy of ear and eye, for the heart and mind's delight,  
for the mystic harmony linking sense to sound and sight;  
Lord of all, to thee we raise this our hymn of grateful praise.

For the joy of human love, brother, sister, parent, child friends on earth and friends above,  
for all gentle thoughts and mild; Lord of all, to thee we raise this our hymn of grateful praise.

For thy church, that evermore lifteth holy hands above,  
offering upon every shore her pure sacrifice of love;  
Love of all, to thee we raise this our hymn of grateful praise.

For thyself, best Gift Divine, to the world so freely given, for that great, great love of thine,  
peace on earth, and joy in heaven: Lord of all, to thee we raise this our hymn of grateful praise. *(Public Domain)*

**GOING FORTH:** The Benediction

**THE PEACE:** The Peace of the Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

**TODAY IS BOY SCOUT SUNDAY** – We thank all the scouts who took part in today's worship service.

**CHILD CARE AVAILABLE** in Room E101 for children up to age four.

**ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK:** Worship: 500 Sunday School: 167

**USHERS:** Paul Schlindwein, Paul Toepel, Han Rovins, Robin Stepp, David Stepp

**ACOLYTE:** Taylor Marcinek

**PLEASE LET US KNOW...**Due to current privacy regulations, churches are no longer notified if a member of their congregation is hospitalized. Therefore, if you or someone you know is ill or in the hospital, please let the church office know so that we can help in their healing process through our prayers, visits, food preparation, etc. Thank you!

**THE CHANCEL BOUQUETS HAVE BEEN GIVEN BY:** Georgie Jenkins and family, to the Glory of God and in loving memory of husband and father, Ray. Also by Alan and Doris Coshland in loving memory of his mother, Mary Coshland.

**PRAYERS & SYMPATHY TO:** Skip & Linda Angus and family on the death of his sister, Linda Trucchi.

**PRAYER CONCERNS:** Stanton Webb, Faye Sienkiewicz, Ruth Allen, Paul Haynes, Aril Bryant (friend of Emily Wright), Charles Simon (brother of Bob Simon), Ben Brenner, Patti Ann Feeley (daughter-in-law of Jack & Jan Feeley), Craig Ranshaw (son-in-law of Joan Moody), Rev. Bill Moyer, Edna Valentine (Lynda Guest's mother), Janet Richardson, Elaine Jenkins, Gina Adornetto (Carol Taylor's cousin), Nancy Madara Secor, Ann Kenny (friend of Beth Fisher), Tim Laird (friend of Pat Laird), Ann Marie Pelosi (cousin of Doti Stewart), Family of David Gaw (friend of Bruce Van Dyke), C.B, Betty, and Mary Louise Shingleton, Reina Coveen-Rutteman (Helga Shay's Mother), Ed & Marge Blackman (parents of Doug Blackman), Mike Rowe (friend of John & Bev Heusser), Robert Estrin (father of Allan Estrin), Mike Pilenza (friend of Dick Loring & Greg Bryan), Maggie Goettle (former First Light Student), Linda Hill (friend of Ada Campanile), Shirley VanDuser, Harris Fister, The Seagraves Family, Bettie Hotong (friend of Elmine van den Berg), Kathryn Lamore (Lynne Blackman's mother), Richard Mach (Doug Blackman's cousin), Bob Rosvold.

**SERVING OVERSEAS:** Andre Hauser (grandson of Harris Fister), SSGT James Shields (son of Marcia Koury).

**The Staff of First United Methodist Church**

Stephen Donat, Senior Pastor

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