

## 8:30 AM CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

We welcome you to our contemporary worship service this morning.  
The various elements of worship will appear on the screen at the front of the altar area.

**Our theme for this morning's service is:**  
"We Are--Family"

**Our Scripture Lesson today is:**  
II Corinthians 13:11-13 Matthew 28:16-20

**PRAIZE TEAM THIS WEEK:**



Following worship, join us for breakfast in the Family Life Center.

### **Welcome to First United Methodist Church!!**

...You may wish to take your infants, toddlers or preschoolers into our nursery which is warm, nurturing and well-supervised. The nursery is located on the main floor to the right of the sanctuary's overflow.  
...Please do not feel obligated to participate in the offering. The offering is for attendees who consider First UMC their church home.  
...Please keep cellular phones off during the service and please set your beepers to non-audible notification.  
...As United Methodists, we celebrate "open Communion"; everyone is always welcome at the Lord's Table.  
...Be sure to sign the pew register, and "check" first-time visitor.  
...The restroom is located behind the Sanctuary's overflow to the left.  
...Children's Book Cart: Children's books are available in the overflow area for children to read during the service.  
...Please do not bring coffee, tea, or soft drinks into the Sanctuary.  
...The parking lot across the street is always available on Saturday and Sunday, and after 5 PM Monday through Friday. Contact the church office, 304-636-0660, to park during rented time (M-F, 8:30 AM – 5 PM).

# "We Are--Family"



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Helping persons take their next steps toward God,  
and together, growing as disciples of Jesus Christ

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
June 11, 2017 – 11:00 AM  
**FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**



WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH!  
"THE DOWNTOWN CHURCH THAT FEELS LIKE HOME!  
WHERE ALL GOD'S CHILDREN COME TOGETHER AS FAMILY"

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

LET US OFFER ONE ANOTHER SIGNS OF RECONCILIATION, LOVE AND PEACE

PRELUDE "All Creatures of Our God and King" (1623, arr. Hayes)

*(Please pass the attendance book in your row.)*

*(Newcomers, please be sure to list your address, phone number and email address.)*

SERVICE OF LIGHT *Acolytes*

MORNING HYMN TFWS No. 2008 "Lord, I Lift Your Name on High"

INVOCATION

MORNING HYMN TFWS No. 2074 "Shout to the Lord"

GOOD NEWS FOR CHILDREN *Kary Kramer*

**Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so. Little ones to him belong; they are weak, but he is strong. Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.**

The money today in the Children's Coin Jar will go to support the efforts of the First United Methodist Church Communion Fund.

ANTHEM "The Prayer" (arr. Goss) *Chancel Choir*  
*Andy Montgomery, Linda Wagner*

OUR CHURCH IN PRAYER

SHARING OF JOYS, CONCERNS, & PRAYERS

PASTORAL PRAYER

PRAYER RESPONSE (unison)

**I call upon you, O Lord; come quickly to me; give ear to my voice  
When I call to you, Let my prayer be counted as incense before you,  
And the lifting up of my hands as an eternal sacrifice.**

WORSHIP WITH TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory – "Joy Comes in the Morning" (Gaither) *Chancel Choir*

Doxology – UMH No. 94 "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

THE SCRIPTURE LESSON –FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

II Corinthians 13:11-13 Matthew 28:16-20

SERMON "We Are-Family" *Rev. E. Dallas Forren*

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

HYMN OF INVITATION TFWS No. 2173 "Shine, Jesus Shine"

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE "I Must Tell Jesus" (Hoffman)

All 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> graders are welcome to join the Children's Church in the Orange Room on the second floor during the 11:00 Worship Service.

PASTORAL BLESSING AND SENDING FORTH INTO THE WORLD TO  
MAKE DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST FOR THE TRANSFORMATION OF  
THE WORLD

THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS (as of June 4)

**RECOVERING AT HOME**

**MILITARY** – Joel DiStefano (Andy Montgomery’s cousin), Sgt. Lantz Elbon (Tim and Beth Conklin’s son-in-law), Tyler Fretwell, Max Jeffries (Heidi Jeffries’ son), Robert Jerow (Jerry Jerow’s son), Ryan Murphy, Tristan Reneau,(Carolyn Shepler’s nephew), Patrick Spears, Patrick Thompson (Sue Mallow’s Son), Joel Timmons (Seth and Michelle Pratt’s son-in-law), Aaron Wetsch, Max White (Andy Montgomery’s nephew), Sgt. Megan White (Kit Phillips’ niece), Ann Urban

**KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS** – Crosby Bender, Olive Blough, Jack Calain, Maxine Cooper, Gary Crawford, Mike Despar, Don Fitzwater, Patty Fletcher, Nellie Galford, Barbara Halperin (Rachel Montgomery’s mother), Skylar Harman, Jeri Hatch, Amelya Hensley, Janis Hensley, Ruth Hepler, Mike Herron, Halie House, Evonne Howell, Lisa Jones (Zona Simmons’ daughter), Kendra Kalar, Lois Kessler, Dana Kirkpatrick, Sharon McQuain, Norma Kerr Metzger, Max Morgan, Alex Nelson, Bill Patterson, Joan Plant, Barbara Rosencrance, Nancy Rotruck (Jane Corley’s sister), Tommy Scott (Bill Umbright’s grandson), Jason Snyder, Margie Sutton, Miranda Trader, Betty Walden, Dick Walden, Norma Wanless (Jennifer Wanless’ mother-in-law), Lewis Ware, Margaret Winans, Jeremiah Myers

