

We Gather to Worship God

Jesus declares that his words may not bring peace, but division. In baptism we are buried with Christ that we may walk in newness of life. As we take stands for the sake of justice and lose our lives for the sake of others, we need not be afraid. The hairs of our head are counted. In baptism we are marked with the cross of Christ forever.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING VOLUNTARY J. S. Bach
Toccata in E minor

INTROIT

* CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

* THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN No. 129 Festal Song
Give to the Winds Thy Fear

* CALL TO WORSHIP

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.
And also with you.
The risen Christ is with us.
Praise the Lord!

* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *The Apostles' Creed* No. 881

*I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried,
the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and
sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.*

*I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.*

* GLORIA PATRI No. 70 Meineke

* PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Eternal God, our creator, in you we live and have our being. Look upon us, your children, the work of your hands. Forgive us all our offenses, and cleanse us from proud thoughts and empty desires. By your grace draw us near to you, our refuge and our strength; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

In the mercy of almighty God, Christ died for us while we still were sinners; and for his sake, God forgives us all our sins. Amen.

* PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you all.
And also with you.

*All may exchange signs of peace.

The passing of the peace is an invitation for the worshiping assembly to share the gift of Christ's peace with one another. Exchanging the peace after confession and pardon is a gesture of love and blessing. We invite you to turn to your neighbor and offer blessing by saying,
"Peace be with you."

~ WE LISTEN FOR GOD'S WORD ~

THE FIRST LESSON Genesis 21:8-21 OT Pg. 17

This is the word of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

THE ACT OF PRAISE Psalm 86:11-17 St. Thomas

*Teach me your way, O Lord,
And I will keep your law;
O knit my heart to you that I
May hold your Name in awe.*

*With all my heart, O Lord,
I praise your Name today;
For in your love you saved me from
The power of the grave.*

*A band of violent men:
The arrogant arise;
They seek my life, they have not set
The Lord before their eyes.*

*You, Lord, are slow to wrath,
Compassionate and true;
Turn to me, and be merciful,
Give me your strength anew.*

*Show me your favor now,
That those who hate may see
And be ashamed because you, Lord,
Have helped and strengthened me.*

THE SECOND LESSON Romans 6:1b-11 NT Pg. 156

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ANTHEM *Teach Me, O Lord* Thomas Attwood

* THE GOSPEL LESSON Matthew 10:24-39 NT Pgs. 10-11

*Jesus says, The spirit of the Lord will testify on my behalf,
and you also are to testify.*

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CHILDREN'S MOMENTS Mr. Josh

Children ages three through first-grade may go to Children's Church in room 123.
Nurseries provided for infants through 3 years in rooms 118 & 120

SERMON *Springs in the Desert* Josh Tietje

~ WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD ~

* HYMN OF RESPONSE No. 338 Norris
Where He Leads Me

THE PASTORAL PRAYER/THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERTORY Johann Walther
Blessed Jesus at Thy Word

* PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS Doxology No. 95

~ WE ARE SENT INTO THE WORLD ~

* THE HYMN OF SENDING No. 430 Maryton
O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee

* BENEDICTION

* CHORAL RESPONSE

* CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

* CLOSING VOLUNTARY Craig Penfield
Allegro Brillant from Festival Concerto

* CONGREGATION STANDING

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God
and in memory of Tommy Jordan
by the Hut Bible Class

Rev. Kyle, Nancy, Jonas and Sara will be out of town through
Wednesday, June 28. Please contact the Church Office with any pastoral needs.
Josh Tietje may be reached at: 828-476-0113



NOTES FOR WORSHIP

Numbers by the hymns, Affirmation of Faith, and Doxology are from the United Methodist Hymnal and The Faith We Sing Hymnal (TFWS) found in the pew racks. Old Testament and New Testament scripture readings are from the New Revised Standard Version, located in the pew. Page numbers for the readings are listed in the order of worship.

WELCOME TO FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Newcomers and Guests

Welcome! We are grateful that you have chosen to worship with us today. We hope that you will receive a blessing from the service. If you don't already have a church home, it is our hope that you will consider letting First Church fill that need.

All worshipers are asked to sign the Attendance Pad at the end of each pew and pass it along to your neighbors. Rev. Randle will contact you later in the week.

We welcome children into our worship!

Children are part of the family of God. They learn how to worship God by seeing other people worship. Children are welcome in the church to worship with their parents or caregivers. We understand that sometimes it is hard to be present in worship with young children. If you choose, we have a nursery for infants and toddlers.

