

**POINSETTIAS FOR CHRISTMAS**

This Christmas we will have **RED POINSETTIAS** with gold foil in our church. The poinsettias will be delivered on Friday, December 21st. **Orders must be made via this form and returned to the church office no later than Sunday, November 25th.** NO PHONE ORDERS PLEASE!

( ) I would like to purchase \_\_\_\_\_ poinsettia(s) @ \$9.50 each.

\_\_\_\_\_ Total Amount Enclosed     Check     Cash  
(Please make checks payable to: **First United Methodist Church**, clearly marked "Poinsettias" in the memo line.) **MONIES MUST ACCOMPANY THIS FORM.**

Placed by \_\_\_\_\_  
(NAME AS IT WILL APPEAR IN BULLETIN - PLEASE **PRINT** CLEARLY)

Daytime Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

POINSETTIA IS IN MEMORY OF:    POINSETTIA IS IN HONOR OF:

1. \_\_\_\_\_    1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_    2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_    3. \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST UNITED  
METHODIST CHURCH

Our Mission:  
*"To Know Christ and to Make Him Known!"*  
November 18, 2018



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## 8:15 am Worship

The Gathering  
The Prelude For the Beauty of the Earth arr. Jay Rouse

\*The Call to Worship

\*Hymn For the Beauty of the Earth UMH 92  
\*Prayer  
\*The Passing of the Peace

Video 1  
Anthem The Merry Methodist Choir  
Give Thanks and Sing

Scripture Luke 17:11-19  
Video 2

\*Hymn Now Thank We All Our God UMH 102

Prayers for Our Community and Our World  
Video 3

Meditation The Story of Us

Reception of New Members

The Offering  
The Offertory Let All Things Now Living Welsh tune, arr. Krapf  
\*Congregational Response Bless Thou the Gifts No. 587

\*Hymn Come, Ye Thankful People, Come UMH 694

\*The Sending Forth  
\*The Choral Benediction The Merry Methodist Choir  
\*The Postlude Now Thank We All Our God Crueger, arr. Burkhardt

**LAST SUNDAY'S WORSHIP ATTENDANCE: 269**

8:15: 37 9:30: 84 10:45: 113

\*Women's Retreat: 35

**LAST THURSDAY'S WORSHIP ATTENDANCE: 70**

**LAST SUNDAY'S GENERAL FUND OFFERING: \$8,391.18**

**NEW SIGN-UP SHEETS ARE AT THE LOBBY POST FOR 2019 COOKIES FOR POLICE.** Please sign your name and phone number. Thanks!

### **FIRST CHURCH STAFF**

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***WELCOME** to this worship service where we celebrate and experience God's forgiveness through Jesus Christ. We extend a warm invitation to you to worship with us regularly. Hearing devices and large print bulletins are available from the ushers.*

**Freed-Up Financial Living:** This study focuses on transforming hearts and lives in the area of finances. Through this video-based format, you will discover the tools and develop the skills you need to prioritize your financial goals, develop a personalized spending plan, identify action steps to reduce your expenses and/or pay down your debts. If interested there will be an **organizational meeting on Thursday, December 13th at 6:30 pm in the Open Door Classroom.** Please contact Larry Guise (717-264-4065) or Leslie Gotwald (717-264-6854) with any questions. Meetings will be held on Thursdays, 6:30 pm, beginning January 3rd.

**The Joyful Jingle Shop** - You can brighten the lives of many families in our community and connect this Christmas at **The Joyful Jingle Shop on Friday, December 14<sup>th</sup>, 1- 6 pm.** Our mission is to bring the feeling of family, joy and love to our HH neighbors. One free gift item will be selected by each registered child/adult. We are seeking individual donations of new or crafted items in the \$7-\$12 range. These Christmas gifts will not only be for children, but for our vulnerable adults as well. For many, this is the only gift they receive at Christmas. **All gift and money donations are due by December 5<sup>th</sup>.** **The Joyful Jingle Shop** welcomes donations of toys, gifts, cash, cookies & time. To share in these blessings, a form to sign up and share the joy of giving this Christmas is located at the welcome desk! Questions contact: Michelle Brubaker (717-263-8391, [MBrubaker14@comcast.net](mailto:MBrubaker14@comcast.net)), Sandy Decker (717-404-4527, [lucyonthewater@gmail.com](mailto:lucyonthewater@gmail.com)) or Susie Kunkle 717-352-2562 ([spelunkin@hotmail.com](mailto:spelunkin@hotmail.com)).

