



# FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Since February 12, 1872

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*Jodi Ward*

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*Maadi Burns  
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Ushers  
*Makayla Rouse  
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Organist(s)/Pianist(s)  
*Rosemary Matthews  
Kelley Fog  
Shellee Wright*

Choir Director  
*Dave Fog*

Bell Choir Director  
*Melanie Flynn*

Computer  
*Ditch Family*

Video/Livestream  
*Keaton Duhn*

Offering Counters  
*Troy Hall  
Shayne Kogel*

Oct 23, 2022 - 20th Sunday after Pentecost

## Gathering Of The Church

#indicates to stand if you are able

### Greeting & Passing the Peace

“Peace be with you. And Also with you.”

### Praise & Worship

“First”

by Lauren Daigle

### #Call to Worship

Leader: O come, let us worship the Lord and consider what wondrous things God has done:

People: **The Magi who study the heavens follow a guiding star!**

Leader: O come, let us worship the Lord and consider what wondrous things God has done:

People: **The peoples who live in the shadows see a glorious light!**

Leader: O come, let us worship the Lord and consider what wondrous things God has done:

People: **The Christ who embodies the Word unveils the hidden plan, making us joint heirs of the promise of salvation through the gospel!**

All: **O come, let us worship the Lord, for God has done wondrous things!**

### Time with Children

Jeanelle Stokes

### Chancel Choir

### #Opening Prayer (Unison)

**Gracious God, in love you open wide the doors and welcome us into your presence-saints and sinners alike. We come with joy to meet you here and to celebrate your grace and mercy in our lives. May your Spirit inspire our praise and thanksgiving, our prayers and petitions as we worship together. Amen.**

### Opening Hymn

“Seek Ye First”

UMH#405

### New Testament Reading

Matthew 2:1-18 & 23:11-12

### Old Testament Reading

Proverbs 22:4 (CEB)

### #Response to the Word

Leader: This is the word of God for all people.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

### The Message

“Here Are Your Idols”

Pastor Lana Williams

### Joys~Concerns~Prayer

### Offering~#Doxology UMH#95~#Offering Prayer

### Closing Hymn

“I Surrender All”

UMH#354

### Announcements

### #Sending Forth Song

“God Be With You”

UMH#672(1)

### Postlude

**Worship Ends | Service Begin**

### In Our Prayers...

Marilyn Carlstrom

Jackie Hoch

Missy Hall

Josh Hobart

Carissa Fay

Lincoln Coakley

-(grandson of Joann Coakley)

Deb Nissen

-(sister-in-law of Deb Wickman)

*\*Families who have lost loved ones and are grieving*

*\*People in countries at war around the world*

*\*Those who are hospitalized or are in long term care facilities*

*\*Hospital & nursing/assisted care facility staff, essential workers, & our military members.*

*\*All individual prayer requests will be listed for 6 weeks. At which time they will be removed from the list. If you wish for a name to remain, be removed, or to be put back on the list, contact the church office at 712-852-2154. Thank You!*

### Attendance

10/16/22~95

### Upcoming Liturgists

10/30 Michelle Kogel

11/6 Danielle Ditch

11/13 Jodi Ward

### Upcoming Computer (PPT)

10/30 Ditch Family

11/6 Hudson Family

11/13 Kogel Family

### Upcoming Acolytes

10/30 Jameson Fehr

Callen Manz

11/6 Savannah Strohman

Madi Burns

11/13 Cammi Manz

Sophia Manz

### Upcoming Offering Counters

10/30 John Strohman/Cal Christensen

11/6 Ted Ellis/Greg Hoyman

11/13 Jim Hobart/Tony Salas

## Upcoming Events and Celebrations

### Birthdays...

25 Brennan Duhn

26 Marcie Frevert

Kyle Malm

Cole Shirk

28 Larry Leners

Madison Burns

Adam Herr

Matthew Hill

29 Missy Hall

30 Wade Lundgren

31 Virginia Place

Jon Williams

### Anniversaries...

27 BJ & Darci Curry

### Empowering EFUMC Ministry week of

#### Oct 9-Oct 16

**General Fund** \$ 2,969.19

**-EFT** \$ 50.00

**General Fund Total** \$ 3,019.19

**Needed Weekly** \$ 4,186.17

### Designated Funds received this month

*Wed. Worship (FLC Utilities)* \$ 110.00

*Hospitality* \$ 200.00

*FLC Bldg Fund* \$ 200.00

*ELF* \$ 50.00

*Sunday Brunch (FLC Utilities)* \$ 203.00

### Week of Oct9-16

**Trustees** \$ - - - - -

**Trustees Total** \$ - - - - -

**Two Ways to Give  
with your phone!**

**Venmo or Vanco Moblie**

**Download Vanco Plus or Venmo if  
wish to give using your phone.**

**When using Venmo the @EburgUMC  
code is 2508**

### **Sunday, Oct 23**

10:00AM Worship Service (Sanctuary)

11:00AM Confirmation

### **Monday, Oct 24**

12:30PM Card Club (FLC Classrooms)

5:00PM Just For Kix (Basement)

### **Tuesday, Oct 25**

12:30PM Card Club (FLC Classrooms)

1:30PM Bible Study (FLC)

5:00PM Just For Kix (Basement)

### **Wednesday, Oct 26**

3:00PM Coffee Time (Narthex)

5:30PM Wednesday Worship Activities

### **Thursday, Oct 27**

7:00PM AA (FLC)

### **Saturday, Oct 29**

FLC reserved for Baby Shower

### **Sunday, Oct 30**

10:00AM Worship Service (Sanctuary)

11:00AM Confirmation

## **Lay Servant Training**

Oct 29~9am-3pm

### **Hope UMC**

### **of Pocahontas County in Pocahontas**

9:00 am until 5:00 pm

There will be a basic lay servant class & two advanced classes:

Prayer and Preaching.

More information is available on the registration which can be

located by going to:

<https://iaumc-reg.brtapp.com/>

[CCLDistrictLayServantTrainingFall2022](https://iaumc-reg.brtapp.com/CCLDistrictLayServantTrainingFall2022)

This will be an in-person training. There will not be an option for joining online at this time! Cost of the class will be \$25. This will include lunch and snacks. The registration fee must be paid online at the time of registration. registration is open until 8:00 am on Monday, October 24.

Just a reminder that all lay servants must take a renewal class once every three years. We haven't had a class since last fall, but will be trying to have more trainings in the future.