

Happy Birthday!

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| 5 Beth Habicht | 8 Zachary Hendel |
| Jeremy Roelfs | Joan Moore |
| Jim Shore | 9 Hannah Barrie |
| 6 Ken Elsing | 11 Austin Steinle |
| Doris Palmer | 12 Ryan Hill |
| 7 Lois Carlberg | |
| Mary Prins | |

Happy Anniversary!

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| 10 Larry and Nancy Hyink |
| 12 Nathan & Abby Erlandson |

Our Church Family

Each week throughout the year, we pray intentionally for families from all of our churches - please include these families in your prayer life this week.

Rod & Eunice Behrends
Jason & Paula Behrens
Merle Belz
Scott & Susan Belz
David & Bev & Terri Kohler
Adam & Ashley Kurtz & family
Levi & Brittany Lenz & family
Margaret Loger
Ben & Marlene Weineke & family
Laura Barrie & family
Carolyn Beerman
Karen Cook



SIGN UP NOW!

PRAYER CORNER

Prayers for immediate health concerns:

Rhoda Flinck	Diane Yahnke
Gary Hibma	

Persons impacted by COVID 19:

Mary Prins	COVID Long-haulers
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Prayers for those dealing with cancer:

Glen Crowley	
Bruce Boltjes	(Gary's brother)
Connie Bramer	(Betty Taarud's daughter)
Anthony Tate	(Corky & Ginny's grandson)
Laurie Blume	
Scott Klooster	
Kristi Johnson	(Dave/Linda Reese's daughter)
Sheryl	(Thelma Yager's sister)
Makenzie Gist	(Nancy Galland's niece)

Persons recovering/dealing with health issues:

Bob Shore	Tim Yager
Etta Schroeder	Marlene Wieneke
Dianne Dalrymple	Nancy Hyink
Rick Dalrymple	Claribel Grussing
Elaine Mess	John Clease
Henry Mess	Bruce Lease
Weston Erlandson	Steve Timmons
Monica Veil	Ken Bipes
Phil Glembin	Ajulo Ochala
Ariana Lopez	Casen Hotzler
Aiden Remme	Bill Carlberg
Mike Miller	David Carstensen
Emma Schnyders	Gerald Fisher

Giving thanks & praying for:

Local farmers...
Our teachers, administrators, students...
Front line health care workers...
Law enforcement & emergency workers...
Service women & men and their families...

For those dealing with grief and loss...

If you have a loved one you would like to have added to the Prayer Corner list, or if any name needs to be removed from this list, please contact the church office.



Pentecost Sunday, June 5th, 2022
Worship - 10:30 a.m.



livestream links

The Boxcast TV Channel
First UMC YouTube Channel
First UMC FaceBook Channel
First UMC Website
(<http://firstumcworthington.com/>)

PASTOR:	Rev. Dr. Daren Flinck	BELL CHOIR DIRECTOR:	Brenda DeSmith
FAMILY LIFE:	Gretchen O'Donnell	TECH TEAM:	Kari & Claire Meyer
ACCOMPANIST:	Jolene Kuhl	FINANCE MANAGER:	Sue Johnson
CHOIR DIRECTOR:	Jeanette Jensen	CUSTODIANS:	Sarah & Chad Nickel

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CHURCH OFFICE HOURS - Monday through Friday - 8:00 am - 4:30 pm

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- ♦ Office email >> **methodistoffice@gmail.com**



Sunday, June 5th, 2022
10:30 a.m.

Worship Leader: Rev. Dr. Daren Flinck

Accompanist: Jolene Kuhl

✠ Please stand as you are able

CENTERING WORDS ¹

Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid.

PRELUDE

WELCOME - ANNOUNCEMENTS

We Come to Worship God

PRAISE

UMH #393 - *"Spirit of the Living God"*

CALL TO WORSHIP ²

The Holy One calls our sons and our daughters to prophesy.

We come, ready to hear the word of God.

The Holy One calls our young people to see visions.

We come, ready to see new visions.

The Holy One calls our elders to dream dreams.

We come, ready to dream new dreams.

The Spirit of the Holy One is poured upon all flesh.

We come, ready to be filled with God's Spirit.

✠ PRAISE

UMH #539 - *"O Spirit of the Living God"*

✠ OPENING PRAYER ³

God of breath and fire, God of past and future, God of all that is and all that ever shall be, when Jesus knew that he was going to the cross, he promised his disciples that they would not be left alone. Jesus assured them that the Holy

Vacation Bible School:

Due to lack of volunteers, we will not have a Vacation Bible School program physically at our church this year. We are encouraging all of our youth to join in the program being offered at First Lutheran. We have partnered with them during this last year for Encounter and other events, so your children may already know some of their youth and some of our adults may be helping with the program as well. Here are the details:

The Food Truck Party Vacation Bible School is coming June 12-15 from 5:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at First Lutheran Church. We will start each evening with dinner and then have TONS of fun learning, singing, making and playing. Also, we are in need of volunteers. If you would like to help out, with decoration, meals, stations, or shepherding kids, please contact: Mark at 507-376-6148.