**Meal Ministry/Meal Train at First UMC:** The meal ministry at First UMC helps to provide meals to families experiencing surgeries, birth, or other situations in which providing a meal is of help and comfort. The Meal Train is a popular online tool that allows friends and family the ease of signup, as well as sharing other vital information. Gail Vaughn, our wonderful Director of Congregational Care, has oversight of the meal ministry for First UMC members. Please check with Gail if you are interested in setting up a Meal Train, know of someone who might be blessed by this ministry, or to volunteer to bring a meal sometime in the future. Coordination through Gail's office (263-8491 or [parishvisitorfumc@gmail.com](mailto:parishvisitorfumc@gmail.com)) helps us make sure that we are consistent in our offers of help, ensures that we don't waste valuable resources duplicating meals, as well as ensuring that those willing to serve through this vital ministry are not hit by multiple requests. Blessings and thanks!

## 9:30 am Worship

The Gathering

Anthem

The Children's Choir

Video 1

\*Praise Set

Ain't No Rock  
So Will I  
Good Good Father

\*Prayer

Scripture

Luke 17:11-19

Video 2

The Meditation

The Story of Us

Video 3

Reception of New Members

The Offering

Counting Every Blessing

\*Closing Song

This Is Amazing Grace

\*The Sending Forth

**PLEASE LEAVE UP ALL TABLES AND CHAIRS  
FOLLOWING THE SERVICE TODAY.  
THANK YOU!**

## 10:45 am Worship

The Gathering  
The Prelude Exultation FUM Handbell Choir

\*The Call to Worship  
\*Hymn Come, Ye Thankful People, Come UMH 694

\*Prayer  
\*The Passing of the Peace

The Anthem Praise to the Lord, the Almighty The Children's Choir  
Children's Message - Video 1

Scripture Luke 17:11-19  
Video 2

Contemporary Song Counting Every Blessing See Screens  
Time of Prayer  
Video 3

Anthem The Chancel Choir  
For the Beauty of the Earth Craig Curry

The Message The Story of Us  
The Invitation

The Offering  
The Offertory Thank You  
\*Congregational Response Bless Thou the Gifts No. 587

\*Hymn To God Be the Glory UMH 98  
\*The Sending Forth  
\*The Choral Amen The Chancel Choir  
\*The Postlude Now Thank We All Our God Crueger, arr. Burkhardt

*If God has touched you in some way during the service today, and you would like to know more, please feel free to speak to any of the worship leaders. They will share with you how you can receive God's forgiveness and a new life in Christ.*



First Lights would like to replace the plush Noah's Ark toys for our littlest guests during worship. If you would like to donate to help make this happen, please contact Brianna ([kidsedfumc@gmail.com](mailto:kidsedfumc@gmail.com); 717-552-3381[text], 717-263-8491 ext. 205).

### HOLIDAY REMEMBRANCE - QUIET REFLECTION

December 3rd, 2018, 7:00 pm., FUMC Sanctuary

A time to reflect on the losses in your life and how to cope with them this holiday season.

Sponsored by:

Thomas L. Geisel Funeral Home,  
First United Methodist Church, and  
Other Area Churches and Ministries  
For more information call 717-263-8491



**Church Conference** - On Tuesday, December 4th, at 6:30 p.m., the Church Conference of First UMC will be hosted in the sanctuary of the church. Church Conference is the annual meeting of the church in which we elect officers, present reports on the parsonage, pastor's salary, and elect lay members to Annual Conference. A Church Conference means that all members of the church may vote. Everyone is invited.

**COOKIES NEEDED:** The Christmas Season is rapidly approaching, which means multiple events where tradition calls for cookies. As of now, Hospitality will be needing cookies for the **Remembrance Service on December 3<sup>rd</sup> and Christmas Eve Services at 4:00 and 7:00 pm** Please share some cheer to this Holiday season. A sign-up sheet will be posted in the lobby. As always, please indicate if your cookies contain any nuts. Thanks, Bernie.

**The Missions Team is supplying food for the YMCA Christmas Party on Tues., Dec. 11th and we would appreciate donations of cookies.** If you are baking for the holidays please consider making some extras for Sam's Kids. We need a total of 10 doz. Please sign up on the post in the lobby. Cookies should be delivered to the church kitchen by Sun., Dec 9th. If you have questions call Sue Ott at 717-753-3708. THANKS!

**CHURCH OFFICES SCHEDULE  
FOR THANKSGIVING**

November 21st, 12:00 noon - Closing  
November 22nd and 23rd - Closed



**One of our homebound members ,Carol Gillespie, has relocated and is celebrating a birthday on Thanksgiving Day, November 22nd.** Cards would be very much appreciated. Please contact the church for her address.

Thank you so much! Steve and Bobbi

*Dear First UMC,*

*Thank you for the cards, remembrances and many acts of kindness shown to us in the month of October for Pastor Appreciation Month. We treasure each one. We give God thanks for every remembrance of you.*

*Gratefully, Mike and Pastor Cathy*

**Worship Team Leader Opening at First UMC**

Our wonderful worship team leader, Mark Miller, is getting ready to retire January 1st. Mark has brought great gifts of music, worship and leadership to the 9:30 am Contemporary Worship Service. We are grateful he will remain with us on the praise team after his official duties are completed on December 31st of this year. Applications are now being sought for our next Worship Team Leader. For more information, contact Alan Parris or John Hostetler, SPRC.

