

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

TODAY, July 22

TUESDAY, July 24

- 11:00 AM - Volunteers pack for Food Bank
- 6:30 PM - Women's Prayer Group (Upstairs Chapel)

WEDNESDAY, July 25

- 10-11:00 AM - Food Bank Distribution

THURSDAY, July 26

- 7:00 PM - Al-Anon (Fellowship Hall)

FRIDAY, July 27

- 7:05 PM - Faith Night Pirates vs. Mets (PNC Park, Pgh)

SUNDAY, July 29 ~ Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

- 8:30 AM - Early Service
- 10:00 AM - Worship Service

RECORD OF OUR FAITHFULNESS

July 15, 2018

8:30 AM Service	27	Current Exp.....	\$ 1,985.00
10:00 AM Service	71	Connectional Appt.	<u>75.00</u>
			\$ 2,060.00
Weekly Avg.....	104	Sunday School Avg	34
Bldg. & Repair	245.00	Renovation.....	140.00
Food Bank	30.00	Nurture (Upper Rooms).....	5.00

2018 Connectional Apportionment Asking - \$21,688 Amount received as of 6/24/2018 - \$ 6,941.99 (32.0%) Amount still due Conference - \$14,8746.01
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Renovation Fund Phase II Loan - \$60,000 Amount still due Credit Union 5/31/2018 - \$38,955.50

A memorial has been given to the Current Expense Fund in loving memory of:

✝ **Bob Reedy**
by Pat Daugherty



Blessed is anyone
who *endures*
temptation.
Such a one has
stood the test and
will receive the
crown of life
that the Lord
has *promised* to
those who
love him.

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July 22, 2018
8:30 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

First United Methodist Church

“Growing, Loving & Serving in Christ’s Name”

Rev. Beverly A. Spore, Pastor **Lori A. Klingensmith, Choir Director**
Marilyn R. Oldfield, Pianist **Gail E. Varine, Organist**
Marilyn R. Oldfield, Reader **Terry L. Snyder, Reader**
8:30 a.m. **10:00 a.m.**
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As the music begins, be silent, be thoughtful, and be reverent, for this is the House of the Lord. Before the service, speak to the Lord. During the service, let the Lord speak to you. After the service, speak to one another.

- **PRAYER REQUEST CARDS** are in the pew racks and will be collected during the opening hymn.
- The **NURSERY** is available upstairs in the Educational Building for parents who feel the need to take their children there.
- **ACTIVITY BAGS** are available in the Overflow Area for those children who wish to remain in the service.
- **EVERYONE** – Please sign the attendance pads at the end of each pew and pass to your neighbor. If the LAST person at the end of the row would PLEASE pass it back to where it originally started, it will be greatly appreciated.
- **VISITORS** – We hope you will join us again!

❖ Congregation please stand, if able ~ ❖ Denotes for 8:30am service

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

❖❖ Call to Worship:

Come, let’s worship God together!

Sing a new song of God’s goodness and mercy!

For God delights in His people!

Let’s worship together.

❖❖ **Opening Praise:** “All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name” # 154

❖❖ **Opening Prayer (in unison):**

O Living God, fill us with your joy
and empower us with your Holy Spirit,
that our strength may be renewed
to sing a new song of your glory.

All this we ask in the name of Jesus,

Through whom we became your new creation. Amen

Children’s Message

Rev. Beverly A. Spore

❖ **Responsive Reading:**

Psalm 5:7-8,11-12

Because of your unfailing love, I can enter your house;

I will worship at your Temple with deepest awe.

Lead me in the right path, O LORD,

Make your way plain for me to follow.

Let all who take refuge in you rejoice;

Let them sing joyful praises forever.

Spread your protection over them,

that all who love your name may be filled with joy.

For you bless the godly, O LORD;

you surround them with your shield of love.

❖ **Morning Prayer**

Special Music

Abe Gibson & Rachel Curfman

Passing the Peace of Christ

❖ **Hymn of Preparation**

“His Name Is Wonderful”

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❖ **Scripture Reading**

James 1:12-21

❖ **Message**

“Back to the Basics: Sin and Temptation”

Rev. Beverly A. Spore

❖ **Profession of Faith**

The Apostles’ Creed (Ecumenical)

#882

Offering

❖ **Doxology**

❖ **Prayer of Thanksgiving**

❖ **The Lord’s Prayer**

❖❖ **Closing Hymn**

“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”

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❖ **Benediction**

❖ **Community Blessing**

“He Is Lord”

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Postlude

Today’s **ALTAR FLOWERS** are presented to the Glory of God and in celebration of Jamie (Swarts) Suica’s Birthday (July 23rd) by Mom and Dad.



The **BULLETINS** are given to the Glory of God and in celebration of my daughter Tracy Albert’s birthday TODAY by Pat Daugherty!

