

June 14,
2015



Mission Statement:

Tipton First United Methodist Church

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

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

9:30 am Service

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Greg Brown - Director of Xn Chaos

Don Griffith - Custodian

Denise Cartwright - Choir Kids Director

Jamie Bahr - Xn Chaos Keyboard

Dee Wallace - Choir Kids Accompanist

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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 or anything like that. 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... 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 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.

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 room next door at the conclusion of worship. Everyone is welcome!!

PRELUDE

Christian Chaos

Lighting of the Candles

Ringling of the Bell

PRAISE

"Fill My Cup"

(everyone join in the refrain)

* PRAYER for WORSHIP

(Worship & Song, No. 72)

Eternal God, who speaks to us through your Scriptures and in the collective wisdom of your people throughout the ages:

Help us to hear anew what you would speak to us this day.

Your Word is always fresh, a message of life and hope in the world that needs to know and heed your will.

Through Christ, the living Word, and your Spirit – who with you is the truth that sets us free. Amen.

JOYS AND CONCERNS... and the Power of Persistent Intercession!

Call to Prayer

"Just a Little Talk with Jesus"

(vs. 3)

Prayers of the People

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

* A JESUS STORY

Excerpts from John 4:1- 43

L: This is the Word of our Lord.

Response: Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S LESSON

Dusty Johnson

(Pocket change collected in the copper kettles each week is given to missions.)

ACT OF PRAISE

“Come to the Water”

Christian Chaos

MESSAGE

“Hope in the Craziest Places/People”

Joshua 2

GIVING TITHES and OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY

“His Eye Is On the Sparrow”

Jennie Flinspach

Jamie Bahr, accompanist

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

* A PRAYER (unison)

We offer our gifts in gratitude, Holy One, for all your blessings in our lives. Use them to touch the lives of all who stand on the edge of hope, of peace, of community that they might step into these promises of yours with confidence. In Jesus' name, Amen.

* SENDING FORTH

L: Do you feel it? God's kingdom is beneath our feet.

P: We live in the new creation shaped by God out of our brokenness.

L: Go forth as God's people into the world, siblings of Jesus, Spirit-powered.

P: We go to serve those who stand at the edges of life.

ALL: To God be the Glory!

* MARCHING SONG

“Wade in the Water”

No. 2107

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

Christian Chaos

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The Iowa Annual Conference received a report from a task force named “Poverty to Opportunity.” This group had met for a year to study poverty in Iowa and then had the charge to design a way to address it. Well, much to the joy of this former elementary school reading teacher, they determined that getting books into the hands of all children is a great way to make a difference in children's lives.

“Sometimes, when you are living in a rough situation or going through a rough time, you need a good story to take you away, to give you power, to help you dream about changing your own story. The Iowa Conference hopes to help thousands of children do just that through a reading initiative called Change a Child's Story. Across the state, United Methodists are encouraged to give time and give books... to “Change a Child's Story.”



Today's Sunday Servants

Liturgist: Murry Mente; Alcolytes: Volunteers; Power Point: Melinda Stonebraker Create & Run; Nursery: O'Leary Family; Ushers: Gary Eichorn & Rosalyn Hill, Abbey & Chris Vanscoy; Greeters: Murry & Renee Mente; Fellowship: Missions Breakfast Potluck; Children's Lesson: Dusty Johnson; Flowers: Sherry Willey

June 21 Sunday Servants

Liturgist: Becky Young; Alcolytes: Volunteers; Power Point: Maggie Borman-Create, Chris McKinney-Run; Nursery: Denise Cartwright; Ushers: Gary Eichorn & Rosalyn Hill, Abbey & Chris Vanscoy; Greeters: Phil & Patti Seydel; Fellowship: Donna Gault, Richard & Karen Zobel; Children's Lesson: Volunteer Needed; Flowers: Bob & Barb Rickard

PRAYERS

Hospitalized/Procedures:

Bob Young @ St. Luke's

Healing: Wanda Berner (Kim White's mother), Joe Cheshareck (G.Fleming's bro-in-law,) Darlene (Marjorie Stonerook's sister), Jerry Ferguson, Jack Fraseur, Jean Heil (Brian's mom), Arlene Hein, Rex Idlewine, Carsten Kime (Tipton 2nd gr); Ted Licht, Erma Lyle, Roger Regennitter, Judy Reidel, Erica Shumaker, Ray Steinberg, Gary Taylor, Keith Wood, Bob Young (scheduled for 6/9), Warren Nielson (Larry & Kathy Houstman's bro-in-law), Ruel Wehde (scheduled 6/15), Mark McKay (K. McKay's brother) and others under care or treatment.

Prayers for those in Life Transitions:

Many churches, United Methodist and others, are in a season of changing pastors.

Bob & Ginny Cummins as Bob's sister Barb Knack passed away May 30.

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: Judy Keller

Hospice/Palliative Care: Wayne Eisele (Mike's father, in W'loo), Elmer Flory, Mabel Lamp, Richard Wallick (Jeff's father), Henry Wiskus,

Armed Services: Thomas Brown (Seydel's son-in-law), Sean Hanes, Kyle Marchik, Corey Ormsby

Worship Attendance 72,
General Fund \$3548.00,
Copper Kettle \$30.40, Grand
Total \$3578.40

This Week

Sun. 6/14: 9:30am Worship,
10:45am Missions Brunch
Potluck, 2:00pm Dave Crow
Farewell Springville UMC,
6:00pm Dominoes

Mon. 6/15: 4:30pm Grief
Group, 6:30pm Creative
Worship, 6:30pm HCI

Wed. 6/17: Newsletter Arti-
cles Due, 10:00am Pastor @
Bible Study, 6:30 pm Youth
Planning Summit

Thurs. 6/18: 10:00am GIG,
6:30pm Trustees

Sun. 6/21: Father's Day,
9:30am Worship