

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

TODAY, November 25

- 9:30 AM - "Commission on A Way Forward Discussion"
- 9:30 AM - Sunday School (Upstairs Classrooms)
- 11:00 AM - Worship Service

MONDAY, November 26

- 6:45 PM - Choir Practice (Fellowship Hall)

TUESDAY, November 27

- 10:30 AM - Bible Study (Pastor's Office)
- 6:30 PM - Women's Prayer Group (Upstairs Chapel)
- 7:00 PM - Finance Committee (Upstairs Classroom)

THURSDAY, November 29

- 2:30 PM - Bible Study (Friendship Apts.)
- 6:30 PM - Bible Study (Upstairs Classroom)
- 7:00 PM - Al-Anon Meeting (Fellowship Hall)

FRIDAY, November 30

- 10:00 AM - Make Sandwiches for Pittsburgh Homeless

SATURDAY, December 1

(Tracy Albert will help distribute to Pgh. Homeless)

SUNDAY, December 2 ~ First Sunday in Advent

- 8:30 AM - Early Service
- 9:30 AM - Sunday School (Upstairs Classrooms)
- 11:00 AM - Worship Service

November 18, 2018

8:30 AM Early Service	29	Current Exp	\$ 1,875.00
11:00 AM Worship Service	69	Connectional Appt. ..	<u>130.00</u>
<u>Sunday School att</u>	<u>37</u>		\$ 1,960.00
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Weekly Avg. ....	103	Sunday School Avg .....	36
Bldg. & Repair .....	465.00	Renovation .....	160.00
Food Bank .....	230.00	Thanksgiving Offering ..	32.00
Hall Rental .....	75.00	Nurture .....	7.00
Outreach .....	300.00	Gideon's .....	40.00

2018 Connectional Apportionment Asking - \$21,688  
 Amount received as of 11/18/2018 - \$9,934.20 (45.8%)  
 Amount still due Conference - \$11,753.80

Renovation Fund Phase II Loan - \$60,000  
 Amount still due Credit Union 10/31/2018 - \$33,926.31



"To sit at my  
 right hand or  
 at my left is not  
 mine to grant,  
 but it is for  
 those for

whom  
 it has been  
 prepared."

*Mark 10:40*

*November 25, 2018*

# First United Methodist Church

*"Growing, Loving & Serving in Christ's Name"*

**Rev. Beverly A. Spore, Pastor**      **Lori A. Klingensmith, Choir Director**  
**Marilyn Oldfield, Pianist**      **Gail E. Varine, Organist**  
**Jo Ellen Stewart, Reader**      **Terry L. Snyder, Reader**

**8:30 a.m.**      **11:00 a.m.**

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

## Reign of Christ the King

### ◇ Welcome and Announcements

◇ ❖ **Opening Praise** "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" # 154

### ◇ ❖ **Call to Worship**

L: The LORD is king, he is robed in majesty;

**P: The LORD is robed, he is girded with strength.**

L: He has established the world; it shall never be moved;

**P: Your throne is established from of old; you are from everlasting.**

### ◇ ❖ **Opening Prayer (in unison)**

Most High God, majestic and almighty,  
our beginning and our end:

rule in our hearts

and guide us to be faithful in our daily actions,

worshipping the one who comes

as Savior and Sovereign,

and who lives and reigns with you

in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God. Amen.

**Anthem** "Give Me Oil in My Lamp"

### ◇ **Greet One Another**

*(During the cold and flu season, please feel free to extend a verbal greeting to your neighbor.)*

**Children's Message** Rev. Beverly A. Spore

◇ **Old Testament Reading** Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14

As I watched, thrones were set in place, and an Ancient One took his throne, his clothing was white as snow, and the hair of his head like pure wool; his throne was fiery flames, and its wheels were burning fire. A stream of fire issued and flowed out from his presence. A thousand thousands served him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood attending him. The court sat in judgment, and the books were opened.

As I watched in the night visions, I saw one like a human being coming with the clouds of heaven. And he came to the Ancient One and was presented before him. To him was given dominion

and glory and kingship, that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion that shall not pass away, and his kingship is one that shall never be destroyed.

### ◇ **Morning Prayer**

### ◇ **Scripture Reading**

Mark 10:35-45

Then James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came to him.

"Teacher," they said, "we want you to do for us whatever we ask."

"What do you want me to do for you?" he asked. They replied,

"Let one of us sit at your right and the other at your left in your glory." "You don't know what you are asking," Jesus said. "Can

you drink the cup I drink or be baptized with the baptism I am baptized with?" "We can," they answered.

Jesus said to them, "You will drink the cup I drink and be baptized with the baptism I am baptized with, but to sit at my right or left is not for me to grant. These places belong to those for whom they have been prepared."

When the ten heard about this, they became indignant with James and John. Jesus called them together and said, "You know that those who are regarded as rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their high officials exercise authority over them.

Not so with you. Instead, whoever wants to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wants to be first must be slave of all. For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many."

◇ **Message** "What Kind of King?" Rev. Beverly A. Spore

◇ ❖ **Hymn of Response** "Crown Him with Many Crowns" # 327

◇ ❖ **Profession of Faith** The Nicene Creed # 88

### Offering

◇ ❖ **Doxology**

◇ ❖ **Prayer of Thanksgiving**

◇ ❖ **The Lord's Prayer**

◇ ❖ **Closing Hymn** "Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus" # 196

◇ ❖ **Benediction**

◇ ❖ **Community Blessing** "He Is Lord" # 177

### Postlude

The **ALTAR FLOWERS** are given to the Glory of God and in honor of **ALL** volunteers and paid staff of First Church, Leechburg!! This includes those involved with our worship service like our ushers, greeters, readers, sound system and PowerPoint operators.