

May 1, 2016

Love one another
as I have loved you
- Jesus (John 13:34)



Mission Statement:
Tipton First United Methodist Church

“To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.”

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

10:30 am Service

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Sylvia Gould - Accompanist

Dee Wallace - Choir Kids Accompanist

Greg Brown - Director of Xn Chaos

Don Griffith - Custodian

Denise Cartwright - Choir Kids Director

Jamie Bahr - Xn Chaos Keyboard

Sam Semotan-Dir. Little Friends

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JESUS' FAREWELL SPEECH

10:30 A.M.

Welcome visitors – *Whether you're here with friends or relatives, or if you're here by a mysterious, guiding hand, **welcome** and we're glad you're here. If you've not been here before, relax. We aren't going to ask you to stand up and introduce yourself. If you're new to First, we do have print materials on the table at the back of the main level of the worship center... help yourself or just ask someone!*

If children are with you, that's wonderful. Jesus loves children and so do we. You might sit near the front so the children can see and hear everything. There are children's activity bags on the coat tree at the back of the sanctuary; and children's bulletins are on the table. We do offer a staffed nursery for pre-school children during worship if you'd prefer to use it for part or all of the service. The easiest way to get there is go have an usher provide an escort.

*Ask an usher about using a **hearing assist device**; or for a **large print Hymnal**.*

In each program is a half-sheet insert. Please fill it out and use it for an "offering" at that time of the service. Beverage and light refreshments are offered in the dining room in the lower level of the building at the conclusion of worship. Everyone is welcome!!

PRELUDE

Lighting of the Candles

Ringling of the Bell

Sylvia Gould

* CALL TO WORSHIP

(fr. Worship & Song No. 36)

L: When the world divides us:

P: Come, Holy Spirit, make us one.

L: When the world calls us orphaned:

P: Come, Holy Spirit, make us family.

L: When the world leads us astray:

P: Come, Holy Spirit, call us home.

Come, Holy Spirit, Come! Come and fill this place!

* SINGING THE FAITH

"Jesu, Jesu"

No. 432

* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

"The Nicene Creed"

No. 880

YOUNG DISCIPLES LESSON

Pastor Paul

(As we sing this song the ushers will be collecting the copper kettle offering.)

THE BIBLE

Deuteronomy 34:1-5

ACT OF PRAISE

"Built on a Rock"

Chancel Choir

THIS STORY TELLS OF JESUS

John 13:1-17

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

MESSAGE

"Last Chance"

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

(TFWS No. 2257)

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen

In the name of Christ, all persons are invited to participate in the meal! As you come forward you may place any offerings you might have in the containers which are located at the front toward the outside of the platform. As the serving begins, the Chancel Choir will sing, "For the Bread Which You Have Broken."

* PRAYER OF GRATITUDE & DEDICATION

(W&S No. 175)

Thank you, Jesus ... **for hearing us when we cried for mercy!**

Thank you, Jesus... **for feeding us when our hands were unclean!**

Thank you, Jesus... **for welcoming us when we were foreigners!**

Thank you, Jesus... **for healing us when we were wounded.**

Thank you, Jesus... **for sending us to do the same.**

Thank you, Jesus... **Amen.**

* COMMITMENT & BLESSING

L: May the God who made heaven and earth, whom death could not contain,
Who lives to disturb and heal us, bless you with the power to go forth
and proclaim the gospel. The grace of God be with you all, now and always.

ALL: AMEN.

* SONG

"Jesus' Hands Were Kind Hands"

No. 273

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

Sylvia Gould

Our Annual Missions Rummage Sale is this week. Rummage is accepted through Noon on Wednesday. People are needed to setup today after worship, Tuesday 4:00-8:00pm, Wednesday 8:00am-1:00pm and 4:00-8:00pm, and Thursday 8:00am until done. The sale is Friday 9:00am-4:00pm and Saturday 8:00-11:00am. Help is needed during the sale and at 11:00am on Saturday for cleanup. If you can help, it is preferred that you sign up on the breezeway doors or on the bulletin insert, but you can also just show up.

May 1 Sunday Servants

Acolytes: Nicholas Eicher & Adam Heil; Ushers: Thursday Morning GIG; Greeters: Brad & Jeannette Kirkpatrick; Power Point: Brian Heil; Fellowship Coffee: Kim Cross & Twyla Hein, Kris Clark; Nursery: Penny, Laura, Sara Webb; Children's Lesson: Pastor Paul; Flowers: Barb Rickard; Communion Steward: JoAnn Beers

May 8 Sunday Servants

Acolytes: Owen Steinman & Lea Stonebraker; Liturgist: Becky Young; Ushers: Rosalyn Hill & Gary Eichhorn, Thursday Morning GIG; Greeters: Glenn & Ellen Fear; Power Point: Carmen Hoffman; Fellowship Coffee: Bob & Becky Young, Ron & Laura Hembry; Nursery: Volunteer Needed; Children's Lesson: Bob Young

PRAYERS

Hospitalized/Procedures:

Healing: Jerry Ferguson, Marvin/Frances Ford, Donna Gault, Arlene Hein, Dale Hein, Linda Huff, Rex Idlewine, Erma Lyle, Lynn McIntosh and others under care or treatment.

Prayers for those in Life Transitions:

God's peace to Marjorie Stonerook on the death of her brother Ray Penningroth.

Chuck Draper (regular guest at Shared Blessings)
@Manor Care in CR

Aaron/Jennifer Comstock family & the myriad decisions in this 'wilderness.' And now as they grieve the death of Jennifer's mother, Grace Nichols.

Family of Colin Tesdall (Jack Cartwright's cousin) as they grieve his sudden death.

Couples/Families searching for the way forward.

Persons & families of incarceration;

Persons in employment limbo;

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

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

Persons/people persecuted for religious convictions.

In Treatment: Gary Kline, Linda (Kay Miller's sis), Dan Conrad, Rod Ferris

Hospice/Palliative Care: Mabel Lamp;

Armed Services: Thomas Brown (Seydel's son-in-law), Kyle Marchik, Kaitlyn McKinney, Corey Ormsby, Chris Paul (Nicole Royer's fiancée')

Apr 24: Worship 107, Sunday School 77, General Fund \$3,265.00, Upper Room \$1.00, Leaving a Legacy \$2,250.00, Copper Kettle \$47.57, Missions \$25.00 Grand Total: \$5,588.57

This Week:

Sun. May 1: 10:30 am Worship, Rummage Sale Set up after Worship

Mon. May 2: 10:30 am Staff Meeting, 6:00 pm Prairie Hills Program-Legal & Financial Planning, 6:45 pm Missions Meeting

Tue. May 3: 4:00 pm Set up for Rummage Sale

Wed. May 4: Accepting Rummage Items UNTIL NOON, 8:00 am Set up Rummage Sale, 1:00 pm GIG, 4:00 pm Set up Rummage Sale, 4:00 pm LFP Board Meeting, 5:30 pm Youth Group, 6:00 pm GIG, 6:30 pm GIG, 7:00 pm Choir Practice

Thu. May 5: 8:00 am Rummage Sale Set up if needed, 9:30 am Communion @ Cedar Manor, 10:00 am GIG, 6:30 pm Xn Chaos Practice

Fri. May 6: 9:00 am Missions Rummage Sale

Sat. May 7: 8:00 am Missions Rummage Sale, 11:00 am Rummage Sale Cleanup

Sun. May 8: Registration Deadline Detroit Mission Trip, 8:30 am Choir Kids, 9:00 am Sunday School/GIGs, 10:30 am Worship, 3:00 pm Cedar Manor Worship