

FIRST UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
Sunday, November 17, 2019
Sunday School 9:30 a.m. - Worship Service 10:45 a.m.

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

Prelude

(Lighting of the Candles)

Greeting

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

Welcome and Announcements

Craig Cozad

Choral Introit #170 "Give Thanks"

Henry Smith

*Call to Worship

Leader: Lord Jesus, You took away the sin of the world and through You the world shall be made anew.

All: Lead us, O Lord, that we may be good citizens of Your new world.

Leader: Christ, let us follow You always so that we may not be led astray.

All: Give us strength to turn from sin and temptation.

Leader: Guide our thoughts, hearts, and words so that we may help others find their way.

All: For You are the most holy. You are the blessed Son of the Father. Take us by the hand and direct all that we do so that we may be pleasing in the sight of the Lord. We pray in Your most holy name. Amen.

*Hymn of Praise #169 "Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart"

*Unison Invocation:

All: Almighty God, we, Your children, look forward to the day we are with You in Your kingdom. Until that day comes, we ask that You watch over us and keep us in Your Grace. Help us to prepare for the world to come and to help others journey home to Your loving arms through Your son, Jesus. May we forever walk in the light of Your love. We pray in Jesus' 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 #485 "Into My Heart"

Harry Clarke

Anthem

"We Gather Together"

John Ness Beck

Children's Message

Rev. Gerald Gammon

Giving of our Tithes and Offerings

Offering Prayer

Offertory

*Doxology #815

Hymn

#143 "This Is My Father's World"

Scripture

Isaiah 65:17-25 (pg. 696 O.T.)

Judy Fabian

Scripture

Luke 21:5-19 (pg. 85 N.T.)

Sermon

"All is Made New Through Jesus"

Rev. Gerald Gammon

*Hymn of Commitment #499

"I Will Sing the Wondrous Story" (1, 2, 4)

*Benediction

*Parting Blessing

#513 "Thank You, Lord"

Seth & Bessie Sykes

Postlude

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

11/17/19

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.

The flowers have been placed on the altar to the honor and glory of by God Kathy Watterson, and in memory of her aunt, Katie Von Thaer.

Next Week - Liturgist: Beverly DeSavigny Lay Reader: Marilyn Leiby

Thought for the week: “Am I defender of the Faith? Do my words and actions reflect this?”

SAVE THE DATE! Thursday, December 5th, we will have a photographer from Life Touch Church Directories here to photograph our church families for the creation of a new church directory. The time is from 2:00—9:00 p.m. We will be calling to schedule your appointments or you can call the church to schedule your appointment. We hope to get at least 25 households participating in this event. Please reserve the date in your schedule.

Food Drive: Thank You to all who supported this year’s food drive. The Warren Family Mission will be grateful for the help! Bless you all!

Reminder: The “Operation Christmas Child” boxes are due today. I would like to thank all those who participated.

Congratulations! Thank You! Great Job!: To all who supported the Bake Sale/Bazaar, I extend my sincerest thank you! Because of you we can now add \$1529.75 to the coffers of the church. It was a team effort and it sure paid off! Thank you to all who donated, worked, bought, and prayed for the successful event! God bless you all.
Pastor Gerry

Thanks: Things just keep happening! I am in good hands though. Glenn is taking good care of me. Thank you all for your cards, prayers, phone calls, and for the altar flowers. God bless you all!
Betty & Glenn Mark

Thanks: I want to express my appreciation for the lovely altar flowers. They certainly brightened my day.
Linda Paxson

Thanks: Thank you everyone for your prayers and phone calls during my short stay in the hospital.
Joanne Bode

	11/3/19	11/10/19	11/17/19	11/24/19
Attendance	34	39		
Benevolent	\$ 5	\$ 2		
Floating Five	\$ 96	\$130		
Flowers				
Building Imp	\$ 50			
Bake Sale	\$1529.75	\$ 16		
WFM				
Current Exp	\$ 809	\$696		
TOTAL	\$2489.75	\$844		

Thank You: Dear church family, it has been a very difficult seven weeks since my kidney transplant. The kidney is doing well but all the setbacks I have had. I want to thank the church for the altar flowers (which I have really enjoyed), get well and 50th anniversary cards, prayers, and well wishes. It really helps to have the prayers. Once this blood clot goes down, I will be back to normal. Thank you for all the concerns and love.
Becky & John Kunkel

PRAYER LIST

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| Clyde Baker | Becky Kunkel |
| Donna Beavers | Betty Mark |
| Joanne Bode | Marlin Martin |
| Candy Bode | Melissa Rein |
| Fred Bode | Bob Spencer |
| Sheri French | Jerry Stephens |
| Jamie Fuss | Sue Torno |
| Don Howren | Mary Kate Zweidinger |
| Betty Jamison | |

IMPORTANT DATES

- Sunday, November 17
- Wednesday, November 20
- Sunday, November 24
- Thursday, November 28
- Friday, November 29
- Sunday, December 1
- Monday, December 2
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- Harvest Sunday/**Operation Christmas Child due**
- Choir Practice @6:30 p.m.
- Communion/Hanging of the Greens/No Sunday School
- Thanksgiving—OFFICE CLOSED
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- First Sunday of Advent
- Elders/Deacons mtg. @6:15 p.m.
- Consistory @7:00 p.m.