

Sandi Perl, Pastor Elly Stempien, Organist
Ron Miller, Choir Director Carole Clow, Worship Leader

As you enter today you will find the offering plates in the front and back of the sanctuary. Please place your offering in them at this time.

Welcome in the name of Jesus!
(Announcements & Candle Lighting)

Centering Prayer

Song of Praise (UMH) 657 This Is The Day

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

***Call to Worship –**

L: The time for harvest is close at hand. What have you done with the gifts God has given you?

P: We have brought our gifts to the house of the Lord.

L: Praise God for the gifts and for opportunities for service that they represent.

P: We praise God for all the ways in which our lives have been blessed.

L: Generous God, accept our gifts and our lives this day.

P: Loving God, accept our praise and gratitude. AMEN.

***Morning Prayer**

Awesome God, you created the world and all that is in it. You blessed each element of creation with your love. You called us from slavery into witness and service. Be with us this day as we gather to worship. Clear our minds of all the distractions which would draw us away from you. Open our hearts and spirits and let your healing and empowering love flow in. Prepare us to be witnesses to your power and love as we use the gifts with which you have blessed us in your service. For we offer this prayer in the name of your Son our Lord Jesus Christ. AMEN.

Hymn of Praise (UMH) 374 Standing on the Promises

Prayer Time – Please share your joys as well as your prayers.

TIME OF PRAYER (FWS) 2068 I love You, Lord

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

Party with the Preacher

Communion

Hymn - (FWS) 2036 Give Thanks

***Offering (Doxology page 95)**

There are no limits to the gifts you have given us, gracious Lord. Now we return thanks to you for these gifts and we bring these tokens to you, asking for your blessing on givers and gifts. Help these gifts and givers to be your witnesses throughout the world. AMEN.

Scripture Reading – Judges 6:11-18

Message - What is YOUR call?

Closing Hymn - (FWS) 2153 I'm Gonna Live So...

Good News!

As you have been blessed, now go to be a blessing to others. Go, bringing the news of peace and hope, of healing and love. Go and the God of peace will always go with you. AMEN.

FWS – Faith We Sing

UMH – United Methodist Hymnal

Please join us for coffee and conversation after
Worship downstairs.

SERVING THIS WEEK (9/01/19)

Greeters: Meredith Nielsen and Karen Drumm
Ushers: Blanche and Dore Fingar
Scripture Reader: Barb Bailey
Sunday School: Kerry Fitch
Counters: Elly Stempien and Dick Smith
Nursery: Blanche Fingar and Becci Whitford
Door Greeter: Kish Swift
Fellowship: Blanche & Dorwin Fingar

SERVING NEXT WEEK (9/08/19)

Greeters: Mary Ann Miller and Joel Warren
Ushers: Marguerite and Ron Miller
Scripture Reader: Ron Salyer
Sunday School: Sarah Stackhouse
Counters: Elly Stempien and Sarah Stackhouse
Nursery: Phil Pearce and Laurie Prinzivalli
Door Greeter: Trish de Montfort
Fellowship: Pam Althouse

*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.

Dates to remember

September 1st – Prayer for Back to School – bring your backpacks, lesson plans, etc. as we will pray for you

Saturday, September 7th - Join Pastor Sandi and Dave at their house for dinner and a bonfire. We will have dinner at 5:30.

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