Go to felcwgtm.mycokesburyvbs.com to register!

High School Grad Scholarships:

The First UMC Foundation once again is offering scholarships for young people who are considering entering college or tech school. The awards are \$600.00 for the first year, \$800.00 for the 2nd year and \$1,000.00 for the third year. First & Adrian (and former Emmanuel) UMC students may apply each year. Applications may be picked up in the church office or emailed to the student upon request. The deadline for applications is July 31st.

Administrative Position @ First United Methodist Church:

First UMC has a part-time position open for someone willing to help the ministry of the congregation by tending to different office and administrative tasks. Duties include general office management, scheduling use of the facility, processing communications and working with social media. The position is posted as Tuesday - Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., but those hours can be negotiated. Pay compensation is set beginning at around the \$18.00 per hour range, commensurate with experience level. If you know someone who may be interested in this opportunity, have them contact the church office (507.329.2939 or email: methodistoffice@gmail.com) as soon as possible.



Last Week's Offering: \$2,989.00

Carry Over Revenue (2021): \$32,515.90

Year-to-date Revenue: \$154,755.51

Year-to-date Expenses: \$134,277.19

Thank you for your faithful giving!

Operation Christmas Child:

We are collecting items for the Operation Christmas Child boxes which will be packed in November. From now until October each month, we will highlight an area that we will be collecting items for that can be packed in the boxes. These items can be brought to the church and put in the collection box in the narthex. The age groups that the boxes will be packed for are ages 2-4, 5-9 and 10-14 for both boys and girls. You will still have the option to pack a box on your own if you wish.

For June and July we will be collecting WOW items for boys and girls. A WOW item is a bigger gift that is added to box with the other items. Ideas for girls are a baby doll with accessories, Barbie doll, small musical instrument (recorder or harmonica), backpack, stuffed animal. Ideas for boys are a toy truck or car, soccer ball with pump, small musical instrument (recorder or harmonica), backpack, stuffed animal.

Monetary donations will also be accepted which will go toward purchasing additional items for the boxes and also to help with the postage to send the boxes overseas. The Missions Committee thanks you for your interest in this project. If you have any questions, please contact Pam Soderholm.

UMC Summer Camping:

A camping experience with your Minnesota United Methodist Camps has been part of countless people's faith stories for generations. Each camping event provides children, youth, families and adults with an opportunity to learn, play, experience God's love in the outdoors, grow in faith in a safe atmosphere, and to reach their personal best! Lives are changed forever! The 2022 summer camping brochures are in the back of the church. By the way, students attending Methodist Church Camps are eligible for scholarships from the First UMC Foundation. Please visit the website at: www.campminnesota.org to register - contact the church office for scholarship info.

Celebration of Life Volunteer Coordinators:

One of the most meaningful ministry areas we participate in is this: providing a safe and comforting space for families who have lost loved ones. Celebration of Life coordinators provide a huge sense of comfort and peace of mind for grieving families during their time of loss. These volunteer coordinators work with the family and the funeral home to provide a comforting meal for the family and friends immediately following the service for the celebration of life for their loved one.

We have six persons who are currently helping in this volunteer role - they are doing a fabulous job when called upon. We could use another six to work in pairs with these persons just two months out of each year. Perhaps you may feel called to reach out to families who have lost a loved one by helping in this way. If so, please contact Nancy Galland to volunteer or to ask questions. As Jesus shows us what it means to be a servant, we are called to follow his example by serving others, especially in their time of need.

Worship Attendance	Last Sunday		
IN PERSON FIRST	73	LIVE STREAM VIEWS	142
IN PERSON ADRIAN	19	TOTAL	217

Spirit would remain with them, teaching them how to live, and reminding them of all he had said. Weeks later, when the day of Pentecost arrived, you poured out your Spirit, giving your disciples the power to speak in many languages, and making tongues of flame dance above their heads. Today, we ask that you pour out your Spirit on us, giving us the wisdom and the courage to live in peace as Jesus's followers. Amen.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

PRAISE "Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart"
Pastor Daren Flinck, trombone solo

PRAYERS of the PEOPLE - THE LORD'S PRAYER

We Hear God's Word

THE SCRIPTURE LESSON

Acts 2:1-21

MESSAGE "The Winds of Change"

We Respond to God's Word

COMMUNION HYMN

TFWS #2263 - "Broken for Me"

HOLY COMMUNION

All who intend to lead a Christian life, together with their children,
are invited to receive the bread and cup.

