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Welcome in the name of Jesus!

Centering Prayer

**Song of Praise (UMH) 333 I'm Goin' Sing...**

Sharing of the Peace – please take a moment to greet those around you in the Name of the Lord.

**HYMN      A Story of Amazing Grace**

**\*Call to Worship**

L: The Lord be with you.

**C: The Lord bless you.**

L: The Lord keep you.

**C: The Lord shine on you.**

L: The Lord hold you.

**C: The Lord give you peace. Amen.**

**\*MORNING PRAYER**

Thank you, Lord, you bring us promise and potential; for women like Ruth you give us life and living; who remind us that, out of hardship you greet us in truth. Thank you. You are generous in your giving, Lord, Thank you.

As we recall the story of Ruth, we pray for those who feel like strangers among us; for the refugee and asylum seeker; for the immigrant and the in-comer. May they be made to feel welcomed and not shunned.

Grant us your grace, Lord God, bring us your understanding and greet us in our humility as we confess our shortcomings and seek your forgiveness now. May we begin again assured of the love.

We pray too for those who feel like strangers even though this land may have always been their home; for the lonely and the confused; for the scorned and the different. May they be

embraced and included. May they learn the meaning of community. Amen.

**Hymn of Praise (UMH) 158 Come, Christians, Join to Sing**

**TIME OF PRAYER (FWS) 2200 O Lord, Hear My Prayer**

THE LORD'S PRAYER –Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptations but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen

**Hymn      Canon of Peace**

**\*OFFERTORY/ DOXOLOGY (p 95)**

Lord God, as your people left behind some of their harvest for the good of others, so we leave behind today something of ours for the sake of your kingdom. Bless and use our gifts that they may sow and grow, spread and reap your Good News.  
Amen.

**Hymn      Men's Group**

**SCRIPTURE:** Ruth 2:1-23 (p242), Luke 6:36-38 (p. 64)

**Hymn      One Day At A Time**

**Closing Hymn (UMH) 77 How Great Thou Art**

**Good News**

May our welcome be unconditional like the unconditional love of God. May our sharing be extravagant like the extravagant gifts of God. May we serve God by giving our all in serving others.  
Amen.

**FWS –Faith We Sing              UMH – United Methodist Hymnal**

Please join us for coffee and conversation after  
Worship.

### **SERVING THIS WEEK (7/29/18)**

Greeters: Marissa Sorensen and Cady Brady  
Ushers: Harrison Fitch and Miley Andersen  
Scripture Reader: Cady Brady  
Sunday School: Not today.  
Counters: Ron Salyer and Barbara Bailey  
Nursery: Chris Wyant and Doreen Sorensen  
Door Greeter: Matt and Harrison Fitch  
Fellowship:

### **SERVING TNEXT WEEK: (8/5/18)**

Greeters: Amos and Laura Hammond  
Ushers: Chris and Stacy Wyant  
Scripture Reader: Barb Bailey  
Sunday School: Not today  
Counters: Elly Stempien and Bill Sutherland  
Nursery: Not today  
Door Greeter: Gordon Bascom  
Fellowship: Everyone

### **COMING EVENTS**

Sat – August 4 - Pulled Pork BBQ Fundraising Dinner

Sun – August 5<sup>th</sup> – **10:30am The Worship Service will be held at Jephson Field Athletic Complex at Keuka College**

Sun – August 5<sup>th</sup> – 11:30 after Worship we will have our church picnic. We will serve hamburgers, hot dogs, lemonade and water. Please bring a dish to share and your table service.

**\*Under the back table there are tote bags with activities for kids to use during worship. Please put the bags back when you are finished.**

## **BLUFF POINT UNITED METHODST CHURCH**

**“THE LITTLE COUNTRY CHURCH WITH A BIG HEART”**

**“BLUFF POINT UMC... FAITH  
AND LOVE...  
IT’S WHO WE ARE. IT’S WHAT WE DO!”**



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