

## COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

**JULY 29, 2018**  
**10TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

### Entrance

WELCOME / LIFE OF THE CHURCH

PRELUDE / LIGHT OF CHRIST

OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Today is a day especially created for you to find peace and hope.

**P: In the midst of our hectic lives, we surely need such a time as this.**

L: Come, rest in the Lord.

**P: Our souls long for God's refreshing love.**

L: Let the demands of your week melt away in God's presence.

**P: Refresh and restore us, O Lord, we pray. AMEN.**

OPENING PRAISE SONG - *Shout to the Lord*

PRAISE SONG - *Sanctuary*

**PRAYER OF PREPARATION - O God, we trust in Your power to create, to sustain, to enable. But, we could not trust if we did not know that You are always near. Be with us Lord, as we are gathered here to worship You. Open our hearts to accept your message for us today. We pray this in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen**

SCRIPTURE - Ephesians 3:14-21 NIV (please stand as you are able)  
(pew Bible page #950)

SERMON - "What's the Reason?"

PRAISE SONG - *Shine, Jesus, Shine*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/PASTORAL PRAYER

RETURNING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Offertory Music & Collection and Presentation of our Gifts

\*Dedicating our Gifts and our Service to God's Glory

***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.***

\*Offertory Prayer

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING— God of abundance, we thank you for the moments when we fully remember we are made in your image! Thank you for the abundant love which surrounds us and fills us. Thank you for this opportunity to share from that abundance. We pray you will use these gifts and use each of us to be the "show and tell" of your over-flowing presence in the world. AMEN

Sending Forth

CLOSING PRAISE SONG - *This is Amazing Grace*

BENEDICTION

- Community Blessing - *Here I Am, Lord (UMH #593)*

- Postlude -

Abbreviations

UMH = Hymnal (blue)

PB = Praise Songbook (black)

- Indicates to please stand as you are able

COUNTING SCHEDULE

**5TH SUNDAY COUNTERS** - Bob Parrish & Roger Thomas  
Sub counters are; Steve Thomas, Roger Thomas, Denny Hayford,  
Cristy Lane, Brody Bernshausen, Lee Lacey

LOOKING AHEAD

Weeks

**August sermon series - "3 Simple Rules in 4"**

**Aug 5th** - Worship Mtg.

**Aug. 7th** - Trustee Mtg.

**Aug 14th** - Finance Mtg.

**Aug 21st** - FMF Mtg.

EMMANUEL'S WAREHOUSE

Everyone including Sunday School kids are encouraged to bring soap and non-perishable food items for Emmanuel's Warehouse. Please place donations in the baskets, placed at each entrance.

PRAYER MEETING

During the summer we will be holding a Women's prayer meeting on Thursday afternoons at 1:00.

Please come join us as we pray.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY

If you are interested in a Bible class with WOMEN, please join us this summer, in the Chapel on SUNDAY mornings at 9:00-9:45; we will be studying "Discerning the Voice of God, How to recognize when God is speaking." By Priscilla Shirer.

~Bring a Friend!~

AFTER WORSHIP

We invite everyone for Doughnuts and Coffee after service today.

Please plan on staying and visiting with him, get to know our new Pastor.

UMW

UMW will be holding their first meeting of the summer on Aug 2nd at 9:30am. They will be discussing popcorn festival and County Store. Hope you will be able to attend.

UNSTUCK CHURCH

Let's find out where we are and where God wants us to go.

Pastor Steve will be leading a short 3 week

Unstuck Church study/planning series. It is open to all.

This series will be held on Wednesdays August 1, 8 & 15,

10:30 -11:30 a.m. or if you prefer evenings,

Sundays August 5, 12 & 19, 5:00 – 6:00 p.m.

You don't have to attend all three sessions, but it is encouraged.

You pick the day that fits your schedule.

You can even mix and match when you attend.

1st SUNDAY CHALLENGE

Next Sunday is the 1st Sunday of the month. Don't forget to bring in soap or non-perishable food items for Emmanuel's Warehouse.

# This Week at Church

Today	Sunday School Morning Worship	9:00 am 10:00 am
Wed.	Praise Band Rehearsal	6:30 pm
Thurs.	UMW Mtg.	9:30 am
Thurs.	Women's Prayer Mtg.	1:00 pm
Thurs.	Bible Study at the Howard's	6:30 pm
Sun.	Women's Bible Study	9:00 am

## Prayer Requests:

### Community Members who are serving in the armed forces:

D.J. Bridgeman      James Bridgeman      Mark Heyungs  
                                          Hannah Burks Foose

### Other Requests

Trevor Hayden      Bob & Pat Smith      Uhl & Brenda Boss  
 Nelson & Audrey  
 Caulkins      Sara & Denny Hayden      Debbie Arnold  
 Carol Ziegenbein      Don Christensen      Gordon Bauer  
 Anita Bohm

### Committee Chairs

Brody Bernshausen      Church Council Chair      620-1053  
 Diana Budke      Staff-Parish  
                                          Relations Chair      369-3534  
 Denny Hayford      Trustees Chair      840-2327  
 Patia Picken      Worship Chair      229-7624

## Inclement weather:

Due to inclement weather conditions if church service has to be cancelled we will have cancellation information posted on the Website, Facebook, and on Channels 25 & 31 news, it will also be on the church answering machine. If you still have any questions please contact the Church Council chair. (Brody Bernshausen)

## Video monitoring:

If you have to leave the worship service, for any reason, you can continue to view the service via the monitoring system in the nursery.

## WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY

GREETERS	Donna Thompson & Rebecca Switzer
HEAD USHERS	Marge & Chester Howard
ACCOMPANIST	Susan Frank
SONG LEADER	Praise Band
LITURGIST	Lee Lacey
SPEAKER	Pastor Steve Oaks
ACOLYTES	

## VITAL SIGNS

Worship Attendance July 22	59
Budget each week:	\$ 3,017
Year To Date funds received: (Includes Fund Raising & campaigns )	\$ 84,211
Year To Date Budget:	\$ 90,510

## HOW TO CONTACT US

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