

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 Person: Gail Van Dyke, 856-667-6354

UNITED METHODIST MEN: Meet at 7:45am for breakfast on the third Sunday of each month, September through May.

All men of all generations welcome. Contact person: Bob Murray, 856-366-6137

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN: Miriam Circle, Barbara Dapper, Leader, 856-235-1765

MONDAY MORNING LADIES BIBLE STUDY: 9:30 A.M. in the Heritage Room. Contact Person: Susan Swezey 856-220-1661

TUESDAY AFTERNOON BIBLE STUDY: 2pm in Room E204. All welcome! Contact Person: Charlie Rudolph, 856-235-9206

THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY: 7:30-9 A.M. at Maritsa's in Maple Shade. Contact Person: Carol Talbot, 856-235-9346

SATURDAY MORNING MEN'S SMALL GROUP: 7:30-9:00 A.M. in the Prayer Room. Contact Person: Greg Scott, 609-280-9539

SATURDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY: 7:30-9 A.M. in the Parlor. Contact Person: Betsy Heinz, 856-304-4313

SATURDAY MORNING "QUICK PRAYER": 9:30 A.M. in the Prayer Room. Contact Person: Betsy Heinz 856-304-4313

STEPHEN MINISTRY: Contact the Church Office: 856-235-0450

SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDIES: See Information Board in Narthex

PRAYER MINISTRY: Prayer Room (varied hours)

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

LIGHT HARBOR MINISTRIES: Second Sunday of each month @ 2:30. Contact person: Linda Wanagas, 856-273-1298

METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIP: (MYF)

JR. HIGH MYF (6-8TH GRADE) Meets every Sunday evening: 5:30-6/Choir & 6-8:00 for worship/fellowship, Sept. thru June

Contact Person: Kathy Clawges, 856-866-0285

SR. HIGH MYF (9-12TH GRADE) Meets every Sunday evening: 5:30-6/Choir & 6-8:00 for worship/fellowship, Sept. thru June

Contact Person: Kathy Clawges, 856-866-0285

METHODIST CHILDREN'S FELLOWSHIP (MCF) (K-5TH Grades)

Meets every Thursday at 5:00 for dinner in Fellowship Hall, 5:30-6:30 for choir & fellowship Sept. – May

Contact Person: Karen Murray, 856-222-1120

COLLEGE AGE: Contact Person: Kathy Clawges, 856-866-0285

INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK (IHN): Contact Person: Allan Hanlon, 856-802-1100

KINGS ROAD REVIVAL – WORSHIP TEAM AND BAND - Meets Monday evenings at 7:00 p.m.

Contact person: Norm Dorrell, Co-Music Leader, 609-410-4862

CHOIRS AND HANDBELLS – Meets September through May

ADULT CHOIR	Thursday	7:00-8:30 p.m.
YOUTH (7th -12th grade)	Sunday	5:30-6:00 p.m.
CHILDREN'S CHOIR (3 yrs. - 1st grade) Chapel	Sunday	9:30-9:55 a.m.
CHILDREN'S CHOIR (2nd - 5th grade) Choir Room	Sunday	9:30-9:55 a.m.
ADULT BELLS	Monday	7:00-8:00 p.m.
YOUTH BELLS (7 th - 12 grade)	Monday	7:00-8:00 p.m.

Contact: Donna Banes, Co-Music Leader, 856-222-9369

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

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



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FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

**A community of faith committed to sharing the love of Jesus Christ
with a hurting world through words and actions**

MARCH 16, 2019

5:30 P.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.

PRELUDE

Thine Is The Kingdom

Gerrit Gustafson

WELCOME

Karen Murray, Worship Leader

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Welcome this day to the second step on our Lenten journey.

People: We come with great hope and expectation as we walk the way of Christ.

Leader: Today's journey will demand much of us.

People: Lord, make us ready to offer ourselves to you.

Leader: Let us place our lives in God's abiding love.

All: Come, let us take up our cross and follow in the way of Jesus!

SONGS OF WORSHIP THINE IS THE KINGDOM (by Gerrit Gustafson)

Chorus: Thine is the kingdom, Thine is the power, thine is the glory forever and ever;

Thine is the kingdom, Thine is the power, thine is the glory forever, amen. (1991 Integrity's Hosanna!)

RIGHTEOUSNESS, PEACE, AND JOY (by Helena Barrington)

Righteousness, peace, joy in the Holy Ghost;

Righteousness, peace, and joy in the Holy Ghost, that's the Kingdom of God. (repeat)

Don't you want to be a part of the Kingdom, don't you want to be a part of the Kingdom,

don't you want to be a part of the Kingdom? Come on, ev'rybody! (repeat)

There's love in the Kingdom, so much love in the Kingdom;

There's love in the Kingdom. Come on, ev'rybody!

There's peace in the Kingdom...

There's joy in the Kingdom...

I'm an heir of the Kingdom...(1988 Integrity's Praise! Music)

AWESOME IN THIS PLACE (by Dave Billington) (1992 Integrity's Hosanna! Music)

As I come into Your presence, past the gates of praise, into Your sanctuary till we're standing face to face:

I look upon Your countenance, I see the fullness of Your grace, and I can only bow down and say . . .

"You are awesome in this place, Mighty God, You are awesome in this place, Abba Father;

You are worthy of all praise, to You our lives we raise, You are awesome in this place, Mighty God."

