

✠ 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, Trent Lubers, Wanda Landers, Craig Dobrinski, , Ronnie Schulz, Danny, Rev. Larry Masoner, Jimmy Cole, John Fleming, Lambert Dunn (father of Jamie Sisson), Bobby Cornelson, Kristi Lamle, 34 y/o son of Terry Turner, Michael Chase (Lisa Clay's bro.), Troy Lee, Roy Ford, Hanson Sisson (Bob's bro.), Gloria Loken, Kay Tautfest, Janice Dupree, Cierra Musick Jennings, Rev. Ken Tobler, Donna Bradford, Charles Dillard; Dr. John Huser Sr.; Cindy Dougherty; Craig Dobrinski; Jeannie Strickland.

Joys & Concerns—Families of Derek Agan and Jake Simmons; Alene Macaulay; Cherrie Payne (Brookdale); Jason Mills; James Ediger & all those incarcerated; Country & States Leaders; Bryan Baxter; Jennifer Penner; God's love and healing; Bill Kelly; Janet Gosvell; Linle Levy; Brittni Richardson; Kirk Milligan; God's Wisdom & Guidance; Those who are grieving; David Schrimshire; Yonzell Vogt; Glennnda Walker; Shayla McCraw; Robert Macaulay; Brook Miller.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Weatherford, OK

September 16 2018

8:30AM & 10:30AM

Liturgists: Roger Penner (8:30AM); John Kokalis (10:30AM)

* Please Stand As You Are Able ♦ 10:30AM Service Only

♦Gathering Song (10:25) "The Heart of Worship" (see screens)

Words of Welcome

Meet & Greet

♦Gathering Song "How Great Is Our God" #3003 W & S

Greeting & Opening Prayer & Announcements

Chimes

Prelude "Jesus Shall Reign" Laura Anna Page

* Call to Worship:

Leader: We are gathered to give witness to the enduring realities of life.

People: We have come to affirm that life is a gift, that the gift is good, and that it comes from God.

Leader: We are gathered to renew our hope in Jesus Christ, as we travel life's long journey.

People: We find God in the paths of our present and our past, but we also trust in God's love in our future.

Leader: The same God guides us all the way, every day of our lives, and beyond life.

All: Let us praise God with our whole hearts, and entrust our lives to God's hands. Amen

*Bringing in the Light Acolytes

Hymn of Praise "Morning Has Broken" #145
(children to come forward on the closing verse)

Children's Moment Ruth Boyd

♦Hymn of Preparation "I Will Call Upon the Lord" #2002
(children return to seats)

♦ Chancel Choir Anthem "Prayer of Gratitude" by Mary McDonald

* The Gospel Lesson Mark 8:27-38
Leader: And this is the Word of the Lord!
People: Thanks be to God!

*Gloria Patri #70

The Homily "Who Is He?" Rev. Margo Vestal

Pastoral Prayer

♦ "The Lord's Prayer" (bottom of page, choral version)

Offering of Our Gifts
Offertory

*Doxology #94

* Hymn of Discipleship. #150
"God, Who Stretched the Spangled Heavens"

* Benediction

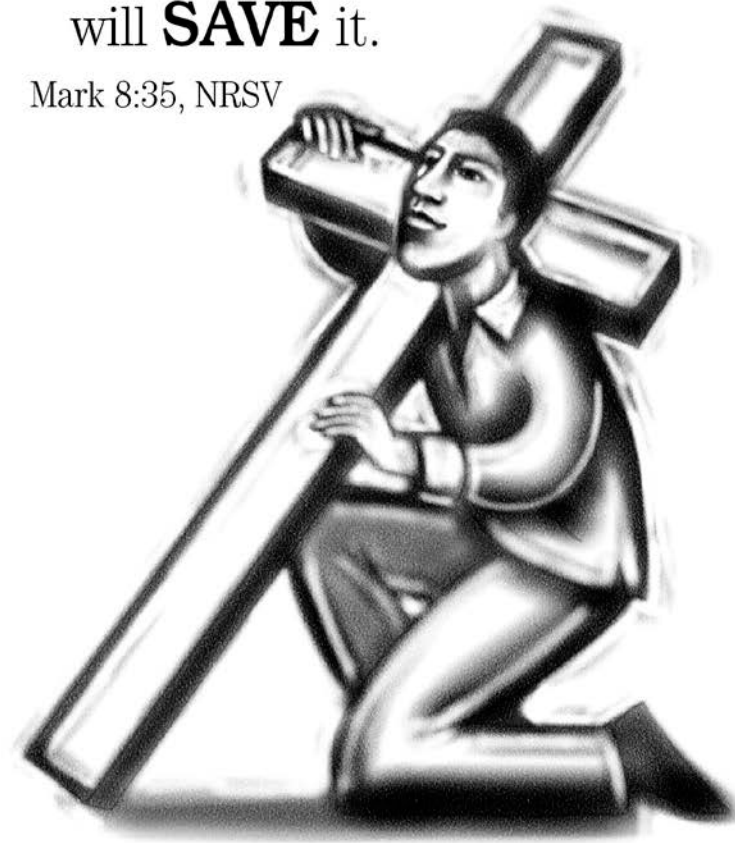
♦*Parting Song & Recessional "As We Go" #3183

Postlude "Lift Hight the Cross" Powell

Our Fa - ther in heav - en, hal - low - ed be your
name. Your king - dom come, your will be done on earth as in
heav - en. Give us to - day our dai - ly bread. For -
give us our sins as we for - give those who sin a -
gainst us. Save us from the time of trial and de -
liv - er us from e - vil, for the king - dom, the power, and the
glo - ry are yours, now and for - ev - er.

Those who want to
SAVE their life will **lose** it,
and those who **lose**
their life for my sake,
and for the sake of the gospel,
will **SAVE** it.

Mark 8:35, NRSV



He asked them,

**“But
who
do you
say
that I
am?”**

Mark 8:29, NRSV



Today, September 16:

4:30: FUMY: Movie

Monday, September 17

5:30pm Finance

7:00pm Prayer Shawl

Wednesday, September 19

4:30pm Handbell Choir

5:30pm Children's WW

6:00pm WOW

6:30pm Youth

6:45pm Chancel Choir

✓ **Children's Wednesday Evening**

Meals: Please sign up to bring food for the children and youth on Wednesday! There are 25-30 that will need food, please deliver to Fellowship Hall by 5:20pm Thanks!

✓ **Operation TLC to Commence**

Saturday, September 29th

@ 8:00am - ?

There are 4 main areas (Kitchen, Pantry, Kitchen storage area, Attic) needing cleaning, organizing and inventory. If you are able to help, lunch will be provided. If you are able to help, please sign up at the Ryden Center