The Nursery is located on the first floor of the Education Wing in Rm. 118. Our nursery is staffed with paid professionals and loving volunteers. Parents are asked to sign in their children and check out a pager, so that we may contact you should the need arise during worship. An usher will direct you to the nursery.

Have a hard time hearing?

If you can't hear the service, please let an usher know. We have hearing assist devices which will help even the most hard of hearing to participate in the service!

A restroom is located in the Narthex, the Parlor, and the first floor of the Education Wing. Baby Changing Stations are located in the Nursery, Rm. 118.

In the hustle and bustle of getting ourselves ready for church, it is easy to forget to turn off our cell phones. We offer this gentle reminder to please turn cell phones off so that the worship service is not disrupted by them.

We wish to invite you to contact one of our staff members if you would like more information about FUMC:

- Kyle.Randle@fumconway.org (Pastor)
- Billy.Fallaw@fumconway.org (Dir. of Music)
- Josh.Tietje@fumconway.org (Dir. of Christian Ed. and Missions)
- Danny.Clonts@fumconway.org (Accountant)
- Office@fumconway.org (Ministry Asst.)

Serving This Sunday, June 25

Altar Guild: Pam Frye, Jo Ann Smith, Beth Wiley
Acolytes and Crucifer: Jade Edwards, Anna Claire Roof, Chad Steinfield
Counting Committee: Sallie Goldfinch, Sarah Staub
Trustee Duty: Tyler Thomas, Brian Stewart
Bus Duty: Matt Staub
Children's Church: Amy Hickman
Sound Technicians: Lee Hickman, Charles Hucks
Ushers: Hunter Jenkins (Chairman) Randy Bell, Kelly Cooper, Zach Dusenbury, Jimmy Hammond, Morgan Martin, Charles Myers, Bert Owen, Tyler Thomas, Ernie Turnes, Bert von Herrmann

This Week at FUMC

Sunday, June 25

9:30 a.m. Sunday School
 9:30 a.m. The Hut Bible Class / Broadcast WRNN 99.5 FM
 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship / Sanctuary

Monday, June 26

8:30 a.m. Summer Camp / Education Wing
 6:00 p.m. United Methodist Men Meeting / Fellowship Hall

Tuesday, June 27

8:30 a.m. Summer Camp / Education Wing
 6:00 p.m. Ladies Bible Study / FLC
 6:00 p.m. Cocaine Anonymous (CA) Meeting / FLC
 8:00 p.m. Al-Anon Meeting / FLC Senior Room

Wednesday, June 28

8:30 a.m. Summer Camp / Education Wing
 9:30 a.m. Sandwich Making / FLC
 6:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal / Choir Room 105

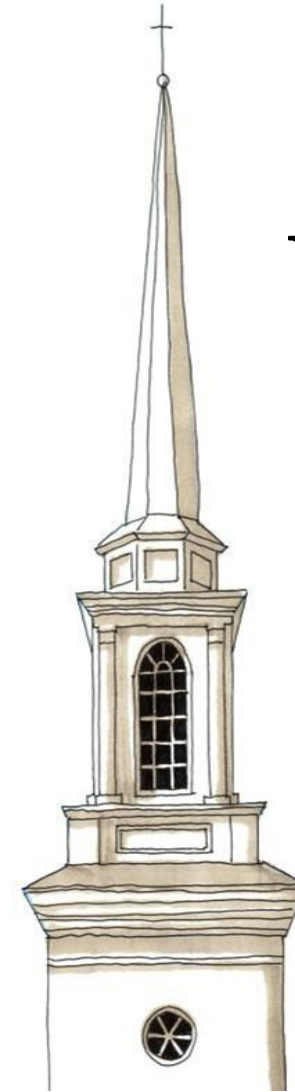
Thursday, June 29

8:30 a.m. Summer Camp / Education Wing

Friday, June 30

8:30 a.m. Summer Camp / Education Wing
 7:00 p.m. CA Meeting / FLC

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Third Sunday after Pentecost
 June 25, 2017
 10:30 a.m.



Welcome to First United Methodist Church

Out of a broken and sinful world, all people are welcomed into the body of Jesus Christ at First Church. As children of God, together we join in worship to experience the transforming love of our Savior.

We are here this morning to worship God. Through our songs, words of praise, prayers and scripture reading, we give honor and glory to God. Wondrous things happen as we worship. Lives are changed. The presence of God brings hope, comfort, healing, and joy. Let us worship in gladness. Jesus, the Lord of Life is with us.