OPENING PRAYER – Guiding Lord, even though we sometimes hesitate on our Lenten journey, we want to offer our whole selves this day to walk with you through the trials and challenges as we journey toward the cross. Remind us again of the commitment you would have us give if we are to more fully become your disciples. Forgive our stubbornness and our fears as we take this next step.

YOUR PRESENCE IS HEAVEN (by Israel & New Band) (©2011 Integrity's Praise)

Who is like You Lord in all the earth? Matchless love and beauty, endless worth.
Nothing in this world can satisfy 'cause Jesus You're the cup that won't run dry.
Your presence is heaven to me. Your presence is heaven to me.

Treasure of my heart and of my soul in my weakness you are merciful.
Redeemer of my past and present wrongs holder of my future days to come.
Your presence is heaven to me. Your presence is heaven to me.

All my days on earth I will await the moment that I see You face to face.
Nothing in this world can satisfy 'cause Jesus You're the cup that won't run dry.
Your presence is heaven to me. Your presence is heaven to me.
Oh Jesus, Oh Jesus Your presence is heaven to me. Oh Jesus, Oh Jesus Your presence is heaven to me.

GARMENTS OF PRAISE (by Jamie Harvill)

(chorus) *Put on the garments of praise for the spirit of heaviness,
Let the oil of gladness flow down from your throne.
Put on the garments of praise for the spirit of heaviness,
Your joy is my strength alone, my strength alone. (repeat)*

Make these broken weary bones rise to dance again. Wet this dry and thirsty land with a river.
Lord our eyes are fixed on you and we are waiting for your garland of grace as we praise your name. (chorus)

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Lord our eyes are fixed on you and we are waiting for your garland of grace as we praise your name.
(the celebration) sing 4 times

Hallelujah, sing hallelujah, we give all honor and praise to your name!
Hallelujah, sing hallelujah, we trade our sorrows for garments of praise!

BRINGING OUR NEEDS TO GOD

PRAYER RESPONSE: JESUS, REMEMBER ME (by Jacques Berthier)

Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.

Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom. (1981 Les Presses de Taizé)

WORSHIP IN GIVING: Offering

We welcome all who are worshiping with us this evening. Please fill out the white card, including any special prayer requests and place them in the offering plate.

SHARING THE WORD Scripture: John 2:1-11 Barbara Leonberg Morgan
Message: The Lord's Prayer: HEAVEN Pastor Tom Korkuch

CLOSING SONG BUILD YOUR KINGDOM HERE (by Rend Collective)

Come set Your rule, and reign in our hearts again. Increase in us, we pray. Unveil why we're made.
Come set our hearts ablaze with hope, like wildfire in our very souls; Holy Spirit, come, invade us now.
We are Your Church; we need Your pow'r in us.

We seek Your kingdom first. We hunger and we thirst; refuse to waste our lives, for you're our joy and prize.
To see the captives hearts released; the hurt, the sick, the poor at peace.
We lay down our lives for heaven's cause. We are Your church; we pray, revive this earth.

*Chorus: Build Your kingdom here. Let the darkness fear. Show Your mighty hand.
Heal our streets and land. Set Your church on fire. Win this nation back. Change the atmosphere.
Build Your kingdom here, we pray!*

Unleash Your kingdom's pow'r, reaching the near and far. No force of hell can stop Your beauty,
changing hearts. You made us for much more than this; awake the kingdom seed in us. Fill us with the
strength and love of Christ. We are Your church; we are the hope on earth. (Chorus 2x's) (©2012 ThankYou Music)

GOING FORTH

CHILD CARE IS AVAILABLE in Room E101

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK: Worship: 280 Sunday School: 48

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.

PRAYER CONCERNS: Carolyn Emme, Rick Loring (son of Dick Loring), Doug Nemeth (son of Dot & Zollie Nemeth), Jane Mertz, Norman Adams (husband of Betty Adams), Ron Griffith, Sam Wang (cousin of Elite Law), Lynda Rodriguez (daughter of Bob Rodriguez), Joe DeCesare (friend of Joyce Scheyhing), Mary Kate Canal (sister of Brian O'Donnell), Carolyn Kinnard, Ken Kunzman (friend of Dick Loring), Steve Murray (brother of Bob Murray), Matt Fasbinder (friend of Mary Raroha), Tyler Wilson and parents Mark & Karleen (relatives of Linda Wanagas), Raelee and Janet Shaw (relatives of Pattie Gritzan), Carol Murphy (friend of Dick Loring and Greg Bryan), Janet Brown (friend of Carol Taylor), MaryJane Harris (niece of Bob Rodriguez), Marlene Bell Taylor (daughter of Zorada), Sue Geissler (friend of Melissa O'Donnell), Judy Henningsen (friend of Doris and Alan Coshland), Nancy Bushey (cousin of David Stepp), Denise Logan (friend of David Stepp), Gordon Swezey, Ryan LaSalvia (friend of Greg & Shelly Kincaid), Anna Ranken, Bob Scheyhing, Nancy Zak (sister of Mary Starn), John Carty, Barbara Dapper, David Lasoski (father of Matt Lasoski), Jim Graef, Marion Lundgren (friend of Jack & Jan Feeley), Dick Loring, Hannah Nixon (Aunt of Donna Banes), Anna Hustus, Dot Tunney (friend of the Bryan Family), Eileen Hewlitt (friend of Doug Hamilton), Donna Ansell, Pat Lavoie (friend of the Feeley's), Charlotte O'Toole, Bob Vogler, Alan Coshland.

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