

BLUFF POINT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
AUGUST 30, 2015



**WELCOME AND GREETING** – A video of Cooper Bascom singing “Jesus Can You Help Me Now” (Cooper is Gordon and Jean Bascom’s grandson)

**MUSICAL CALL TO WORSHIP** - *Lord Jesus, Be Near Me*  
Jeff Stempien, Elly Stempien, Aimee Perry and Heather Cole

**\*SONG OF PRAISE** –#2270 “*He Has Made Me Glad*”  
**PRAYER and MUSICAL INTERLUDE** – Jeff and Elly Stempien, Shirley Thompson, Gordon Bascom, Heather Cole

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

**SPECIAL MUSIC** with Ron Miller –

**DUET** – Marguerite Miller and Chris Wyant

**CHILDREN’S TIME** – “It Is No Secret” – Emmaleigh Stempien

**PRAYER TIME/ PRAYER HYMN** - #2200 “*O Lord, Hear My Prayer*”

**DUET** – “Old Friends” – Dick Worden and Pastor Judy

**SCRIPTURE** – James 1: 17-27 (p. 228 NT)  
**MESSAGE** – “Faith In Action” Rev. Judy D White-Wunder  
**BLANCHE’S POEM** – “Dandelion Seeds”

**DUET** – “*Love Is Flowing Medley*” – Dick Worden and Pastor Judy

**VOCAL SOLO** – “*Beyond the Cross*” – Bruce Westerdahl

**\*OFFERTORY: INSTRUMENTALISTS – A TRILOGY OF FAVORITE HYMNS**

**DOXOLOGY#94**

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION:** Bless and multiply these the tithes and offerings of your people, O God, so that others may be fed with the bread of earth and of heaven and so that your name may be glorified both now and forevermore. Amen

**VOCAL SOLO** – “*He Smiled On Me*” – Aimee Perry

**BLUFF POINT MEN’S CHORUS** – “*Because He Lives*”

**CLOSING HYMN: #2282** “*I’ll Fly Away*”

**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

Scripture Reader: Meredith Nielsen

Greeters: Ed and Sally Head

Ushers: Fuzzy Andersen and Ryan Andersen

Fellowship: Meredith Nielsen and Carole Clow

Sunday School: Pam Althouse

Nursery: Chris and Stacy Wyant

Counters: Aimee Perry and Bill Sutherland

**SERVING NEXT WEEK: (9/6/15 - MUSICAL SUNDAY**

Organist – Elly Stempien

Choir Director: Aimee Perry

Liturgist: Carole Clow

Scripture Reader: Barbara Bailey

Greeters: Meredith Nielsen and Barbara Allart

Ushers: Mary Anne Miller and Joel Warren

Fellowship: TBA

Sunday School: Sarah Stackhouse

Nursery: Phil Pearce and Laurie Prinzivalli

Counters: Ron Salyer and Pam Althouse

**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.

**LOOKING AHEAD:**

SEPTEMBER IS NEARLY HERE. TIME TO GEAR UP FOR FALL. WE WILL BE STARTING OUR **BIBLE STUDY GROUP, SEPT. 16<sup>TH</sup> AT 10AM.** COME AND LEARN HOW GOD WORKS THROUGH SUFFERING USING MAINLY THE BOOK OF JOB and Philip Yancey's book "Where Is God When It Hurts", beginning with Chapter 10.

CHOIR REHEARSAL WILL BEGIN TUES. SEPT. 8<sup>TH</sup> ALWAYS LOOKING FOR NEW MEMBERS TO JOIN.

WE ARE PLANNING **A CHRISTMAS TOUR BUS TRIP TO LANCASTER, PA** IN NOVEMBER FOR THE CHRISTMAS SHOW "**MIRACLE OF CHRISTMAS**" AT SIGHT AND SOUND THEATER, **NOV. 11-12.** WE WILL HAVE **FAMILY STYLE DINNER AT "PLAIN AND FANCY"** AND **MAGIC LANTERN SHOW ABOUT CHRISTMAS,** STAYING AT LA QUINTA HOTEL, **DELUXE CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST, THE AMISH CHRISTMAS SCHOOL TOUR NEXT MORNING.** TOTAL COST WILL BE **\$278.00 per person/double room, Triple rm, \$206.86; Quad rm, 197.85.** Must have down payment **(\$50.00) by Sept. 24<sup>th</sup>,** Final payment due **Oct. 25.** Sorry no refunds, except for room. This will be the last trip Pastor Judy will be planning for awhile.

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**FAITH AND LOVE....  
IT'S WHO WE ARE...IT'S WHAT WE DO**

