

BLUFF POINT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
NOVEMBER 22, 2015
**CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY AND
THANKSGIVING SUNDAY**



WELCOME AND GREETING
ORGAN PRELUDE/CANDLE LIGHTING

*SONG OF PRAISE – #2036 “Give Thanks”

*CALL TO WORSHIP -

L. Give praise to the Living God

P. We come into God’s sanctuary offering ourselves to Him

L. All things come from God, so let us lift our voices in thanksgiving

P. Thank you Lord for all you do for us

L. Let us come before God with praise and singing, offering ourselves to Him with our whole being.

P. Praise you, Praise you, O living God, our Creator, Sustainer, and Redeemer.

PRAYER – Today we ask that we can come into your presence with thanksgiving. Come, Lord Jesus, and be present in our worship. Help us to leave all that worries us behind and look forward to this time together. We pray that this treasure of our time, talent, and offering be acceptable to you and that we can rejoice in thanksgiving with all that we have because of you. In Jesus’ name we pray. Amen.

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

HYMN OF PRAISE: #155 “All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name”

CHORAL ANTHEM: “Harvest Song”

CHILDREN’S TIME

PRAYER HYMN - #2162 “Grace Alone”

PASTORAL PRAYER/LORD’S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE: Rev.1:4b-8(p.245 NT)Phil.1:3-5,(p.196 NT);4:4-7,(p.198NT)

SERMON: “Be Thankful” Rev. Judy D White-Wunder

*OFFERTORY/DOXOLOGY: Hymnal, #95:

OFFERTORY PRAYER: O God, Here we offer ourselves to you. We give all we have both in our time, our talent, and our monetary treasure. Help us not to worry, but totally surrender our lives to you that we can live as you want us to live. May these offerings be pleasing in your sight, O God. Amen.

HYMN OF DEDICATION # 2153 “2164 “Sanctuary”

BENEDICTION -

POSTLUDE

*All who are willing and able, please stand

PLEASE GATHER TOGETHER IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL AFTER THE WORSHIP SERVICE. Our Host is Trish DeMontfort.

SERVING CHRIST THIS WEEK:

Organist: Elly Stempien

Choir Director: Aimee Perry

Liturgist: Bill Sutherland

Greeters: Helen and Dana Schillinger

Ushers: Dick Smith and Ernie Pinneo

Scripture Reader: Sarah Stackhouse

Fellowship: Trish deMontfort

Sunday School: Leah Dibble

Nursery: Chris and Stacy Wyant

Counters: Aimee Perry and Dick Smith

SERVING NEXT WEEK: (11/29/15) MUSICAL SUNDAY

Pianist: Ron Miller

Choir Director: Aimee Perry

Liturgist: Bill Sutherland

Greeters: Amos and Laura Hammond

Ushers: John and Laurie Prinzivalli

Scripture Reader: Barbara Bailey

Fellowship: Marilyn Sands and Helen Schillinger

Sunday School: No Sunday School

Nursery: Phil Pearce and Breanna Summers

Counters: Aimee Perry and Dick Smith

THIS WEEK

Tues. Noon..Women's Luncheon at Antique Inn. All women are invited to come share a meal with one another.

Wed. BIBLE STUDY at 10am . Chapter 17 "Hope"

THANKSGIVING IS THIS THURSDAY. HAVE A BLESSED DAY.

Friday, Nov. 26, our church is responsible for **ringing the bells** at Tops Market for Yates County Christmas beginning at 9am.

NEXT WEEK , Nov. 29th, Our **MUSICAL SUNDAY**. Invite your friends to come enjoy this wonderful Christmas Musical Sunday, the celebration of the beginning of Advent. We will have a fellowship dinner afterwards.

DECEMBER EVENTS:

Dec. 6th – Introduce our Stewardship Program

Dec. 13th – Covenant Service

Senior Dinner at Elks Club. This is free but you must get your tickets at Office for the Aging soon. Serving at Noon and 1:30pm.

CHRISTMAS CAROLING, 3PM. Anyone is welcome to join us. We will visit the nursing homes and Keuka Comfort Home.

Dec. 20th – **CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS SUNDAY**, a special worship for the children.

Dec. 24th – **CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE**, 7PM

Dec. 27th – **PASTOR JUDY'S LAST SERVICE**. Art, Pastor Judy, MaryAnne and Joel will serve you brunch after the service.

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