

Announcements

Please see the table outside the Sanctuary (by the elevator) for sign-up sheets and other information. If you would like to have your ministry's announcement listed, please complete the form at the church office.

The community National Day of Prayer service will be held Thursday, May 3, 2018 at 7:00 PM at FUMC. This year's theme is "Pray for America - Unity". Make sure to mark your calendars as our community gathers together at our church to pray for our leaders and nation! As the host church, we also need volunteers to bring snacks, finger foods, and desserts for our time of fellowship following the event. We start at 7 PM!

VBS — Mark your calendar for June 25 - 29 for this year's VBS "Rolling River Ramage". To volunteer to join our crew of helpers contact Alison Davison.

Midwest Mission is in need of IGRC Tornado Tubs. A \$9.00 donation purchases two tubs. For monetary donations please mark it as Advance Special #6620. This mode is preferable or you can donate items for the following kits. Needed for kits: 2 pairs work gloves, 2 boxes gallon-size plastic bags, 2 permanent markers (sharpies), 1 roll duct tape (prefer colored), 2 dust masks (no surgical), 24 **heavy duty** trash bags, rolled (33-45 gallon), 24 **clear** trash bags (20 -33 gallon) for personal items, 1 canister disinfectant wipes.

We are collecting used bicycles in any condition any size to be taken to Midwest Distribution Center in the next month or the beginning of May. These can be taken to Mary Frerker's home at 910 11th St. (in back by small shed). Also any sewing machines you might no longer want to keep. Those can be brought to the church or contact Edie Huene, Sherry White, or Mary Frerker. To see needs you can go to www.midwestmission.org.

Please save items for VBS: We will be using cardboard paper rolls from paper towels and toilet paper. You can drop them off in the Missions Room (old library). Thanks!

Attention all graduates!! Will you be graduating from school this Spring? We want to know which adults, young adults, and children will be advancing through graduation to the next stage of their lives! Are you an adult finishing college? Are you graduating from high school, junior high, or? Please let Pastor Steve know as soon as possible!!

A Team will be going to Love Packages on April 30 to deliver Bibles and literature. We'd love to have you join us! Contact Edie Huene, Mary Frerker, or Sherry White.

Books. Books, books! (And other stuff.) We have lots of books and other things available for **free** on the table outside of sanctuary by the elevator.

Upper Room Devotionals for May/June are available on the 1st floor literature



Fifth Sunday of Easter

April 29, 2018

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ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING FROM LAST WEEK

Attendance: Sunday School 21; Worship 80	Offering: General Fund 2,015.00; Building Fund \$130.00
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ORDER OF SERVICE

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

- WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS** Rev. Steve Barrett
- PRELUDE** David Wilton
- * **CALL TO WORSHIP**
- LEADER:** We are called to be people of faith in the midst of the world,
- PEOPLE: and so we mix our worship and our work,
our faith and our life.**
- LEADER:** We gather here as people who live in the world and yet,
- PEOPLE: we gather as people who have been called to see the world
from a different viewpoint.**
- LEADER:** God has called us together,
God has called us to be part of a community.
- PEOPLE: God challenges us to consider questions of priority
as we engage with the world.**
- LEADER:** In this time together,
- PEOPLE: may God open our hearts, minds and eyes,**
- LEADER:** allowing us to see deeper,
helping us to live in the world
while still offering a challenge to the ways of the world.
- PEOPLE: We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.**
- OPENING PRAYER**
- * **MUSIC** "To God Be the Glory" UMH #98
- * **GREETING / PASS THE PEACE OF CHRIST** (Please remain standing.)
- * **MUSIC** "This is the Day" UMH #657
- CHILDREN'S MESSAGE** Sandy Cain
- JOYS & CONCERNS**
- OFFERING-OFFERTORY**
- DOXOLOGY** "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH #95
- CHANCEL CHOIR**
- * **SCRIPTURE** Luke 8:43-48 Edith Huene
- GLORIA PATRI** "Glory Be to the Father" UMH #70
- SERMON SERIES** "Do You Believe in Miracles?"
- SERMON TITLE** "A Woman Healed" Rev. Steve Barrett
- * **MUSIC** "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" UMH #140
- CLOSING PRAYER**
- * **POSTLUDE** "Shalom to You" UMH #666

VISITORS AND GUESTS

SUNDAY MORNING SCHEDULE

SUNDAY SCHOOL begins at 9:00 AM. We have classes for all ages, preschool through adult.

WORSHIP BEGINS AT 10:00 AM. Our service is a blended service of both traditional and contemporary music.

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.

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

DATE	TIME	EVENT
Wednesday, May 02	8:30 AM	Matthew 25 Food Pantry
	5:45 PM	"Going Deeper" Bible Study led by Pastor Steve
	7:00 PM	Choir Rehearsal
Thursday, May 03	7:00 PM	National Day of Prayer Service
Monday, May 07	10:00 AM	Prayer Service
	1:00 PM	Martha Circle Meeting
	7:00 PM	Trustee Meeting
Wednesday, May 09	8:30 AM	Matthew 25 Food Pantry
	2:00 PM	Communion Service at CHC Assisted Living
	5:45 PM	"Going Deeper" Bible Study led by Pastor Steve
	7:00 PM	Choir Rehearsal
Thursday, May 10	6:00 PM	Administrative Council Meeting