

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE, STUDY AND FELLOWSHIP

ADULT FELLOWSHIP: Meets the third Saturday of each month, September thru May, and invites adults of all ages to join them. Contact person: Bill & Regnhild Moyer, 985-3527

20's – 30's FELLOWSHIP GROUP: Meets the third Friday of each month at 7pm. Contact Person: Kim Hekl, 856-912-1503

UNITED METHODIST MEN: Meet at 7:45am for breakfast on the third Sunday of each month, September through May. All men of all generations. Contacts: Doug Sell, Jr. 303-1398, Taylor Ruilova, 905-5198

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN: Miriam Circle meets second Monday 7:30 pm., Georgie Jenkins, Leader, 235-3582
Sarah Circle meets monthly. Contact: Gretchen Young, 235-0582, Jeanette Ulrich, 663-0143

MOM'S MORNING OUT: Wednesday Mornings 9-11:30. Contact: Lelania Wells, 667-3775

STEPHEN MINISTRY: Contact Persons: Carol Griffith, 234-1042, Kathy Appleton, 234-0089, Suanne Bryan 824-0672

SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDIES: See Information Board in Narthex

PRAYER MINISTRY: Sundays 9-9:20 AM in the Parlor, Wednesdays 6:30 AM – Men's Prayer
Thursdays Congregational prayer, 7-8 PM in the Chapel, Prayer Room (varied hours)
Contacts: Bobbie Shinehouse, 229-7887 or Nancy Maguire 866-8987

LIGHT HARBOR MINISTRIES: Third Sunday of each month @ 2:30. Contact person: Linda Wanagas, 273-1298

JR. HIGH UMYF (7-8TH GRADES) Meets every Sunday evening from 7-8:30, Sept. thru June

Sr. HIGH UMYF (9-12TH GRADE) Meets every Sunday evening from 7-8:30, Sept. thru June
Contact Person for Jr/Sr High: Brad Kenney, 866-0285

C.H.U.M. (2-4th Grade) Meets every Thursday at 4:30 for choir & 5:15 for dinner, fellowship & activity
Contact Person: Karen Murray, 222-1120

CHRISTIAN TRAILBLAZERS (5th-6th Grades) Meets every Thursday, 4:30 for choir & 5:15 for dinner, fellowship & activity
Contact Person: Karen Murray, 222-1120

YOUNG FOLLOWERS (K-1st Grade) Meets every Thursday at 4:30 in Fell. Hall for dinner and proceed to choir at 5:15
Contact Person: Karen Murray, 222-1120

COLLEGE AGE: Contact Person: Kathy Appleton, 234-0089

20's & 30's MEN'S BIBLE STUDY – Tuesday mornings 6:30 at Dunkin' Donuts, Camden Ave. Moorestown
Contact Person: Rex Bennett, 547-361-7959

INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK (IHN): Contact Person: Allan Hanlon, 802-1100

SIGN INTERPRETERS - The 9:30 a.m. Service is interpreted for the Deaf and Hearing Impaired as needed.

PRAISE TEAM - MUSIC AND BAND - Meets the 2nd & 4th Monday evening at 7:00 p.m.

CHOIRS AND HANDBELLS -

ADULT CHOIR	Thursday	8:00-10:00 p.m.
YOUTH (7th -12th grade)	Thursday	7:00-7:45 p.m.
WESLEY (5th - 6th grade)	Thursday	4:30-5:15 p.m.
JUNIOR (2nd - 4th grade)	Thursday	4:30-5:15 p.m.
PRIMARY (5 yrs. - 1st grade)	Thursday	5:15-5:45 p.m.
ADULT BELLS	Sunday	12:15-1:00 p.m.
YOUTH BELLS (7 th - 12 grade)	Sunday	6:00-6:50 p.m.
JUBILATION CHIMERS (4th-6th grade)	Sunday	5:15-5:50 p.m.

Contact Person: Glenn Rodgers, 222-9369 (Music Department)

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:30 P.M. Contemporary Worship in the Chapel

Sunday: 8:30 A.M. Traditional Worship in the Chapel

9:30 A.M. Contemporary Worship in the Sanctuary

(Sign language interpretation available upon request)

11:00 A.M. Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

A community of faith committed to sharing the love of Jesus Christ with a hurting world through words and actions
April 25, 2010 **MISSIONS WEEKEND** **9:30 A.M. Service**

We welcome you to this service of praise and adoration. Let God speak to you through the songs and the message, and enjoy the fellowship of those who are seeking the Lord and the spiritual help that we need for daily living.