Everyone is welcome to the table of the Lord.

When you come forward, please bring your offering
and place it in the plates located near the railings.

We Go Forth to Serve God

✚ PRAISE UMH #404 - "Every Time I Feel the Spirit"

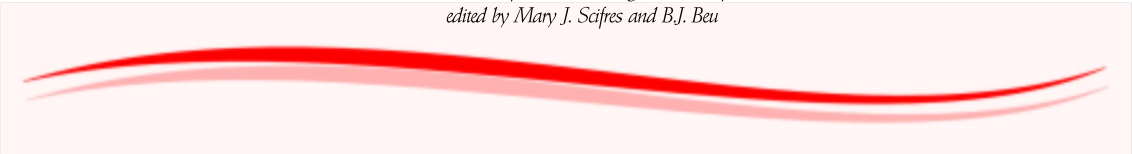
✚ THE BENEDICTION - ✚ POSTLUDE

¹ The Centering Words are based on or inspired by John 14.

² The Call to Worship is based on or inspired by Acts 2.

³ The Opening Prayer is based on or inspired by Acts 2 and John 14.

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GOD'S DIRECTION IS ALWAYS BEST!

The Holy Spirit Comes at Pentecost

Acts 2:1-21 - New International Version (NIV)

¹ When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place.
² Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting. ³ They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. ⁴ All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.
⁵ Now there were staying in Jerusalem God-fearing Jews from every nation under heaven. ⁶ When they heard this sound, a crowd came together in bewilderment, because each one heard their own language being spoken.
⁷ Utterly amazed, they asked: "Aren't all these who are speaking Galileans?"
⁸ Then how is it that each of us hears them in our native language?
⁹ Parthians, Medes and Elamites; residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, ¹⁰ Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya near Cyrene; visitors from Rome ¹¹ (both Jews and converts to Judaism); Cretans and Arabs - we hear them declaring the wonders of God in our own tongues!" ¹² Amazed and perplexed, they asked one another, "What does this mean?"
¹³ Some, however, made fun of them and said, "They have had too much wine."
¹⁴ Then Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd: "Fellow Jews and all of you who live in Jerusalem, let me explain this to you; listen carefully to what I say. ¹⁵ These people are not drunk, as you suppose. It's only nine in the morning! ¹⁶ No, this is what was spoken by the prophet Joel:
¹⁷ "'In the last days, God says, I will pour out my Spirit on all people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy, your young men will see visions, your old men will dream dreams. ¹⁸ Even on my servants, both men and women, I will pour out my Spirit in those days, and they will prophesy. ¹⁹ I will show wonders in the heavens above and signs on the earth below, blood and fire and billows of smoke. ²⁰ The sun will be turned to darkness and the moon to blood before the coming of the great and glorious day of the Lord. ²¹ And everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.'"

TRUST IN THE LORD WITH ALL [YOUR] HEART...
PROVERBS 3:5

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This Week

SUN	June 5
9:00 am	Worship @ Adrian
10:00 am	Fellowship @ First
10:30 am	Worship @ First
12:30 pm	Cristo En Tu Ayuda Worship Emmanuel Chapel @ First
MON	June 6
3:00 pm	Worship Re-Broadcast on WGTN TV3
TUES	June 7
9:30 am	Ladies Coffee Hour First UMC @ Hy-Vee
3:00 pm	Worship Re-Broadcast on WGTN TV3
WED	June 8
7:00 am	Men's Breakfast @ Blue Line
7:30 pm	Wgtn City Band Concert @ Chautauqua Park
SUN	June 12
9:00 am	Worship @ Adrian Terry Miller preaching
10:00 am	Coffee Fellowship @ First
10:30 am	Worship @ First Randy Shirbroun preaching
12:30 pm	Cristo En Tu Ayuda Worship Emmanuel Chapel @ First

Care Center Residents:

South Shore Care Center

First UMC:

Lois Carlberg

Good Samaritan Windom

First UMC:

LaDee Grant

Mary Jane Brown Center

Adrian UMC:

Mary Prins

Adrian Country Living Cottage

Adrian UMC:

Margaret Loger

Live Streaming...

You can catch our live stream broadcast on your smartphone, iPad, Smart TV or computer at on any one of four different app channels or online websites:

[The Boxcast TV Channel](#)

[First UMC Website](#)

[First UMC YouTube Channel](#)

[First UMC FaceBook](#)

Please note that all of our services can be viewed at the above locations even after the service is over. For questions about our broadcasts, please contact the church office.

Sunday Coffee Fellowship:

Come to the Fellowship Hall on Sunday mornings before church to enjoy a cup of coffee or juice and a roll along with some fellowship; we begin at 10:00 A.M. We are looking for persons to help serve on a rotating basis. Please contact Pam Soderholm if you are willing to help.