

FIRST UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
Sunday, August 16, 2020
Worship Service 10:00 a.m.

*(*Please stand, if you are able, at each asterisk.)*

Welcome to our Sunday service. Please use the time during the Prelude to prepare yourself for worship in quiet reflection and prayer and allow others to do the same.

Prelude

Greeting

Pastor: The peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

Welcome and Announcements

Pastor Gammon

*Call to Worship

Judy Fabian

Leader: O Lord, Your plan is greater than our own.

All: May we submit to Your love.

Leader: Father, You have loved us from the beginning, and will love us until the end.

All: May we submit to Your love.

Leader: You have promised not to harm us, but rather to bring us to prosperity.

All: May we submit to Your love.

Leader: We, Your children, trust in You and cherish Your blessings.

All: May we submit to Your love.

Leader: Be with us, O God, that we might walk in Your favor always. We pray through Your Son, Jesus.

All: May we submit to Your love. Amen.

*Hymn #11 “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”

*Unison Invocation:

All: Lord we beseech You to walk with us in our lives. Keep us on the path to Your kingdom and do not let us sway from You. Help us, O Lord, to let You have the lead in all we do, so that we might be pleasing in Your sight. Keep us

strong during times of weakness and temptation, lift us when we are low, help us to be faithful followers, and servants of Your divine love. We pray in Jesus’ s name. Amen

Gloria Patri #812 “Glory Be to the Father”

Joys and Concerns

Time of Silent Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer (debt and debtors)

Prayer Response

Anthem “Jesus, Take the Wheel” Carrie Underwood (recorded)

Offering Prayer

Doxology #815 “Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”

Hymn #118 “His Name Is Wonderful”

Solo

Linda Martin

Scripture

Isaiah 56:1, 6-8

Judy Fabian

Scripture

Matthew 15:10-28

Sermon

“Who is in Control?”

Rev. Gerald Gammon

*Hymn

#602 “I Have Decided to Follow Jesus”

*Benediction

Postlude

****Please place your tithes and offerings in the plate on the back pew as you exit the sanctuary.**

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Guest Organist: Barbara Edwards

ANNOUNCEMENTS

8/16/2020

If you want to put someone on the prayer chain or prayer list, you must call the church office or fill out a prayer card in church.

Next week: Liturgist/Lay Reader: Sharon Longworth

Thought for the week: “Who or what am I letting control my life?”

Worship: We will celebrate in the Sanctuary again on Sunday, August 30th.

Directories: Please pick up your directories in the lobby.

Tithes and Offerings: A plate will be placed on the pew in the rear of the sanctuary for you to put your offering as you exit.

Back to School!: It’s that time again! We are collecting school supplies. A list of suggestions has been provided in the lobby (please take one). Please bring in items as you acquire them and put them in the container provided. We thank you for supporting this effort!

Thanks: As Betty Mark said in her card, “Doing cart wheels is not fun.” I would like to thank everyone for their prayers, loving cards which I re-read every day, the food that was brought in and, the encouraging phone calls. I am so glad that God lead me to this loving church family. *Beverly DeSavigny*

Thanks: I would like to thank everyone for the cards, phone calls, and prayers. Your thoughtfulness makes ever day that much brighter. *Marilyn Leiby*

	7/5/20	7/12/20	7/19/20	7/26/20
Attendance	27	0		
Benevolent	\$ 105.00	\$ 50.00		
Building Fund	\$ 100.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 750.00	
Current Expense	\$1,586.00	\$ 985.00	\$ 250.00	
Floating Five	\$ 95.00	\$ 15.00		
WFM	\$ 100.00			
TOTAL	\$1,986.00	\$1,100.00	\$1,000.00	

PRAYER LIST

Donna Beavers	Betty Jamison
Kathy Basaran	John Kunkel
Bill Bode	Marilyn Leiby
Melanie Burger	Candy Lemasters
Beverly DeSavigny	Lloyd O’Keefe
Kevin Fumerola	Sue Torno
Bella Goehring	Gayle Vidovich
Don Howren	Karen Wrightsman
	Mary Kate Zweidinger

Kay Fisher’s family
Stacey Marie Kunkel’s family

IMPORTANT DATES

Sunday, August 30
Sunday, September 6
Monday, September 7
Sunday, September 13
Monday, September 14
Monday, September 14

Worship @10:00 a.m.
No Sunday Worship
OFFICE CLOSED
Sunday School @9:30 a.m./Worship 10:45 a.m.
Elders/Deacons @6:15 p.m.
Consistory @7:00 p.m.