

BLUFF POINT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

NOVEMBER 9, 2014

SECOND STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY

VETERANS DAY SUNDAY

WELCOME AND GREETING/PRESENTATION OF THE FLAGS

ORGAN PRELUDE/CANDLE LIGHTING

***SONG OF PRAISE – #2139 “I Know the Lord”**

*** LITANY FOR VETERANS**

L: God of love, peace and justice, it is your will for the world that we may live together in peace. You have promised through the prophet Isaiah that one day the swords will be beaten into ploughshares. Yet we live in a broken world, and there are times that war seems inevitable. Let us recognize with humility and sadness the tragic loss of life that comes in war. Even so, as we gather here free from persecution, we may give thanks for those that have served with courage and honor.

Please Rise: Those that are in our presence that are either in active duty or reserve duty, and the fathers, mothers, siblings, spouses and grandparents of those that are currently serving.

All: God, we praise you for those that are willing to serve. Let all Soldiers, Marines, Sailors, Airmen and Coast Guardsmen serve with honor, pride, and compassion. Do not let their hearts be hardened by the actions they must take. Strengthen their families. Keep them surrounded in your love and peace.

Please Rise: Those that are in our presence that have served in the military in the past.

All: God, we praise you for those that have served in the military. We thank you for those that put the welfare of others ahead of their own safety. Let us all be inspired by their self-sacrifice in service to those who needed protection.

Please Rise: Those that are in our presence who have lost a loved one in war.

All: God, we praise you for those that have made the ultimate sacrifice. We ask that you comfort those that still feel the pain of

their loss. Keep us mindful that you have promised to comfort those that mourn.

Please Rise: Those who have gathered in your name in safety because of the sacrifices of others.

All: God, we praise you for granting us these freedoms. Let us honor those who have served by working for peace. Let us never forget those that have served, and let us never let go of your promise of peace.

CHORAL ANTHEM: “The Mansions of the Lord”

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

HYMN OF PRAISE: #382 “Have Thine Own Way Lord”

CHILDREN’S TIME

PRAYER HYMN - #2160 “Into My Heart”

PASTORAL PRAYER/LORD’S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE: Matt.6:24(NT p.6) Mark 3:24-25(NT p.37)

VIDEO PRESENTATION – TREASURE by Jacob Armstrong

SERMON: “The Problem With Two Masters” Rev. Judy D White

***OFFERTORY/DOXOLOGY:** Hymnal, #95:

OFFERTORY PRAYER: Lord, we thank you for the giving. For those who gave, those who are giving, and for those who will continue to give. Amen.

HYMN OF DEDICATION #396 “O Jesus, I Have Promised”

BENEDICTION -

POSTLUDE

***All who are willing and able, please stand**

TODAY, is the 2nd Sunday of our Stewardship Program called “Treasure”. Jesus said, “Where your treasure is, there will your heart be also”(Matthew 6:21).We will be looking at the Sermon on the Mount by doing a 4 week study on Faith and Money written by Jacob Armstrong, pastor of Providence Church. A United Methodist congregation in Mt. Juliet, Tennessee. We will experience together the power found in making God our treasure. Please join us for this 4 week adventure .

SERVING CHRIST THIS WEEK:

Organist: Cindy Heggie
Choir Director: Aimee Perry
Liturgist: Bill Sutherland
Greeters: Linda Folts and Sharon Larsen
Ushers: Sherri Hunt and Marilyn Sands
Scripture Reader: Bruce Westerdahl
Fellowship: Bruce & Nancy Westerdahl(**Birthday Sunday**)
Sunday School: Marguerite Miller
Nursery: Phil Pearce and Michele Covert
Counters: Aimee Perry and Marilyn James

SERVING NEXT WEEK: (11/16)14

Organist: Cindy Heggie
Choir Director: Aimee Perry
Liturgist: Bill Sutherland
Greeters: Bev Dean and Ron Sergent
Ushers: Mary Anne Miller & Joel Warren
Scripture Reader: Barbara Bailey
Fellowship: Stacy and Chris Wyant
Sunday School: Leah Dibble
Nursery: Blanche Fingar and Sonya Andersen
Counters: Linda Folts and Ed Head

This Week Schedule:

TONIGHT – Pastor Judy will be preaching at The Living Well, 5pm

Tues. UMW luncheon, Noon at Antique Inn

Choir Rehearsal, Tues. 7pm

Wed. Bible Study 10:00am.

COMING UP:

Madeline's Christmas Dinner and Show, Nov. 21&22 at Penn Yan UMC. Two Dinner choices – 5:15 & 7:15. Show is at 6pm. See Pastor Judy for pre-sale tickets. Adults-\$20, Seniors - \$15, Children(under 11)\$10. Proceeds to benefit the Pennsylvania Yankee Theatre Co. and The Living Well. John Prinzivalli will be preparing Lazagna Dinner.

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