The Missions Team has set up the Salvation Army Angel Tree in the former library room. **Choose an Angel and bless a child for Christmas!** A sign up list will be near the tree. Please put your name and phone number beside the name of the angel you choose. Salvation Army guidelines are available near the sign up list. The gifts need to be returned to First UMC by Sunday, Dec 9th. If you have any questions, please contact Jan Zimmerman at 717-496-5418. Thank you very much!

**THOSE ASSISTING IN WORSHIP TODAY:**

**Diaconal Minister of Music**  
(8:15 and 10:45) Linda A. Peppernick

**Accompanists**  
(8:15) Terri Stevens, (9:30 and 10:45) Dave Keller

**Merry Methodist Director**  
(8:15) Shari Ewing

**Children's Choir Director**  
(9:30 and 10:45) Beth Stahl

**Chimer**  
(10:30) Denise Lucas

**Reader**  
(10:45) Collin Moyer

**Greeters**  
(8:15) Rod Shatzer  
(9:30) Jaye and Treasa Bartle  
(10:45) Bev Barnes, Dave and Carel Fish

**Head Ushers**  
(8:15) Suzanne Everly  
(10:45) John Black

**Lead Pastor**  
Rev. Catherine Boileau, pastor4fumc@gmail.com  
263-8491 ext 210 - office  
717-887-3114 (cell - for emergencies)

**OUR SYMPATHY AND CONDOLENCES** are extended this morning to Ray and Georgia Kauffman, family and friends, at the death of Ray's brother, Robert Kauffman, who passed away on Tuesday, November 13th, 2018.

## November 18th-24th, 2018

### TODAY

- 8:15 am Praise Team Rehearsal
- 8:15 am Traditional Worship Service
- 9:30 am Contemporary Worship Service
- 9:30 am Haitian Church Sunday School
- 9:30 am Sunday School
- 10:30 am Haitian Church Worship Service
- 10:45 am Adult Bible Study: Sermon Discussion Group
- 10:45 am Blended Worship Service
- 4:30 pm Confirmation Class
- 5:00 pm OXYGEN
- 6:00 pm Haitian Church Service
- 7:00 pm College-Age Small Group Meeting
- 7:00 pm Every Man A Warrior

### MONDAY

- 11:30 am Stephen Ministry
- 6:00 pm Noah's House Board Meeting
- 7:00 pm GriefShare

### TUESDAY

- 9:30 am Merry Methodist Choir Rehearsal
- 6:00 pm Haitian Church Prayer Meeting
- 6:00 pm Leadership Meeting
- 7:00 pm Every Man A Warrior
- 7:00 pm Trustee Committee Meeting

### WEDNESDAY

- 6:15 am Men's Bible Study
- 12:00 pm Church Offices Close for Thanksgiving

### THURSDAY HAPPY THANKSGIVING

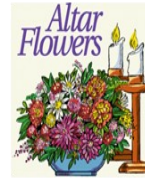
Church Offices Closed

### FRIDAY

Church Offices Closed

### SATURDAY

Haitian Church Service



**THE ALTAR FLOWERS** this morning are placed to the Glory of God in loving memory of Shirley and Susie's parents, Earl and Mary Kean, by Shirley Jones, Jed and Susie Detrich and Family.

**THE CENTERPIECE** this morning is placed to the Glory of God in loving memory of Susie Robison who would have observed a birthday on November 19th by her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

### FOR FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN IN THE SANCTUARY FOR WORSHIP TODAY:

By the doors to the overflow there are worship bags for children. Please return the bags with all its contents at the end of the service for the enjoyment of our next guest. Also, in the same area, we have a toy box with pencils, markers, books, special bulletins and notebooks for kids to use during service. Sunday School for all ages is at 9:30 am. Childcare is available at 10:45 am for children birth-2 and for kids 2-not-yet-in-Kindergarten across the hallway from the Sanctuary entrance. The Quieting room, adjacent to the Sanctuary, is available for parents to bring their young children and still be a part of worship service.

### WE WELCOME OUR NEW MEMBERS JOINING TODAY.

They are:  
**Audrey Harmon**  
Transfer from St. Paul Lutheran Church, Fayetteville, PA  
**William and Judith Paes**  
Transfer from Riverview UMC, Riverview, FL

**OUR HARVEST HOME OFFERING TODAY WILL BENEFIT THE WORLD HUNGER OFFERING FOR THE SUSQUEHANNA CONFERENCE.** The offering will be collected at the door.

**SALE OF ITEMS OF THE KNIT, CROCHET WORKSHOP ARE ON SALE IN THE LIBRARY ROOM STARTING TODAY.** We have many new items added this year, so stop by and shop. Thanks!