

## OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE, STUDY AND FELLOWSHIP

ADULT FELLOWSHIP: Meets the third Saturday of each month, Sept. thru May, and invites adults of all ages to join them.

Contact Persons: Jerry Mengel, 609-702-0551

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. 267-259-0621, Taylor Ruilova, 905-5198

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN: Miriam Circle meets second Monday 7:30 pm., Georgie Jenkins, Leader, 235-3582

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

Mike Zolty, 609-261-4088, Michael Harsche, 778-3520

SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDIES: See Information Board in Narthex

PRAYER MINISTRY: Prayer Room (varied hours)

Contacts: Lonnie and Barbara DeHart, 609-261-1253

Email prayer chain: To add a name to the email prayer chain, contact Church@meetwithGod.com

TUESDAYS WITH GOD – A Weekly Prayer Gathering of the Faithful, meets every Tuesday evening from 6:00-6:45 p.m.

for prayer in the chapel. Led by Pastor HeyYoung.

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

BLAST (7-8TH GRADE YOUTH MINISTRY) Meets every Wednesday evening from 6:00-8:00, Sept. thru June

CORE (9-12TH GRADE YOUTH MINISTRY) 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-1<sup>st</sup> 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: Brad Kenney, 866-0285

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<sup>th</sup> - 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 28, 2013**

**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: Praise the Lord!

**People: Praise the Lord from the heavens. Praise God from the heights!**

Leader: Praise the Lord, you angels. Sing praise, you heavenly host!

**People: Praise the Lord, O sun and moon. Join in song, O shining stars!**

Leader: Praise the Lord, snow and rain. Blow loud, wind and storm!

**People: Praise the Lord, O trees. Dance with joy, O birds!**

Leader: Praise the Lord, women and men. Rejoice, children and rulers!

**People: Praise the Lord, weak and strong. Sing for joy, timid and bold!**

Leader: Praise the Lord, mothers and aunts. Give praise, grandfathers and cousins!

**People: Let all creation praise God's name!**

**All:** Praise the Lord!

**WORSHIP IN SONG: I BELONG TO A MIGHTY GOD** (by Lynn DeShazo)

Praise Band: (I belong to a mighty God,)

People: I belong to Jesus;

Praise Band: (I'm guided by His staff and rod,)

People: I belong to a mighty God.

*Chorus: ALL - I am justified by the good gift of the Lord;*

And I will testify that I belong to a mighty God, I belong to a mighty God.

Praise Band: (I belong to the Holy One,)

People: I belong to Jesus;

Praise Band: (His work in me has just begun),

People: I belong to the Holy One.

*Chorus: ALL - I am justified by the good gift of the Lord;*

And I will testify that I belong to the Holy One, I belong to the Holy One.

Praise Band: (I belong to the Lord of All,)

People: I belong to Jesus;

Praise Band: (I'll stand in Him and will not fall),

People: I belong to the Lord of All.

*Chorus: ALL - I am justified by the good gift of the Lord;*

And I will testify that I belong to the Lord of All, I belong to the Lord of All.

Praise Band: (I belong to a mighty God,)

People: I belong to Jesus;

Praise Band: (I'm guided by His staff and rod,)

People: I belong to a mighty God. (repeat 3 times) (1993 Integrity's Hosanna! Music)

**I WILL REJOICE** (by Jill LeBlanc)

I will rejoice and be glad in the God of my salvation;

I will rejoice and be glad all days, all the days of my life.

For you, O Lord, have made me glad by all that You have done;

You've given me the victory, my battles all are won. (1987 Integrity's Hosanna! Music)

**GOD IS MY REFUGE** (by Judy Horner Montemayer)

God is my refuge, And God is my strength, A very present help in trouble. (repeat)

Therefore I will not fear, Though the earth be removed,

And though the mountains be carried into the midst of the sea. (1973 Integrity's Hosanna! Music)

**OPENING PRAYER:** Alpha and Omega, you make your home with us, you dry our tears and quench our thirst, you are the tender love that welcomes all people. Like a mother, you nurture your children, giving them life, teaching them to love. Come and dwell among us, and make all things new. Amen.

**PROTECTOR OF MY SOUL** (by Anne Barbour)

Oh, Protector of my soul, You will stand against the foe;

in the dark You'll be a light for me, Oh, Protector of my soul.

