

<u>Galatians 6:9</u> – And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up.

<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 10:30 am Service

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Dee Wallace - Choir Kids Accompanist Sam Semotan-Dir. Little Friends

January 10, 2016

Leadership Sunday

10:30 A.M.

Welcome visitors — Whether you're related to a 'regular,' or if you're here by a mysterious, guiding hand, 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... 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

CONSIDER

"Peace on Earth"
Ringing of the Bell

Christian Chaos

Lighting of the Candles

Best News of the New Year!

Isaiah 43:1

But now thus says the LORD, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel: Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine.

* SINGING OUR PRAISE

"You Are Mine"

No. 2218

* PRAYER OF WORSHIP (unison)

God of wonder, shaking the powers of the world by coming as a baby:
Dazzle us in this time of worship by the light of that same Jesus.
Then send us forth from this place, different than when we arrived;
to love and serve you in all that we are and do. Amen.

A TIME FOR EVERYTHING... Joys & Concerns

CALL TO PRAYER "Emmanuel"

No. 204

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Petitions will end: "Having seen the Christ child,

People may respond: Send us forth a different way."

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

LEARNING from Early Christians

Acts 8:14-17

A Time for YOUNG DISCIPLES

Dusty Johnson

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

ACT OF PRAISE

"What A Glorious Night"

Christian Chaos

* A STORY OF JESUS

Luke 9:18-20

MESSAGE

"For More than Just the Hawkeyes: Resolution Matters"

OFFERING OUR LIVES TO GOD; One small decision at a time...

Offertory

Choir Kids

* PRAYER OF COMMITMENT (unison)

God, our heavenly Father, your Holy Spirit lives in our hearts and burns away what is not pleasing to you. Just as Jesus turned to you in prayer, may we seek your will continually. Bless and use our offerings to support the work of Jesus Christ, lifting up your hope and new life in our community and beyond. We dedicate ourselves to serving you through your beloved Son. Jesus. Amen.

- * THE BLESSING & DISMISSAL
 - L: God came as a baby?!?!
 - P: We go forth gently, to love and be loved.
 - L: God came as a baby?!?!
 - P: Wanting the world to be tidy, we go forth as Herod, unsure what this baby will mean.
 - L: God came as a baby!!
 - P: May we live to discover the power God's gift continues to have.

* 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 "I Refuse" Christian Chaos

The Missions team has designated the January 17 copper kettle offering for UMCOR's U.S. Disaster **Response**. This project helps UMCOR respond to persons in need after natural disasters in the United States. UMCOR (United Methodist Committee on Relief) is one of the first agencies on the scene whenever disaster strikes anywhere in the world and is one of the last to leave. These copper kettle funds will be sent to help UMCOR and assist our Missouri neighbors and others in the U.S. after the recent flooding and tornadoes. Any donations are appreciated.

Today's Sunday Servants

Acolytes: Jacob Boedeker & Lucas Lieser; Liturgist: Jen Johnson; Power Point: Alec Heil; Fellowship Coffee: Leadership Potluck; Ushers: Ken & Lorna Muller, Brian & Amber Boedeker;

Greeters: Bob & Glenda Holets; Nursery: Kris Clark; Children's Lesson: Dusty Johnson

January 17 Sunday Servants

Acolvtes: Levi & Beckham Daniel; Liturgist: Sherry Willey; Power Point: Melinda Stonebraker; Fellowship Coffee: Dusty & Jen Johnson, Jack & Denise Cartwright; Ushers: Mike Nissen & Stephanie Shaull, Penelope Nissen, Les & Leann Boots; Greeters: Josh & Alisha Hubler; Nursery: Volunteer Needed; Children's Lesson: Berrie Glick

PRAYERS

Hospitalized/Procedures:

Larry Hostler @ Mercy-IC Kiaya Rickard-Urban @ Mercy-IC

Healing: Joe Cheshareck (G.Fleming's bro-in-law,) Darlene (Marjorie Stonerook's sister), Jerry Ferguson, Marvin Ford, Donna Gault, Jean Heil (Brian's mom), Arlene Hein, Linda Huff, Rex Idlewine, Chris Keller, Ron Martin, Mark McKay (Ken's bro), Warren Nielson (L&K Houstman's bro-in-law), Ray Penningroth (M. Stonerook's bro); Jim Shontz, Ray Steinberg, Heather Strefling, Gary Taylor, and others under care or treatment.

Prayers for those in Life Transitions:

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: Jean (Jayne Erickson's sis), Gary Kline, Katie Ryan, Linda (Kay Miller's sis)

Hospice/Palliative Care: Elmer Flory, Mabel Lamp, Henry Wiskus

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

Worship 112, Sunday School 60, General Fund \$16,936.00, Copper Kettle \$42.60, UMCOR \$8.00, Grand Total \$16,986.60

This Week

Sun. Jan 10: 10:30am Worship. 11:35 M&M Ministries Fair, 11:35 Potluck Meal, 12:40pm Leadership Orientation, 2:30pm KFC, 6:00pm Dominoes

Mon. Jan 11: 6:30pm Cha-OS

Wed. Jan 13: 1:00pm GIG, 1:30pm Bible Study, 6:00pm GIG, 6:30pm GIG, 7:00 Choir Practice.

Thurs. Jan 14: 10:00 Pastor @ Peer Ministry, 10:00am GIG, 6:30pm Fi-

nancial Peace Sun. Jan 17: 8:30am Choir Kids, 9:00am Sunday

School, 9:00am GIG,

10:30am Worship