

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NURSERY – The nursery is available during Worship for children age 0-5.

Visitors and Members - Please sign the pew register and pass for others to sign. Ushers will pick up from center aisle before children's message.

ELECTRONICS NOTICE – Please feel free to use your cell phone, iPad, etc. for taking notes during the service. Out of respect for the people around you please silence these devices. Thank you!

NOTE – If you would like to meet with the pastor or are interested in joining the church, please check the appropriate box on the Attendance Register or the yellow Guest/Prayer Request cards located in the hymnal racks and someone will contact you.

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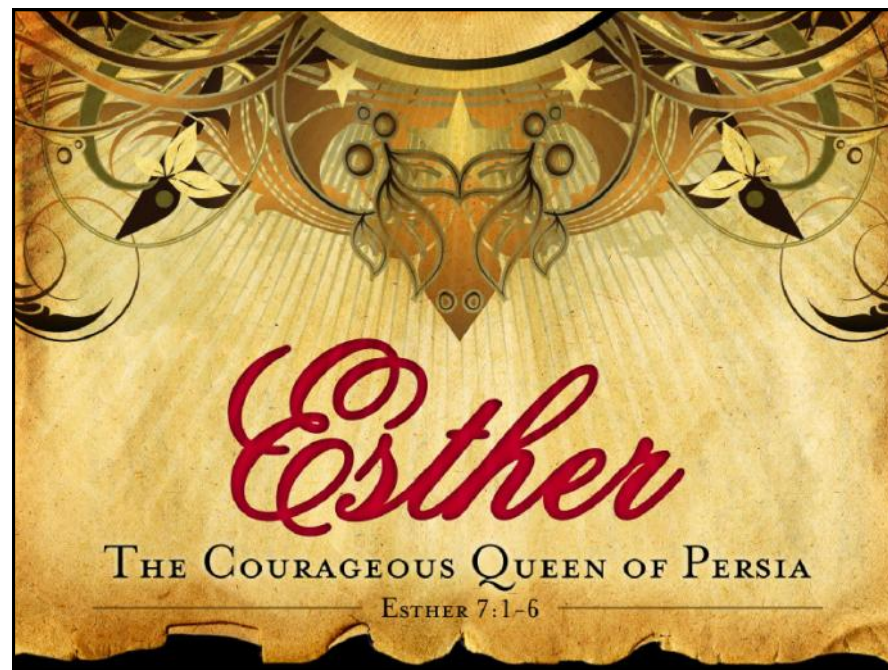
To have announcements on the screen on Sunday morning, please submit an Event Publication Form to the church office by Wednesday, 12 Noon.

Forms are available in the hall by the church office.

- **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD** - We will be filling the shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child on Thursday, November 2 at 1 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Anyone who would like to help is welcome to come. We will then dedicate them on Sunday morning, November 5 before sending them on.
- **CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PROGRAM PRACTICE** - We will be practicing at 9:00 AM on Sunday mornings during the Sunday School hour for the Children's Christmas Program.
- **CHARGE CONFERENCE** - We will need baked goods for refreshments following the Charge Conference which will be held on November 8th at 6 PM. Contact Leila in the church office or Sharon at 618-484-5007. Thank you!
- **FALL HARVEST DINNER** - Our annual Fall Harvest Dinner will be November 12, 2017 in the Fellowship Hall after the church service. It will be a potluck meal, meat will be provided. Sign up sheets on the table outside of the Sanctuary and in the front entryway.
- **Christmas Craft Bazaar/Bake Sale** - The Fellowship Hall Flooring Committee will be holding our 3rd Annual Christmas Craft Bazaar/Bake Sale on December 2nd. Your continued support and participation are greatly appreciated as we near our goal. Thank you!

ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING FROM LAST WEEK

Attendance: Sunday School 40; Worship 96 Offering: General Fund 2,225.00; Building Fund \$150.00



TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

October 29, 2017

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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Welcome to worship at the First United Methodist Church of Carlyle!
 God has blessed you forever with every perfect gift from above,
 freeing you to rise and live in the embrace of God's love.

ORDER OF SERVICE

The asterisk (*) invites you to stand, but please feel at home sitting if standing is difficult.

WELCOME Rev. Steve Barrett

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PRELUDE David Wilton

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: We come to hear the story of God's faithfulness to past generations.

People: And we remember God's faithfulness as we look to the future.

Leader: The God who was with our ancestors is with us as well.

People: Then we can go forward in hope. Whatever else fails, God remains faithful.

Nothing can separate us from the love of God!
 Praise be to God!

INVOCATION

* **MUSIC**

"Here I Am to Worship" DVD

* **GREETING/PASS THE PEACE OF CHRIST** (Please remain standing.)

* **MUSIC**

"This is the Day" UMH #657

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Ami Shanafelt

JOYS & CONCERNS Rev. Steve Barrett

OFFERING/OFFERTORY

* **DOXOLOGY**

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessing Flow" UMH #95

CHANCEL CHOIR

* **SCRIPTURE**

Esther 4:14-16 Kathy Beckemeyer

GLORIA PATRI

"Glory Be to the Father" UMH #70

SERMON SERIES

"Princess', Prostitutes, and Paupers" -
 Women of the Bible

SERMON TITLE

"For Just Such a Time as This . . ." Rev. Steve Barrett

* **MUSIC**

"God of Grace and God of Glory" UMH #577

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

"Shalom to You" UMH #666

