

✠ OUR PRAYER LIST TODAY ✠

L: Lord, in Your mercy,

P: Hear our prayers!

All those living with cancer—Muriel Boden, Ann Widener, John Chapman, Sherri Horst Clark, Jimmy Parker, Trent Lubers, Wanda Landers, Joyce, Craig Dobrinski, John Harris, Garry Howard, Ronnie Schulz, Danny, Rev. Larry Masoner, Jimmy Cole, Cleta Sims, John Fleming, Alcy Wilkie (W’CORN), Lambert Dunn (father of Jamie Sisson), Bobby Cornelson, Kristi Lamle, Terry Fuller’s son, Michale Chase, Troy Lee, Roy Ford, Hanson Sisson (Bob’s brother), Gloria Loken, Amy (sister of Dana Hoffman), Kay Tautfest, Janice Dupree, Rev. Ken Tobler, Cierra Musick Jennings.

Toys & Concerns—Family of Bill Wilmeth; Max (Cotton) Leonard; Rose Ratcliffe; Cherrie & Gerald Payne (Brookdale, Kelley Ramey’s mom); all our nursing home patients; Linda Darden (heart surgery May 30th); Juanita Meacham (aunt of Linda Agan); Lyn A.; Joyce Hamburger (medical); all world leaders; Bryan Baxter; Kaye Zimmerman (mother of Shauna Rhoads); All care-givers serving loved ones; Joy Blanton; Archer George; Jeanne Rookhuyzen; Karen & Kenny Day; Kamdyn Taunton; Kirk Milligan; those with addictions/mental illness/depression; Jason Mills; James Ediger; Armando; all those incarcerated and their families.



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH June 3, 2018 8:30 & 10:30AM 2nd Sunday After Pentecost; Color is Red

Liturgists: Skip Klingman (8:30); Logan Doyals (10:30)

✠ Please Stand As You Are Able ❖ 10:30AM Service Only

I. ENTRANCE

THE GATHERING OF GOD’S CHILDREN FOR WORSHIP

You are invited to light a candle at one of the Prayer Stations, located at the far ends of the Chancel railing.

Servant Leader Opportunities Please View the Screens

Gathering Chimes . . . Let the people enter into silence The Greeting & Opening Prayer Rev. Brack

Prelude “Bound For Glory” arr. Tammy Waldrop JuBELLation Handbell Choir; Maxine Page, director

Words of Welcome ❖❖ Gathering Song “Mighty To Save” W. & S. No. 3038 (v. 1 soloist only; congregation sings only the “Refrain”)

✠ WORDS OF GATHERING & PRAISE The same God who said, “Let light shine out of darkness,” has shone in our hearts to give us knowledge. When a creative word or vision is rare, God speaks nonetheless. When words become law, yet fail to feed and heal, the Word made flesh risks action. May Word and words empower us this hour. Let us worship God.

✠ PROCESSIONAL Hymn of Praise U.M.H. No. 261 “Lord of the Dance” (vv. 1, 2, 3) Lighting of the Altar Candles & Lifting Up the Cross

COLLECT OF THE DAY Together, let us pray . . . Mold us today, O God, we pray. Sculpt us as Your jars of clay. Brimming with Spirit, alive and new: visible bearers of life, of You. AMEN.

❖ ANTHEM “All Things Bright and Beautiful” arr. Martin Shaw All Choirs

II. PROCLAMATION and RESPONSE

❖ 3-M: MINI-METHODISTS MOMENT Ruth Boyd As children enter the Chancel, ALL SING . . . W. & S. No. 3163 “Walking in the Light of God” (first page only) [see screens]

As children return to their seats, ALL SING . . . W. & S. No. 3163 “Walking in the Light of God” (first page only) [see screens]

✠ THE LESSON II Corinthians 4:5-12 “Behold! The Wisdom of God’s Word!” Leader: And this is the Word of the Lord! People: Thanks be to God!

✠ THE GLORIA PATRI U.M.H. No. 70 HOMILY “Awesome Power Belongs to God” Rev. Brack

PRAYERS FOR OTHERS & OURSELVES PASTORAL PRAYER

III. THANKSGIVING and HOLY COMMUNION

Steward: Carol Paxton Servers: Rev. Lynn & Kelly Brack, Kellynn and Tori

A SERVICE OF WORD and TABLE II U.M.H. No. 12

PASSING OF THE PEACE Sharing signs of love and reconciliation

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING . . . God offers us peace, strength, and love. As a sign of our thanksgiving and praise, let us offer our gifts to God.

