

# THE STORY

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## **FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

**10:30 am Service**

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Paul E. Frederiksen - Pastor  
Jenn Comstock - Admin. Ministries Coordinator  
Sylvia Gould - Accompanist  
Alice Ann Gallagher - Chancel Choir Director

Greg Brown - Director of Xn Chaos  
Don Griffith - Custodian  
Denise Cartwright - Choir Kids Director  
Dee Wallace - Accompanist



\* A JESUS STORY                      Luke 6:35-38

L: This is the Word of our Lord.

**Response: Thanks be to God.**

MESSAGE                      “If God’s Not Done, It Isn’t Over Yet!”

GIVING TITHES and OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY

Choir Kids

*(The ushers will bring the offering forward during the prayer.)*

\* THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION (unison)

**Holy God, may the tithes and offerings we bring to your altar this day not be a testimony to our worthiness, but to our readiness – readiness to be emptied of pride, that we might be instruments of your peace, love, and compassion in our hurting world. We pray in the blessed name of Jesus, our Rock and our Redeemer. Amen.**

\* SENDING FORTH

L: You may be locked up: by illness of body, mind or spirit; by “the system;” by employment; family obligations or expectations; or even by self-expectations.

**P: I put my hand in yours, O God; my story isn’t finished yet!!  
Here we go!**

\* MARCHING SONG    “Amazing Grace; My Chains Are Gone”

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

How We’ll Each Put Hands & Feet To The Gospel This Week

*Always use a microphone so everyone may be included. Thank you.*

\* POSTLUDE                      “Reflection of Your Love”                      (by Jim Loucks)

*May your love be reflected in me, May your love be reflected in me;  
May each day that I live be the best I can give, May your love be reflected in me.*

### September 28 Sunday Servants:

Liturgist: Comstock Family; Acolytes: Davis Webb & Margaret O'Leary ; Power Point: Alec Heil-Create, and Andrew Comstock run; Video: McKinney Family; Nursery: Kris Clark; Ushers: Richard Anderson & Richard Zobel, Kay & Marvin Miller; Fellowship Coffee: Ruel & Jan Wehde, Nancy Burroughs, Pat Fankhauser; Greeters: Rick & Judy Rouse; Children's Lesson: Nifer Comstock; Flowers: Lieser Family.

### October 5 Sunday Servants:

Special Sunday: World Communion Sunday, Missions; Liturgist: Mission Committee ; Acolytes: Levi Daniel & Adam Heil; Power Point: Brian and Mary Jo Heil-Create and run; Video: McKinney Family; Nursery: Denise Cartwright ; Ushers: Jason & Kim Walter, Deanna & Steven Licht ; Fellowship Coffee: Mission Soup Luncheon; Greeters: Richard and Helen Palmer; Children's Lesson: Pastor Paul; Flowers: Glenda Holets

## PRAYERS

**Hospitalized/Procedures:** Marvin Miller @ UIHC, Ray Steinberg @ UIHC(Cartwright's next-door neighbor)

**Healing:** Karen Anderson, Linda Black(J. Keller's sis), Joe Cheshareck (G.Fleming's bro-in-law,) Darlene (Marjorie Stonerook's sister), Arlene Hein, Betty Hopkins (Deb Bothell's mom), Lee Huff, (M.Stonebraker's bro), Rex Idlewine, Ed & Margaret Ketelsen (MJ Heil's folks), McKay's nephew Joel and wife Holly, Edna Miller (J Ohrt's sister), Mandy Ohrt (Judy's dau), Dawn Spickermann, Joe T [in NJ; friend of McKays], Gary Taylor, Jim Shontz, Carolyn Wiggins (S. Gould's sis), Mindy Williams, and others under care or treatment.

### **Prayers for those in Life Transitions:**

CJ Eicher, son of Chris and Tina, broke his arm in a JH football game.

Persons/people persecuted for religious convictions

Persons uprooted due to "natural" and/or "human" disaster; and those who are called to help.

Families struggling with the impact of drug and alcohol abuse or other addiction.

Couples/Families searching for the way forward.

Persons & families of incarceration;

Persons in employment limbo;

**In Treatment:** Jim Ehresman, Barb Knack (B. Cummin's sis), Sarah Ann Wellendorf (F. Kuehl's sis), Jean Heil (Brian's mom),

**Hospice/Palliative Care:** Elmer Flory, Francis Kuehl, Gene Weih

**Armed Services:** Thomas Brown (Seydel's son-in-law), Sean Hannes, Billy Hoffman, Kyle Marchik, Corey Ormsby, Mike Ploeger (McKinney's Nephew), Jake Reidel, Cole Weih

**Attendance:** 09/21/14 - 133, General Fund 1,177.00, Apportionments 10.00, The Story 360.00, Xn Chaos 200.00, Copper Kettle 49.58, Grand Total 1,796.58

### **This week:**

**Sun. 9/28:** 8:30am Choir Kids, 9am Confirmation, 9am G.I.G., 9am Sunday School, 10:30am Worship, 11:30am Festival of Talents

**Mon. 9/29:** 6:30pm Xn Chaos rehearsal, 6:45pm SPRC Meeting

**Wed. 10/1:** Homecoming Parade, 12pm Pastor @ Bible Study, 6pm G.I.G, 6pm G.I.G, 7pm Chancel Choir rehearsal

**Thu. 10/2:** 10am G.I.G., 6:30pm UMW General Unit Meeting

**Sun. 10/5:** World Communion Sunday, 8:30am Choir Kids, 9am Confirmation, 9am G.I.G., 9am Sunday School, 10:30am Worship, 11:30am Finalization of the Festival of Talents, 11:45am World Communion Lunch