



First United Methodist Church

Welcome! We're glad that you are here.
To all who need comfort; all who need friendship;
all who are lonely and need companionship;
all who want sheltering love, all who sin
and need a Savior; and whosoever will
—we open wide our doors and say,
"Come; let us worship together."

9:30am Sunday Worship Service

June 17, 2018

Prelude

Words of Welcome and Announcements

*** Opening Prayer (In Unison)**

Mighty God, we come to sing your praises and to strengthen our faith. Help us find our courage and strength when we need it most. Help us reclaim our faithfulness when we are filled with doubt. Help us discover our hope when we are plagued by worry and despair. May our songs and praises rise to heaven. May they also rise in our hearts and strengthen us each and every day. Amen

*** Hymn #2282 "I'll Fly Away"**

*** Call to Worship**

L: In mutual compassion and authentic love...

P: **We gather as the family of God.**

L: We offer our gifts, our hope, and our lives...

P: **To build up this community of faith.**

L: We bring songs of gratitude and joy...

P: **To bless God with our worship and praise.**

L: Loving God, we come in search of you.

A: **Come to us and gather us in your love. Amen**

*** Sharing the Peace of Christ**

"Peace be with you. And also with you!"

(Take this time to greet one another in Christ's love.)

Children's Moment

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Silent Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Scripture Lesson

1 Samuel 17:4-11, 37-49/ 2 Corinthians

5:20-21, 6:1-3

L: This is the word of God for the people of God.

P: **Thanks be to God.**

*** Hymn #454 "Open My Eyes, That I May See"**

*** Gospel Lesson-**

Mark 4:35-41

Message

"Courage"

Pastor Joey Garcea

Offertory Sentence

Please use this time to register your attendance in the red booklets found at the end of each pew and pass it along your row.

Offertory

*** Doxology # 95**

Offering Prayer

Mysterious God of Infinite Love, we often wonder what we can contribute to the realization of your reign on earth as in heaven. We seem the most unlikely of candidates to offer any gifts to the fulfillment of your mission, yet we are the ones you have chosen. We offer our gifts this morning, but more than these, we offer ourselves. We pray this in the name of Jesus, your son, who called us into discipleship. Amen. (1 Samuel 15:34-16:13)

*** "The Nicene Creed"**

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*** Hymn #384 "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"**

*** Benediction**

In Our Prayers

John Hamm, Glen Brunner, John Powell, Rex Felten,
Judy Orn, Robin Cook, Suzanne Atherton, Lois Grove, Lance Wallace,
Shirley Hastings, Merle Law, Phyllis Purple, Jim Chaplin, Dakota Daniels, Pam Darrow, Cheryl Riffe, Sandy Froehlich, Scott Hamm, Marolyn French, Alice Torrison, Joe Belander, Libby Thulen, Nancy Sweitzer, Betsy Kinder, Military Personnel and their families

Birthdays & Anniversaries

- June 17** Kevin Law, Todd Fosdick
- 18 Mark Miller, Sarah & Josh Hanson '10
- 19 Brian Kerkove
- 24 Glenn Hoffman, Madelyn Jachino
- 25 Kirk Hoffman, Paul Mayer
- 26 Jason Fosdick, Jon Darrow, Karen Wallace, Lori Miller, Paula Mayer
- 28 Linda Jachino
- 30 Larry & Lynette Thomson, Michele & Mike Reagan

Calendar

Sunday, June 17 Happy Father's Day

9:30 am Worship

Monday, June 18 Telstar Deadline

9 am Body & Soul Yoga

Thursday, June 21

8 am Breakfast (Café Crumbles)/ Bible Study

9 am Body & Soul Yoga

Saturday, June 23

8:30 am Weight Watchers- Fellowship Hall

5 pm Worship

Sunday, June 24

8 am Trustee Meeting

9:30 am Worship

10:30 am Ad Council Meeting

Monday, June 25

9 am Body & Soul Yoga

Thursday, June 28

8 am Breakfast (Café Crumbles)/ Bible Study

9 am Body & Soul Yoga

Saturday, June 30 Blessing of the Bikes

8:30 am Weight Watchers- Fellowship Hall

5 pm Worship

Sunday, July 1

9:30 am Worship

Monday, July 2

9 am Body & Soul Yoga

Tuesday, July 3

7 pm UMW

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. **We welcome all visitors** to our Worship time today. We are glad you're here. Our slogan is Open Hearts. Open Minds. Open Doors. We are the people of the United Methodist Church.
2. **Friendly reminder** to Brennon Cavanagh! You are the verifier for next Sunday! The counter will be Rhonda Law!!
3. **LAST WEEKS ATTENDANCE:**
Saturday: 4
Sunday: 57
Sunday School: x
4. Please sign-up to be a **worship helper!!** The sheet is located on the **bulletin board in the Narthex!**
5. **Blessing of the Bikes** is being held on **Saturday, June 30th**. We will be having a pulled pork dinner starting at **5pm** with worship to follow!! **Bring your bike and have it blessed!!**
6. **Vacation Bible School:**
When: July 16-20, 2018
Where: First United Methodist Church
What: Rolling River Rampage
Why: To help spread the good news about God and Jesus Christ to the children of Savanna.
We are looking for people to lead groups of children from station to station and a science leader. Also, need junior high and high school age children to assist leaders. If interested please contact me, Pam Watts at 273-4589 or Kris Yingling.
We are in need of decorations such as life jackets, fishing nets, and fishing poles. Other items include: 2 bags of 100 count cotton balls, 6 medium size sponges, 2 bottles of cooking oil (dark in color is best), reusable egg cartons or milk cartons, 1 bag of dirt and 1 bag of sand. Please prayerfully consider helping at VBS!!!

Worship Helpers Pastor Joey Garcea

MUSICIAN: Vivian Eaton
CUSTODIAN: Kay Cavanagh
ADMINISTRATIVE ASST: Shauna Roberts
GROUNDKEEPER: Don Kramer/ Bob Grissinger

June 17 Father's Day

Acolyte:
Audio:
Children's Time: Pastor Joey
Coffee Hour:
Communion: x
Greeters: Deb Long
Liturgist: Bonnie Davies
Media:
Nursery: Katie Hoffman
Ushers:

June 24

Acolyte: Caleb & Noah
Audio: Kris Yingling
Children's Time: Pastor Joey
Coffee Hour:
Communion: x
Greeters:
Liturgist: Randy Bonjour
Media:
Nursery: Katie Hoffman
Ushers: Bonnie Davies



First United Methodist Church

Sunday, 9:30am

*"You shall love the Lord your God
with all your heart, and with all your soul,
and with all your mind, and with all your strength,
and you shall love your neighbor as yourself."*

--Jesus Christ

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