

Welcome Home

Order of Worship



Prelude *Give of Your Best to the Master* Nancy Dickerson

Welcome & Announcements

Leader: What is our highest calling?

All: **Our highest calling is to love God.**

Leader: We called to love God. Who else are we called to love?

All: **We are called to love ALL PEOPLE.**

Leader: How will we express our love toward God and all people?

All: **We will love God by serving all people.**

Everyone: **This is who we are, and this is what we do.**

***Hymn of Praise** *There's Within My Heart a Melody* 380
vs. 1, 3, 4

Affirmation of Faith 883

A Statement of Faith of the United Church of Canada

We are not alone, we live in God's world. We believe in God: who has created and is creating, who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and make new, who works in us and others by the Spirit. We trust in God. We are called to be the Church: to celebrate God's presence, to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil, to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope. In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us. We are not alone. Thanks be to God. Amen.

***Gloria Patria** 70

Children's Time Faythe Abraham

Sharing of Praises & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done; on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Special Music

Scripture Reading Romans 12:9-13 NIV

Hymn *The Gift of Love* 408

Message *"Blueprint Theology"* Pastor Malcolm

***Hymn of Invitation** *Help Us Accept Each Other* Tune 203
560 vs 1-3

*Benediction

***Choral Response** *He Lives (refrain)* 310

He lives, He lives, Christ Jesus lives today!
He walks with me and talks with me along life's narrow way.
He lives, He lives, salvation to impart!
You ask me how I know He lives?
He lives within my heart.

Postlude *Christ, the Sure Foundation* Tom Birchwood

*Congregation standing as able

Congregational Response to New Members

We give thanks for all that God has already given you and we welcome you in Christian love. As members together with you in the body of Christ and in this congregation of The United Methodist Church, we renew our covenant faithfully to participate in the ministries of the church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service and our witness, that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.



*The flowers on the altar are to
the Glory of God and in loving
memory of
Pam & Jerry Phelps.*

*by
Ann & Derek Grant &
Kathy & Jim Sawyer*

This Week in Our Congregation

Sunday September 13

8:30 am Worship

11:00 am Worship

Monday September 14

11:00 am Staff Meeting-Parlor

5:15 pm Finance Committee Meeting-Parlor

5:30 pm YOGA-Fellowship Hall

Tuesday September 15

5:30 pm Trustees Committee Meeting-Parlor

Wednesday September 16

5:00 pm MYF

Thursday September 17

12:00 pm Reading Club-Fellowship Hall

5:30 pm YOGA-Fellowship Hall

Prayer List

Comfort & Peace

Families of Mary Jo Vick, Robert Warr, John Barbee, Jerry Samford, Victoria Hogan, Ella Masterson, Mason Masterson

Most Recent & Acute Needs

Michael Masterson, Mason Parks, Danielle Permenter, Bruce Koonce, Mary Dell Windham, Rhonda Patterson, Shirlynn Harbison, Brenda Mackey, Polly Smith, Tim Patterson, Roseanne Rideout, Dr. Robert Hughes, Larry Russell, Jerrie Kenikee, Dr. Ledet, All Healthcare Workers, Rev. Malcolm Monroe & Teresa, John Barbee, Yazoo Thomas, Jay Watlington, Betty Robertson, Randy Dickerson, Bill Eberenz, Mary Fomby, Becky Roberts, Wayne & Sherry Hooper, Dolly Cunningham, All Teachers & Students, Brady Scarber, Jan Cruse, Silver Motley, Nell Polley, Betty Robertson, Ryan Chandler, Lizzie Abruzzese, Jeanne Sawyer

Long Term Need for Healing

Howard Logan, Jeri Frank, Kevin Blake, Paula Kimbro Black, Lynn Fox, Debbie Mercer, Brooklyn Swann, Charles Hall, Beth Kell, Billy Wayne Williams, Zac Day, Judy Walker Wood, Angela Lawson, Makinley Pigg, Evelyn Green, Connie Mettauer, David Swanzy, Robert Ortigo, Mandy Estes, Cecil Watlington, Jennifer Paddie, Judy Foster, Gail Porter, Mason Charles Anderson, Jocelyn Lopez, Bonnie LeRoy, Tresa Pearce, Vicki Lee, Ann Harmon, John Griffin