**COLONIAL PLACE** – Rose Barnett, Hope Caplinger, Jo Criss, Millie Metheny, Mary Margaret Morrison, Katie Sayres

**CORTLAND ACRES** – Irene Nelson

**ERCC** – Dixie Gutmann, Paul Mullins, Katie Pingley, Connie Pizzino

**NELLA’S** - Mabel Phares

**VALENTINE’S** – Robert Fretwell

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***THE ORGAN ARRANGEMENT** is given in memory of Snowden & Virginia Vance by their children, Doug, Greg & Steve Vance and Frances McLaughlin.*

***THE CHANCEL AREA ARRANGEMENT** is given in memory of Bill Anderson in honor of his birthday by Jerry, Mike, Chuck & families.*

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SERMON NOTES  
“We Are---Family”  
II Corinthians 13:11-13 Matthew 28:16-20

I will support my church with my presence and gifts”	
June 4, 2017	
ATTENDANCE:	
8:30 AM Worship	29
Sunday School	31
11 AM Worship	192
GIFTS: Weekly Collection	\$ 9,558.25
<u>Our 2017 Budget is \$436,000.</u>	

## Backpack Food Program

Even though the backpack program does not meet during the summer months, they will continue to collect new backpacks and food items to include: granola bars, individual packets of oatmeal, canned meals, fruit cups, veggie cups, snack cracker packs, and pudding cups throughout the summer so they can be prepared when school starts back up. Please drop off your items in the bin marked "BACKPACK PROGRAM" in front of the church office. Thank you.



## UPCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS:

**YOUR ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO COME JOIN US  
FOR THE CELEBRATION OF FATHER'S DAY AND THE RETIREMENT  
PARTY OF REV. DALLAS AND BRENDA FORREN  
ON SUNDAY, JUNE 18 @ 6 PM IN THE FLC  
HOSTED BY THE U.M. MEN & WOMEN!  
(Please get your tickets, one for each member of your family attending).**

**Special Combined Meeting with Finance Committee and Trustees  
was rescheduled for Tuesday, June 20, 2017 at 6:30 pm in the Parlor.**

**United Methodist Women's Executive Board meeting will be on  
Monday, June 26, 2017 at 1:00 pm in the Parlor.**

## THANK YOU...

Dear Church,

Many thanks for the calls, cards, and prayers after the recent death of my father. Our family was blessed by his long life and wonderful memories.

Lovingly,  
Deborah Stout

## CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Thursday, 8:30 AM – 3 PM / Friday 8:30 AM – 12-noon PH: 304-636-0660

Pastor: Dallas Forren (304-636-0406 Home)  
Office Manager/Treasurer: Rhonda Elmer  
Director of Christian Education: Kary Kramer  
Financial Secretary: Danielle Taylor  
Music Director: Gale Poe Howell  
Pastor Emeritus: Basil Hensley  
Custodian: Angela Kisner

Praize Team Director:  
Nursery Worker: Jennifer Wanless

## COME, SHARE, REJOICE...

### SUNDAY, June 11 (Matthew 28:16-20)

8:30 AM CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP  
9:15 AM FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST / FLC  
9:45 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL AGES  
11:00 AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP  
11:00 AM CHILDREN'S CHURCH / Orange Room (1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Graders)  
WV ANNUAL CONFERENCE ENDS AT WVWC, Buckhannon, WV

### MONDAY, June 12 (Genesis 18:1-15)

9:00 AM QUILTERS / Basement – WILL NOT MEET, WILL RESUME IN THE FALL

### TUESDAY, June 13 (Genesis 18:9-15, 21:1-7)

6:30 PM CIRCLE 1 MEETING (Hitchcock) / Jane Corley's – 50 Locust Street  
(Bring a covered dish)

### WEDNESDAY, June 14 (Psalm 100)

10:00 AM BIBLE STUDY / Parlor – WILL NOT MEET, WILL RESUME AFTER LABOR DAY  
11:00 AM CIRCLE 4 MEETING (Armentrout/Gay) / Parlor  
7:00 PM CHANCEL CHOIR REHEARSAL / Choir Room

### THURSDAY, June 15 (Romans 5:1-5)

### FRIDAY, June 16 (Romans 5:6-8)

SET UP FOR FATHER'S DAY & RETIREMENT PARTY / FLC & kitchen

### SATURDAY, June 17 (Matthew 9:35-38)

SET UP FOR FATHER'S DAY & RETIREMENT PARTY / FLC & kitchen

### LOOKING AHEAD TO NEXT SUNDAY, June 18 (Matthew 10:1-23)

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6:00 PM FATHER'S DAY & RETIREMENT PARTY OF REV. DALLAS & BRENDA FORREN

# VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2017



Sunday, July 23<sup>rd</sup> through Thursday, July 27<sup>th</sup>

*A light dinner will be served at 5:30 pm each night.*

**6:00 pm – 8:00 pm**

**\*ages 3 – entering 6<sup>th</sup> grade\***

This year we will also be offering an adult class!

If you are interested or have any questions, please contact:

Kary Kramer

Church Office: 304-636-0660

Cell Phone: 304-642-0518

Registration Form

**Student's Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Name**  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Address**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail Address**  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Numbers --** Home \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_  
Work \_\_\_\_\_

**Age Information**  
Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_  
Last school grade completed \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Church**  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Allergies/Medical Information/Other**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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**Emergency Contacts**  
Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**Dismissal Information**  
Name(s) of person(s) who may pick up this child from VBS  
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**Other Information (church use only)**  
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Are parents helping with VBS? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, where? \_\_\_\_\_