

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 church office or on the bulletin board across from the office.

- **THANK YOU** — Thank you to everyone who helped with the Pork Chop Dinner. From start to finish, it was a team effort. It was a great time of fellowship. *Betty & Vicky*
- **UMCOR CLEANING BUCKETS** — Items for cleaning buckets are listed in the September newsletter, on the church website, and the bulletin board at the bottom of the stairs. Monetary donations can be made payable to the church. A love offering will be taken today to assist in the relief efforts of UMCOR.
- **MINISTRY INFORMATION CATALOGS** — September 10 - 17.
- **MARTHA CIRCLE** — September 11 at 12:00 PM. Salad Bar potluck at the home of Phyllis Rahm.
- **FUNSEEKERS** — September 13 at 11:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall. Meeting and potluck.
- **RUMMAGE SALE** — September 15 & 16 from 8 AM—4 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Bring your items to the church the week of September 11. Any help with the sale will be greatly appreciated. Contact Jane Buchele.
- **MEMBERSHIP CLASS** — September 17 from 2 - 3:30 PM in the Sanctuary.
- **NGL MEN'S RETREAT** — September 29 - 30—Marion, IL. Sign-up sheet at the top of the stairs. No Greater Love (NGL) Men's Ministry is holding its annual kickoff meeting/retreat. Men seeking a deeper relationship with God are invited to attend! Talk with Pastor Steve for more information.
- **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD** - Shoebox Items needed. Many items are now on sale! Check the September newsletter for more information.

ATTENDANCE AND RECEIPTS FROM LAST WEEK

Attendance: Sunday School 35;Worship 106 Receipts: General Fund \$2,577.00; Building Fund \$200.00



THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

September 3, 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: The church is the place where the broken gather.

**People Let us worship God who reconciles us to one another
 and to God.**

Leader: The church is the place where sinners are welcome.

**People: Let us worship God who, with forgiving hands, shapes
 us into new people.**

Leader: The church is the place where the lost, the least, the
 forgotten, the ignored gather.

**People: Let us worship God who looks at us through the eyes
 of love.**

INVOCATION

* **MUSIC**
 New Doxology DVD

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

* **MUSIC**
 "This is the Day" UMH #657

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Pauletta Goodin

JOYS & CONCERNS Rev. Steve Barrett

* **MUSIC**
 "I Am Thine, O Lord" UMH #419

* **SCRIPTURE**
 John 14:12-17 Van Johnson

* **Gloria Patri**
 "Glory Be to the Father" UMH #70

SERMON SERIES
 "We Vow to Uphold the Church . . . "

SERMON TITLE
 " . . . With Our Service" Rev. Steve Barrett

* **MUSIC**
 "Here I Am, Lord" UMH #593

OFFERING/OFFERTORY UMH #95

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

A COVENANT PRAYER IN THE WESLEYAN TRADITION

HOLY COMMUNION UMH #895

* **MUSIC**
 "Hosanna" DVD

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE
 "Shalom to You" UMH #666