At Home & Nursing Home Members & Friends

Bea Mettauer, Mae Dell Brannen, Gwendolyn Crawford, Margaret Henry, Yvonne Permenter, Doris Wennerbom, Billy Williams, J.W. Braden, Orval Headley, Jay Teske, Joy Miller, Margaret Iho

Those Serving Our Country

Wade Angelo, Josh Nobles, Jimmy Crocker, Jason Adams, Chris Bentley, Stephen Bentley, Kirk Cogswell, Cpl. Dustin W. Osgood, Caleb Rasmussen, Trey Taylor, Jason Peveto, Josh Waller, Kyle Bell, Robert Shaun Johnson, Rebecca Kruger, David Johnson, Anthony Johnson, Major Jonathon Welborn, Cpt. Cody Dobiyski, Staff Sgt. Hannah Wilkins Saunders, Dylan Barbee, Thomas Bartle, Dallas Osburn, Daniel Fox, Zack Holt, Buddy Walker, Cody Osburn

**In an effort to keep our prayer list updated, please notify Kelli of any changes.*



Kids in Christ **STARTING SOON!!!**



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

- * Kitchen Help
- * Teachers (music, crafts, etc.)
- * Assistants

Call Faythe @ the church office

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| Ministers | The Congregation |
| Pastor | Rev. Malcolm Monroe |
| Music Director | Chris Watlington |
| Director of Children & Youth Ministries | Faythe Abraham |
| Pianist | Nancy Dickerson |
| Organist | Jim Green |
| Administrative Assistant | Kelli Snider |
| Housekeeping | Jessi Webb |

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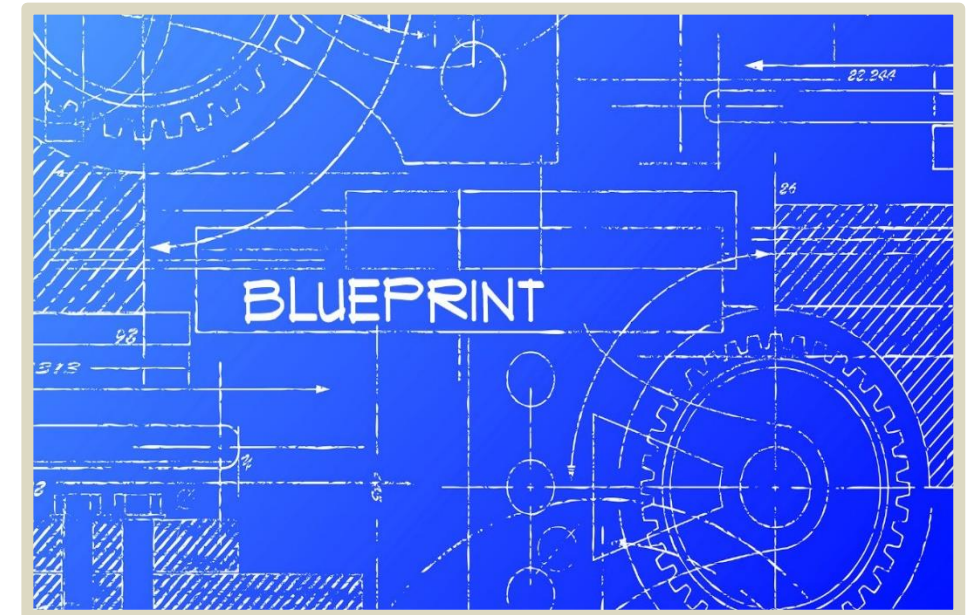
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September 13, 2020
15th Sunday after Pentecost
8:30 & 11:00 am Worship Services



Thank you for choosing to worship with us today!
We are grateful for your presence and hope you find a warm community that you can call home.