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP:

Leader: Awake! Rise up!

People: There is much to be done in the Lord's Name today.

Leader: Get ready to worship and to serve God.

People: We are ready to hear God's word for us and to respond in action and love.

Leader: Open your hearts to God's will this day.

People: Praise be to God who walks with us and guides us. AMEN.

WORSHIP IN SONG GOD OF WONDERS (by Steve Hindalong, Marc Byrd)

Lord of all creation, of water, earth, and sky, the heavens are Your tabernacle. Glory to the Lord on high!

Chorus: God of wonders beyond our galaxy, You are holy, holy. The universe declares Your majesty;

You are holy, holy. Lord of heaven and earth; Lord of heaven and earth.

Hallelujah to the Lord of heaven and earth! Hallelujah to the Lord of heaven and earth!

Hallelujah to the Lord of heaven and earth!

Early in the morning, I will celebrate the light. And when I stumble in the darkness,

I will call Your name by night. (Chorus) (2000 New Spring Pub.)

CARRY THE LIGHT (by Twila Paris)

In this world of darkness we are given light, Hope for all the dying. How will they know?

How will they know that Jesus loves them, And He died to save them?

Chorus: Carry the Light, (*carry the Light*), carry the Light.

Go tell the children they are precious in His sight.

Carry the Light, (*carry the Light*), carry the Light.

Go and preach the gospel 'till there is no more night.

In the name of Jesus Christ, carry the Light. Count them by the millions, blinded slaves to sin.

Inside, they are dying. How will they know? How will they know that Jesus loves them, And His heart is breaking? (repeat chorus) (1992 Ariose Music)

OPENING PRAYER – With joy we come this day to the house of the Lord. God provides for us abundantly even when we doubt and fear, even when we turn away. God is faithful! Open our hearts today, O Lord, to hear your word for us that we may become faithful disciples of our Lord all our days. AMEN.

CHRIST IS THE WORLD'S LIGHT (by Fred Pratt Green)

Christ is the world's light, Christ and none other; born in our darkness, he became our brother.

If we have seen him, we have seen the Father: Glory to God on high!

Christ is the world's peace, Christ and none other; no one can serve him and despise another.

Who else unites us, one in God the Father? Glory to God on high!

Give God the glory, God and none other; give God the glory, Spirit, Son, and Father;

give God the glory; God with us, my brother: Glory to God on high! (1969 Hope Publishing Co.)

SHOUT TO THE NORTH (by Martin Smith) (Verses 1, 2, & 4)

Men of faith, rise up and sing of the great and glorious King.
You are strong when you feel weak, in your brokenness complete.

Chorus: Shout to the north and the south; sing to the east and the west.

Jesus is Savior to all, Lord of heaven and earth.

Rise up, women of the truth, stand and sing to broken hearts
who can know the healing pow'r of our glorious King of love.

Chorus: Shout to the north and the south; sing to the east and the west. Jesus is Savior to all, Lord of heaven and earth.

Rise up, church with broken wings, fill this place with songs again of our God who reigns on high.
By His grace again we'll fly. (Chorus) (1995 Curious? Music)

BRINGING OUR NEEDS TO GOD

PRAYER RESPONSE: HERE AM I (by Bob Kilpatrick)

Ask of Me and I will give the nations as an inheritance for you, as an inheritance for you,
My children' ask of Me and I will give the nations as an inheritance for you, ask of Me.

Here am I, send me to the nations as an ambassador for You, as an ambassador for You,
my Father; here am I, send me to the nations as an ambassador for You, here am I. (1987 Kilpatrick Music)

WORSHIP IN GIVING: Offering

SPECIAL MUSIC

God of Earth and Sky and Sea
Junior and Wesley Choirs

Tucker

SHARING THE WORD Scripture:

Romans 10:9-15

Message:

Jim Cummings & Andy Joshua

Urban Promise

PRESENTATION OF FAITH PROMISE CARDS

CLOSING SONGS SONG FOR THE NATIONS (by Chris Christensen)

May we be a shining light to the nations, a shining light to the peoples of the earth;
Till the whole world sees the glory of Your name. May Your pure light shine through us.

