

Those Who Serve

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Faith United Methodist Church

September 25, 2022

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

♪ PRELUDE ♪

THRESHOLD MOMENT

♪ "What Does the Lord Require of You" TFWS 2174 ♪

What does the Lord require of you?

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Justice, Kindness, walk humbly with your God.

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To seek justice, and love kindness,

And walk humbly with your God.

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And walk humbly with your God.

What does the Lord require of you?

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God calls to the least, the last, the lost,
and all who long for home;

**God calls when we wander
from the God's way for us**

and waste the gifts we have been given.

God calls and welcomes us back
to worship this day, here and now.

**Let us celebrate and rejoice
in God's presence forever!**

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Let us pray together:

**O God, like a loving parent
You have always watched over us,**

**even when we were intent
on running away from You.**

**We thank You, Lord,
and we give You our heartfelt love.**

**When we have wandered off in our own directions,
chasing after our dreams,**

we wake up and find ourselves completely lost.

**When we have focused only on the present,
we have forgotten that you are the God of Eternity.**

**Even when we have failed you,
you have loved us still.**

Forgive us, Lord, and lead us lovingly home.

In Christ we pray. Amen.

Faith Calendar

Sunday, September 25

Worship..... 10:30am

Monday, September 26

Office Open..... 10:00am-2:00pm

Tuesday, September 27

Office Open..... 10:00am-2:00pm

Wednesday, September 28

Office Open..... 10:00am-2:00pm

Thursday, September 29

Office Open..... 10:00am-2:00pm

Sunday, October 2

Worship..... 10:30am

Monday, October 3

Office Open..... 10:00am-2:00pm

Tuesday, October 4

Office Open..... 10:00am-2:00pm

Wednesday, October 5

Office Open..... 10:00am-2:00pm

Thursday, October 6

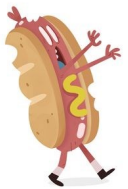
Office Open..... 10:00am-2:00pm

Eventide Circle Meeting..... 1:00pm



A special happy birthday
to Betty Howard
on September 26th!

Halloweenies will be
on Sunday, October
30th from 5:30-
7:00pm during
Zanesville City
Trick-or-Treat.



Money can be given
to Roberta Covert to go
towards the purchase of hot
dogs. A signup sheet is on the
welcome table for those who
can volunteer during the event.

KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

Adah Grace Family
Baby Christian and Family
Bernice Osborne
Bev Wolford
Beth Dougherty Family
Betty Miller
Bradley Adams
Carol Densmore
David Inman
Dennis Cebulsky
Diana Bohn Family
Doug Adams
Ellen Kelton
Heidi
Jane Thorne
Janice Moore
Jill Shrock
JoAnne Peadon
Juanita Mohler
Karen Norman
Karen Wilson
Kevin Bushong
Laura Peck
Marilyn Inman
Marlene Farley
Pastor Joy Wigal
Saundra Boyd
Steve DeGarmo
Steve Inman
Suzanne Collins
Terry Pickens
Thea & Mark Crawmer
Tim & Sherry Dickerson
Veronica
Medical Faith Shut-ins:
Kathleen McCutcheon

Declaration of God's Forgiveness

Hear the Good News! We are dealt with mercifully.

The grace of our Lord Jesus is lavished upon us
with the faith and love which are ours through him.

Friends, believe the Good News! In Jesus Christ, we are
forgiven.

PEACE

As those now reconciled to God and each other,
let us share the peace of Christ with one another.

♪ *HYMN "There's a Wideness in God's Mercy" UMH 121* ♪

WE PROCLAIM

FIRST READING

Luke 15:1-10 (NLT)

♪ *HYMN "Thy Word" UMH 601* ♪

GOSPEL READING

Luke 15:11-24 (NLT)

Here ends the lesson.

This is the Word of God that is still speaking.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

Thoughts about Life and Faith

SHARING OUR PRAYERS AND PRAISES

♪ What a friend we have in Jesus, ♪
all our sins and griefs to bear!
What a privilege to carry
everything to God in prayer!

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE
THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY UMH 95

♪ Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; ♪
Praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

**Great God, we honor you with our work
and our jobs,
with our gifts and our attitudes.**

**Thank you for abundant life,
for the beauty of the world,
and for the friends who sit with us today.
Use our talents and our money
to make this world
Your Kingdom on earth.
Amen.**

♪ HYMN "Amazing Grace" ♪ UMH 378

BENEDICTION

*Go forth in renewed strength, knowing who you are:
the sons and daughters of God—
celebrated, rejoiced in, welcomed, dearly loved.
We will wear our robes and rings with joy!
Be found by the great Shepherd and in Jesus' name
seek out that which is lost.*

**We go in peace, and in the name
of our Lord Jesus Christ.**

Go into the world:
knowing that it is God who loves us,
Christ who strengthens us,
and the Holy Spirit who empowers us for service.
Amen!

♪ **POSTLUDE** ♪