(Chorus) *You, who created the ends of the earth guided me unto Your throne: offered Your healing hand to me, mercifully made me Your own.*

Oh, gracious God above, I could never earn Your love;

I'm amazed to see all You've given me. Oh, gracious God above.

Oh, Holy Spirit, come, show the world where life comes from;

may they always see You alive in me. Oh, Holy Spirit, come. (Chorus) (1990 Maranatha! Music)

**ENOUGH** (by Chris Tomlin, Louie Giglio) (2002 Six Steps Music)

*Chorus: All of You is more than enough for all of me, for ev'ry thirst and ev'ry need.*

*You satisfy me with Your love, and all I have in You is more than enough.*

You're my supply, my breath of life; still more awesome than I know.

You're my reward, worth living for; still more awesome than I know. (Chorus)

You're my sacrifice of greatest price; still more awesome than I know.

You're my coming King, You are ev'rything; still more awesome than I know.

More than all I want, more than all I need, yeah. You are more than enough for me. More than all I know,

more than all I can see, You are more than enough. And all of You is more than enough for all of me,

for ev'ry thirst and ev'ry need. You satisfy me with Your love, and all I have in You is more than enough.

**BRINGING OUR NEEDS TO GOD**

**PRAYER RESPONSE: CARES CHORUS** (by Kelly Willard)

I cast all my cares upon You. I lay all of my burdens down at Your feet;

And anytime that I don't know what to do, I will cast all my cares upon You. (1978 Maranatha! Music)

**MORTGAGE UPDATE**

Bill Holden

**WORSHIP IN GIVING:** Offering

**SPECIAL MUSIC**

Touching Heaven, Changing Earth

Youth Choir

**SHARING THE WORD Scripture:**

Psalm 121

**Message:**

"Our Help is Found...Where?"

Pastor Steve Donat

**CLOSING SONG YESTERDAY, TODAY AND FOREVER** (by Vicky Beeching)

Everlasting God, the years go by, but You're unchanging.

In this fragile world, You are the only firm foundation.

*Chorus: Always loving, always true, always merciful and good, so good. Yesterday, today, and forever.*

*You are the same, You never change. Yesterday, today, and forever; You are faithful, and we will trust in You.*

*We will trust in You.*

Uncreated One, You have no end and no beginning, earthly powers fade, but there is no end to Your kingdom.

(Repeat Chorus) (2002 Thankyou Music)

**GOING FORTH:** The Benediction

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

**And also with you.**

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

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

**ACOLYTE:** Ulla Parmentier

**ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK:** Worship: 605 Sunday School: 175

**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 BOUQUET HAS BEEN GIVEN BY:** Debbie Murphy, to the Glory of God and in memory of Holly Hayden.

**PRAYERS & SYMPATHY TO:** Bruce Slocum and family on the death of his sister, Ruth Allen. Also to Betty Shingleton and family on the death of her husband C.B. Shingleton.

**PRAYER CONCERNS:** Stanton Webb, Faye Sienkiewicz, Paul Haynes, Aril Bryant (friend of Emily Wright), Charles Simon (brother of Bob Simon), Ben Brenner, Patti Ann Feeley (daughter-in-law of Jack & Jan Feeley), Carolyn Feeley (niece of Jack & Jan Feeley), Rev. Bill Moyer, Edna Valentine (Lynda Guest's mother), Janet Richardson, Elaine Jenkins, Gina Adornetto (Carol Taylor's cousin), Nancy Madara Secor, Ann Kenny (friend of Beth Fisher), Ann Marie Pelosi (cousin of Doti Stewart), Family of David Gaw (friend of Bruce Van Dyke), Betty and Mary Louise Shingleton, Mike Rowe (friend of John & Bev Heusser), Maggie Goettle (former First Light Student), Shirley VanDuser, Harris Fister, The Seagraves Family, Bettie Hotong (friend of Elmine van den Berg), Toni Obermeier (neighbor of Brian & Melissa O'Donnell), Nan Scheyhing, Ella Delaney (former First Light Student), James Vine (father of Keith Vine), Ginger Walsh (mother of First Light Teacher, Karen Murphy), Donna Banes, Dara Sawyer (Joan Flamini's daughter), Joan Goralski (Joan Flamini's mother), Alice Brenner.

**SERVING OVERSEAS:** Andre Hauser (grandson of Harris Fister), Nigel Martin (Yvonne & Keith Vine's son).

**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

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