May we bring a word of hope to the nations, a word of life to the peoples of the earth;
Till the whole world knows there's salvation through Your name. May Your mercy flow through us.

May we be a healing balm to the nations, a healing balm to the peoples of the earth;
Till the whole world knows the power of Your name. May Your healing flow through us.

May we sing a song of joy to the nations, a song of praise to the peoples of the earth;
Till the whole world rings with the praises of Your name. May Your song be sung through us.

May Your kingdom come to the nations, Your will be done to the peoples of the earth;
Till the whole world knows that Jesus Christ is Lord. May Your kingdom come in us.
May Your kingdom come on earth. (1986 Integrity's Hosanna!)

HE REIGNS (P. Furler, S. Taylor)

It's the song of the redeemed rising from the African plain. It's the song of the forgiven
drowning out the Amazon rain. The song Asian believers filled with God's holy fire.
It's ev'ry tribe, ev'ry tongue, ev'ry nation; a love song born of grateful choir.

Chorus: It's all God's children singing "Glory, glory, hallelujah! He reigns, He reigns!"
It's all God's children singing, "Glory, glory, hallelujah! He reigns, He reigns."

Let it rise above the four winds, caught up in the heavenly sound. Let praises echo from the towers of
cathedrals to the faithful gathered underground. Of all the songs sung from dawn of creation, some were meant
to persist.

Of all the bells rung from a thousand steeples, none rings truer than this: (Chorus)

And all the powers of darkness tremble at what they've just heard, 'cause all the powers of darkness can't
drown out a single word. (Chorus) (WorshipTogether.com)

GOING FORTH: The Benediction

THE PEACE: The Peace of the Lord be with you.

And also with you.

CHILD CARE IS AVAILABLE in Room E101 for children up to age four.

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK: Worship: 550 Sunday School: 165

USHERS: Ed Henry, Valerie Henry, Kevin Stewart, Doti Stewart, Carlos Moco

ACOLYTE: Ceili O'Donnell

PLEASE LET US KNOW...Due to current privacy regulations, churches are no longer notified if a member
of their congregation is hospitalized. Therefore, if you or someone you know is ill or in the hospital, please let
the church office know so that we can help in their healing process through our prayers, visits, food
preparation, etc. Thank you!

THE CHANCEL BOUQUETS HAVE BEEN GIVEN BY: Barbara Dapper, to the glory of God and in
memory of husband, Edward, and by Alan & Doris Coshland in honor of their 2nd Wedding Anniversary.
PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY TO: Shirley Wagner on the death of her father, William Ratzell, Ruth
Florida & family on the death of her sister, Phyllis Sturgis, and Bill Wood and family and the Hagmaier
Family on the death of Julia Wood.
PRAYER CONCERNS: Stanton Webb, Faye Sienkiewicz, Ruth Allen, Joan Woodworth (Ann's sister-in-
law), Ben Brenner, Mary Jane Harris (niece of Bob Rodriguez), Paul Haynes, Isaiah Daniel Jefferson, Jean
Berner, Kelly Secor, Amy Secor, Michelle Knowles, Aril Bryant (friend of Emily Wright), Sebastian Hudak,
Bill Johnson (friend of Karen Murray), Lynn Gibson (friend of Donna Banes), Raymond Smith (family friend
of Jo Ann Kilcher), Paul Bailey, Mary Louise Shingleton, Darcie Jester (granddaughter of Peg Jester).
SERVING OVERSEAS: James Shields (son of Marcia Koury), David Leventhal (nephew of Diane &
John Schwarz)

The Staff of First United Methodist Church

Stephen Donat, Senior Pastor	Joan Flamini, Administrative Assistant
HeyYoung Horton, Associate Pastor	Karen Halligan, Membership Secretary
Glenn Rodgers, Director of Music	Sue Harris, Parish Nurse
Karen Murray, Director of Christian Ed.	Bill McIlmail, Property Coordinator
Brad Kenney, Youth Director	Steve Bixby, Facilities Maintenance Coordinator
Devika Gill, Pre-School Director	

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