

**This Week's Activities**

**Sunday** 8:45 Sunday School  
10:00 Worship  
6:00 Confirmation  
7:00 Charge Conference

**Monday** 4:00 Intercessory  
Prayer at Willow Ridge

**Tuesday** 6:30 Praise Team  
Practice

**Wednesday** 9:30 Bible Study  
1:30 Parc Hall Dev.  
3:30 UMYF & Zone 234

**Thursday** 6:00 Intensified Prayer  
Meeting

**Friday** **Offices Closed**

**Saturday** 5:30 Worship

**Last Weekend's Offering**

General Fund \$ 3856.98  
Outreach Ministries 100.00  
Youth Activities 25.00

Attendance last weekend:  
146

Happy  
Birthdays!

**October 8**

Judy Sample

**October 9**

Rosebelle Johnson

**October 11**

Dan Chism

**October 12**

Rachel Duhn

**October 14**

Esther Smith

Happy  
Anniversary

**October 8**

Joyce & Lyle Muller

**October 9**

Bev & Jim Schmidt



*Emmetsburg*

***First United Methodist Church***

*"Open hearts. Open minds. Open doors."*

**Saturday, October 8, 2016, at 5:30 p.m.**

**Sunday, October 9, 2016, at 10:00 a.m.**



***We extend to you a warm welcome to worship with  
us in the house of the Lord.***

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**GATHERING OF THE CHURCH**  
**MUSICAL PRELUDE, BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST**  
**GREETING, ANNOUNCEMENT**

# indicates to stand if you are able

**# CALL TO WORSHIP**

LEADER: Like green olive trees in the House of God,

**PEOPLE: we come into God's presence.**

LEADER: Like young saplings in the courtyard of the Lord,

**PEOPLE: we drink deep from the waters of life.**

LEADER: Like the fruit of God's vineyard,

***ALL TOGETHER: we ripen in the Light of God! We come to worship the Lord***

**# OPENING HYMN** "Lord, I Want to Be a Christian" TUMH #402

**# OPENING PRAYER** (UNISON)

***Heavenly Father, we come to worship and glorify You.  
Inspire us this day, O God, with the power of Your Holy Spirit. Revive  
our courage. With Your holy calling in our lives, rekindle our sense  
of purpose. With Your steadfast love and faithfulness, renew our  
faith and with Your gentle whisper, may we experience sublime  
intimacy with You. In the Mighty name of Jesus, we pray Amen.***

**PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE**

**TIME WITH CHILDREN** (Sunday)

**# SCRIPTURE READING** I Kings 19:9-13

**MESSAGE OF SONG** (Sunday) Church Choir  
"We Sing So All Can Hear The Story"

**# PRAISE & WORSHIP**

Shekinah Praise Team

**MESSAGE OF LIFE** "Intimacy In Silence" Pastor Louie

**JOYS-CONCERNS- PRAYERS**

Please keep Cole McDonough, Curtis Boekemeier, Matthew Childs (Grandson of Irene Goff), Deena Fries, Roger Stanley (Brother of Ray Stanley), Jon Williams, Deb Nissen (Sister-in-law of Deb Wickman), Stacey Strohman, Marlys Lee (Sister of Florence Malm), Cindy Kassel, Ted Strohman, Jane Stevens, Judy Ellis (Sister in law of Ted & Vicki Ellis), Baby Boy Gavin, Marilyn Newbauer (Sister of Jim Hoch), Adolph Knobloch (Uncle of Tami Culver), Vi Sampson, Vivian Gould, Lois Lowman, and others in your daily prayers, including those who have been hospitalized and our military members.

**OFFERTORY**

**# DOXOLOGY #95**

**# OFFERTORY PRAYER**

**# CLOSING HYMN** "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" TUMH #140

**# BLESSING**

**# SONG OF SENDING FORTH**

"Let Us Now Depart in Thy Peace" TUMH # 668

**POSTLUDE,**

**LEAVING FOR SERVICE,**

**SHARING THE PEACE**

**WORSHIP ENDS**

**SERVICE BEGINS**