OFFERTORY JuBELLation Handbell Choir; Maxine Page, director

✠ DOXOLOGY “From Whom All Blessings Flow” U.M.H. No. 94 Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

✠ THE GREAT THANKSGIVING 8:30AM Service . . . U.M.H. No. 15 ❖ 10:30AM Service . . . Musical Setting “D” U.M.H. Nos. 23-24

GIVING THE BREAD and CUP

❖ HOLY COMMUNION HYMNS Nos. 629, 206, 593 [❖ To Be Sung as the Loaf and Cup are Shared With Those at the Holy Table] COMMUNION ANTHEM “Piano Trio No. 1, Andante Expressivo” Debussy

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AFTER HOLY COMMUNION Leader: Let us pray together . . . People: Eternal God, we give You thanks for this holy mystery in which You have given Yourself to us. We are experiencing all kinds of trouble, but we aren’t crushed. We are confused, but we aren’t depressed. We are harassed, but we aren’t abandoned. We are knocked down, but we aren’t knocked out. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of Your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.

IV. SENDING FORTH INTO GOD'S WORLD

✘ HYMN OF DISCIPLESHIP (8:30AM only) U.M.H. No. 451
"Be Thou My Vision" (all 3 vv.)

✘ COMMISSION and BLESSING

Go forth in the extraordinary power of God, to feed and be fed, to heal and be healed, knowing that wherever you go, God indeed is there. Go in peace. Amen? **AMEN!**

❖✘ PARTING SONG & RECESSIONAL W. & S. No. 3180

"As We Part for the Towns and Cities"

As we part for the towns and cities,

Where You summon us to go,

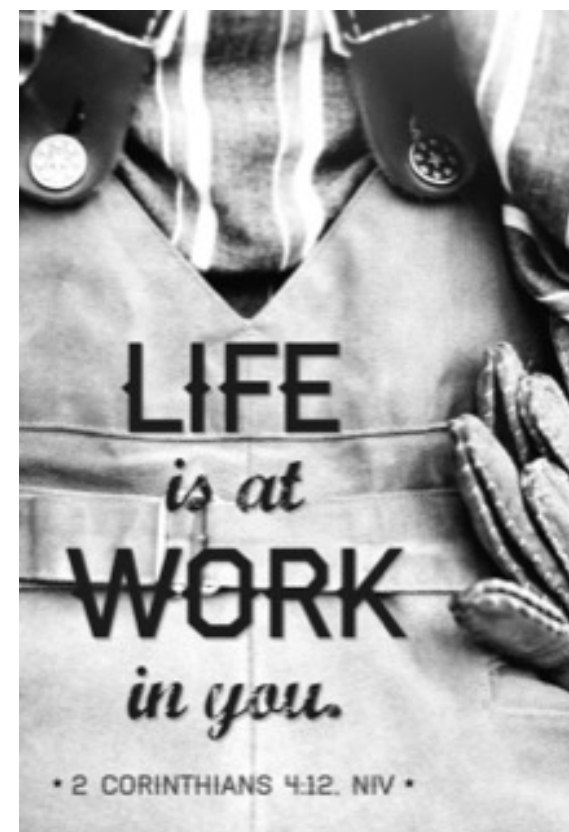
Guide us, Lord, give us strength and courage,

Teach us all we need to know.

Keep us humble, fixed on You, forever seeking, born anew.

Kindle holy fires within us; may Your Holy Spirit glow.

POSTLUDE "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" arr. Kauffmann
Marti Bessinger, organ



Today, Sunday June 3, 2018 . . .

. "First Sunday Potluck Luncheon" today in the Fellowship Hall immediately following the 10:30 service. Join us for food, fun, and fellowship! A "Card Basket" will be set up at the entrance for any who may wish to share cards with The Brack Family on this their last Sunday with us.

Kudos to Judy Sission and the SPPRC for their extra efforts today, along with Joyce Teghtmeyer and the Evangelism Committee.

. Register for a course presented by the Oklahoma Healthy Aging Initiative entitled, "Diabetes Empowerment Education Program." Classes will be in our Neonate Classroom on Tuesdays and Thursdays, 1-3PM, beginning June 12 thru July 17th. Register by calling 580-699-3977 (Rhonda David).

. THANKS to all who have committed to provide requested items for Marti & David's mission trip to the Nunya Music Academy in Ghana, Africa. Items should be placed in the green collection tub in the Narthex this week.

Upcoming Events . . .

, Next Sunday, June 10th . . .

Pastor Margo's first Sunday here. Join us for an informal "Meet & Greet" during Fellowship Coffee Time in the Fellowship Hall (9:30AM to 10:15AM). Kudos to the Genesis Class & SPPRC for hosting the event.

, You are encouraged to wear your name tag every Sunday, beginning June 10th—and wear it at least throughout the summer months. This will assist Pastor Margo in learning your name.

, Vacation Bible School, "Shipwrecked: Rescued By Jesus," will be Sunday July 15th thru Thursday July 19th, 5:30PM to 8:00PM. Light snack supper each evening at 5:30PM. Krista Brooks, director (580-603-1658).

, Sunday, June 24th . . .

6:00PM—Church-wide "Ice Cream Social" in the Angel Courtyard; "Meet & Greet" Pastor Margo and her spouse, Ron. Hosted by the Evangelism Committee.

7:00PM—Church Council meeting in the Neonate Classroom (not today as scheduled).