

This Week's Activities

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| Sunday | 8:45 Sunday School 9:00 Choir Practice 10:00 Worship with Chancel Choir |
| Monday | 4:00 Intercessory Prayer at Willow Ridge 7:00 Dig in Bible Study |
| Tuesday | 6:00 Praise Team Practice |
| Wednesday | 9:30 Bible Study 1:30 Parc Hall 3:30 UMYF |
| Thursday | 6:00 Intensified Prayer Meeting |
| Friday | Church Offices Closed |
| Saturday | 5:30 Worship |

Last Weekend's Offering

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| General Fund | 6022.00 |
| Fellowship Hall | 1500.00 |
| Youth Activities | 20.00 |

Attendance last weekend: 110



Jan 9
Kevin & Jennifer Long
Jan 10
Chris & Kristine Frerichs



Jan 8
Maureen Horsley
Mica Magee
Jan 9
Gerard Ruiz
Jan 11
Shane Farnsworth
Mary Lou Morrison

Jan 12
Ted Ellis
Pam O'Leary
Jan 13
Jillianna Moser
Vicki Schmidt
Stacey Strohmman
Jan 14
Linda Strohmman



Emmetsburg

First United Methodist Church

"Open hearts. Open minds. Open doors."

Saturday, January 7, 2017, at 5:30 p.m.
Sunday, January 8, 2017, 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

CALL TO WORSHIP

indicates to stand if you are able

LEADER: A voice comes from heaven and calls us beloved.

PEOPLE: Water washes over us and we are changed!

LEADER: A voice tells us we are precious in God's sight.

**PEOPLE: Our love, praise and gratitude greet the Spirit
Who blesses us in Baptism.**

LEADER: Come, let us worship God, our Father Almighty!

***ALL TOGETHER: Let us worship the One who calls from the
water, the God of love and transformation!***

OPENING HYMN "When Jesus Came to Jordan" TUMH #252

OPENING PRAYER (UNISON)

***God of love, in this time of worship, help us hear You
claim us as Your own as You call us beloved; help us claim our
identity as precious and honored, even in the face of voices that tell
us differently. As we reaffirm our baptism this day, remind us who
we are and whose we are. Strengthen us to do Your work in this
world, transforming our fragmented communities into Your
Beloved Community-which Jesus preached and lived. In Jesus
Name we pray, Amen.***

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

TIME WITH CHILDREN (Sunday)

Beng Gallo

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 3:13-17

MESSAGE OF SONG (Sunday)

Chancel Choir

PRAISE & WORSHIP

Shekinah Praise Team

MESSAGE OF LIFE

Rev. Louie Q. Gallo

JOYS-CONCERNS- PRAYERS

Please keep Scott Sanne (Grandson of Pearl Whitmore), Devin Morey, Werna Ver Mulm (Mother of Dr. Dean Ver Mulm), Alice Hall (Mother of Richard Hall), Philip Christenson (Brother of Marjorie Solberg), Charlie Whitaker, John Lace, Mike & Lea Shipiull, Scott & Pat Wycott(friends & family of Denny Gonzales), Matthew Childs (Grandson of Irene Goff), Roger Stanley (Brother of Ray Stanley), Jon Williams, Deb Nissen (Sister-in-law of Deb Wickman), 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), Cole McDonough, Curtis Boekemeier, Vi Sampson, Vivian Gould, Lois Lowman, Joyce Muller, and others in your daily prayers, including those who have been hospitalized and our military members.

OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY #95

OFFERTORY PRAYER

CLOSING HYMN

"Breathe on Me, Breath of God"

TUMH #420

BLESSING

#SONG OF SENDING FORTH

"Let Us Now Depart in They Peace "

TUMH #668

POSTLUDE,

LEAVING FOR SERVICE,

SHARING THE PEACE

WORSHIP ENDS

SERVICE BEGINS