

BLUFF POINT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
AUGUST 2, 2015
"WE ARE ALL ONE IN CHRIST"

WELCOME AND GREETING

ORGAN PRELUDE/CANDLE LIGHTING

L Give thanks to the Lord - the maker of heaven and earth.

P We gather to give God thanks and praise.

L Make an offering in God's holy temple that is acceptable to him.

P We come to worship God in Spirit and in Truth.

L Love the Lord your God with all your heart, and all of your mind,
and all of your strength and all of your soul.

**P We are here because our desire is to know and to serve God,
in the way he desires, freely and completely, both now and
forevermore.**

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION:** Father of everlasting goodness, our
Creator and Guide, be close to us and hear the prayers of all who
praise You. Forgive us when we forget to trust You to provide us
with every blessing in this life. Help us not to seek things for
ourselves, but with Your help to provide for all in need. Restore us
to life, Lord, and keep us safe in Your Love. Lord hear our prayer.
Amen.

***APOSTLES' CREED** –(these are teachings of the Apostles)
I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of Heaven and earth;
and in Jesus Christ, His only Son Our Lord,
Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended into Hell; the third day He rose again from the dead;
He ascended into Heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God, the
Father almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the living and
the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Catholic Church, the
communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of
the body and life everlasting.
Amen.

***SONG OF PRAISE** –#2223 *"They'll Know We Are Christians"*

***SHARING OF THE PEACE** - Let us offer one another signs
of reconciliation and love.

HYMN OF PRAISE - #629 *"You Satisfy the Hungry Heart"*
SPECIAL MUSIC:
CHILDREN'S TIME

PRAYER TIME

PRAYER HYMN - #2200 *"O Lord, Hear My Prayer"*

***OFFERTORY/DOXOLOGY**

PRAYER OF DEDICATION: *Father - Our Shield and Defender, You
have taught us how to trust our goodness and lay up treasure in
heaven. We offer You gifts in response to Your world. We bring
You a portion of what our labor has gained in thankful praise for
the abundance we have. We give You our souls in humble
obedience, for in Christ we inherit eternal life. Be pleased with our
offerings, for they are signs of your mercy and grace that we have
received through Christ our Lord. AMEN*

SCRIPTURE READING: Ephesians 4:1-16(p.193 NT)
John 6:24-35(p.98 NT)

SERMON: "One Bread, One Body"

Rev. Judy D White-Wunder

HOLY COMMUNION, p.13 Hymnal

CLOSING HYMN: #641 *"Fill My Cup, Lord"* vs. sung by Pastor Judy

GOING FORTH IN JESUS' NAME

POSTLUDE

**LET US GATHER TOGETHER IN FELLOWSHIP DOWNSTAIRS
FOLLOWING OUR WORSHIP SERVICE**

SERVING CHRIST TODAY IN WORSHIP:

Organist – Elly Stempien

Choir Director: Aimee Perry

Liturgist: Gene James

Communion Steward: Sally Head

Scripture Reader: Barbara Bailey

Greeters: Amos and Laura Hammond

Ushers: Chris and Stacy Wyant

Fellowship: Bill and Delores Sutherland

Sunday School: Marguerite Miller

Nursery: Linda Folts and Sharon Larsen

Counters: Ron Salyer and Barbara Bailey

SERVING NEXT WEEK: (8/9/15)

Organist – Elly Stempien
Choir Director: Aimee Perry
Liturgist: Gene James
Scripture Reader: Elly Stempien
Greeters: Waneta Nielsen and Meredith Nielsen
Ushers: Jeff Stempien and Aimee Perry
Fellowship: Waneta Nielsen and Bev Dean
Sunday School: Pam Althouse
Nursery: Terry Fingar and Sonya Andersen
Counters: Elly Stempien and Bill Sutherland

THIS WEEK IN THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

Tues: Noon, United Methodist Women meet at the Antique Inn. All women are welcome to join them for lunch.

We would like to have special music every Sunday until Sept. If you would like to offer your talent to the Lord, please let Aimee Perry or Pastor Judy know.

Please keep in mind that our musical Sunday will be August 30th. We will need extra music that Sunday.

LOOKING AHEAD:

Pastor Judy and Art will be on vacation this week. If there is an emergency please notify Stacy Wyant. She will be back next Sunday, Aug. 9th.

AUGUST 15TH – PORK BARBEQUE DINNER, TAKE OUTS ONLY.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16TH, ALL CHURCHES WORSHIP AND PICNIC AT RED JACKET PARK, 11AM. Bring a dish to pass. An offering will be taken for Habitat for Humanity.

There will be no service here at Bluff Point UMC. All Yates Co. Churches are meeting at Red Jacket Park at 11am.

Let's make this a wonderful day of fellowship and worship!

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