

<u>Mission Statement:</u> 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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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

July 12, 2015 9:30 a.m.

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

"God of Wonders" Ringing of the Bell

Christian Chaos

No. 2055

Lighting of the Candles

* CALL TO WORSHIP

L: You awaken the sun, O God, to guide us into the new day:

P: Your name, O God, like your praise, sings in every person.

L: You speak your Word, O God, to guide us into your kingdom:

P: Your hope, O God, like your joy, echoes in every soul.

L: You guide us to those who are looking for you:

P: Your love, O God, like your name, fills the emptiness of every heart.

* PRAISE "Great Is the Lord" No. 2022

* PRAYER for WORSHIP

God of all wonder and glory, you shaped the universe and all that is in it: soft summer breezes dancing across the green plains, snow-capped mountains reflecting the sunrise each new morning.

It was your good pleasure to create us in your image,

it was your glorious grace that filled us with your life.

It is clear that you want us for a dance partner.

Here we are, O God; we are willing to dance with you. Amen.

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

Call to Prayer "You Are My Hiding Place"

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

HEBREW READING A Celebration of The Hero Psalm 24 (<u>Hymnal p. 755</u>) (Response 2) Who shall stand in God's holy place?

Those with clean hands and with pure hearts.

CHILDREN'S LESSON Webbs: Penny, Laura, Sara (Pocket change collected in the copper kettles each week is given to missions.)

ACT OF PRAISE "I Refuse" Christian Chaos

* A JESUS STORY Mark 6:14-29

L: This is the Word of our Lord. Response: Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE "Herod: First in Line to Believe in Resurrection"

GIVING TITHES and OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY

Jennie Flinspach

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

* A PRAYER (unison) (2 Samuel 6:1-19)

Lord of the heavenly hosts, we praise you. Make us more like King David, who rejoiced with great gladness and singing in your presence. Let others see and hear our joy and be drawn to you. We dedicate our offerings and our lives to your service, through Christ your son. Amen.

* SENDING FORTH

L: We are sent by God, to be God's people in the world.

P: We go - to sing of God's joy and hope to all.

L: We are called by Christ, adopted into God's gracious family.

P: We go - to share the good news of Christ's grace for everyone.

L: We are chosen by the Spirit to care for and serve creation.

P: We go - to join hands with our sisters and brothers in all life.

* MARCHING SONG "My Life, Is In You, Lord" No. 2032

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 "In the Hands of God" Christian Chaos

Today's Sunday Servants

Liturgist: Bob Young; Alcolytes; Volunteers; Power Point: Carmen Hoffman Create & Run; Children's Lesson: Penny, Laura, & Sara Webb; Fellowship Coffee: Sherry Willey, Alice Ann Gallagher; Ushers: Pam Spear, Carmen & Kent Hoffman; Greeters; Duane & Becky Webb; Nursery: Cummins-Vanscoy Family; Flowers: Berrie Glick

July 19 Sunday Servants

Liturgist: Pat Fankhauser; Alcolytes: Volunteers; Power Point: Deb & Ken McKay Create & Run; Fellowship: Bev Ehresman, Tom & Mary Ehresman; Ushers: Larry & Kathy Houstman, Pam Spear & Marge Stonerook; Greeters Brad & Bobbie Lieser Family; Nursery: Volunteer; Children's Lesson: Kris Clark; Flowers: Nancy Burroughs

PRAYERS

Hospitalized/Procedures:

Linda Huff (M. Stonebrakers mom) @ UIHC Max Keller @ Mercy-IC

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, Dean Hoffman (Kent's father), Rex Idlewine, Carsten Kime (Tipton 2nd gr); Erma Lyle, Mark McKay (K. McKay's bro), Warren Nielson (L & K Houstman's bro-in-law), Roger Regennitter, Katie Ryan, Lois Salmonson, Ken Schmidt, Erica Shumaker, Gary Taylor, Ruel Wehde, Keith Wood, Bob Young and others under care or treatment.

Prayers for those in Life Transitions:

Rev. Beth Wartick is the new pastor at Trinity ELCA.

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 Hannes, Kyle Marchik, Corey Ormsby

Worship 63, General Fund \$2678.00, Upper Room \$22.00, Confirmation Retreat \$5.00, Copper Kettle \$40.43, Mission Work Trip \$15.00, Grand Total \$2760.43

This Week

Sun. 7/12: 9:30am Worship, 6:00pm Dominoes

Mon. 7/13: Mission Trip

Tues. 7/14: Mission Trip

Wed. 7/15: Mission Trip

Thurs. 7/16: Mission Trip, 10:00am GIG, 6:30pm Trustees

Fri. 7/17: 1:00pm Confirmation Retreat

Sat. 7/18: Confirmation Retreat

Sun. 7/19: Confirmation Retreat returns,

Worship 9:30am

Please let the church office know if you would like to receive the Newsletter by e-mail.