

Order of Worship

THE GATHERING

WORDS OF WELCOME

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

(We invite all members and guests to provide your name, address, and telephone number on the attendance pads that are at the end of each pew.)

PRELUDE

**CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Come to Christ, all who are weary. Gather together, all who carry heavy burdens.

P: Our help is in the name of God, who made heaven and earth.

L: Christ calls, "Bear my yoke and learn from me."

P: In Christ, we see God's ways.

L: Christ promises, "I am gentle and humble in heart."

P: In Christ, we know God's love.

L: Christ proclaims, "My yoke is easy, and my burden is light."

P: In Christ, we find strength.

L: Thanks be to God through Jesus Christ, who rescues us from sin and death.

**HYMN OF PRAISE "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

Hymnal #400

OPENING PRAYER

Holy Lord, generous source of all abundance, when Abraham's servant came to the spring, thirsty and covered with dust from the trail, Rebekah offered him more than he asked for, giving him water, and water to his camels, also. Today, we come to this place, looking for rest, thirsty for the waters of life. Fill our dry, dusty hearts, until they overflow into the world around us like rivers of joy and peace. Amen.

FIRST READING Genesis 24:34-38,42-49,58-67

SPECIAL MUSIC

THE PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever Amen.

PRAYER RESPONSE

HYMN OF RESPONSE "The Lone, Wild Bird" verses 1,3,5

Don't forget to bring your donation for the **FISH FOOD PANTRY**. The pantry relies on your generous giving. We need non-perishable food items and paper products. In the Narthex there is a container for you to leave your donations.



RECYCLING HELPS THE YOUTH AND THE COMMUNITY! Collection centers are in the narthex, community center and education wing. The paper dumpster is in the back of the parking lot. Keep up the good work!

DID YOU KNOW? That Pastor Brad sends out a Weekly Community e-mail? If you would like to receive it, send a note to bgolson@aol.com.



CALENDAR FOR UPCOMING WEEK

Monday, July 7th

7:00 pm – 8:30 pm Boy Scouts 15 C

Tuesday, July 8th

1:00 pm – 3:00 pm Rebecca Circle Parlor
6:30 pm – 8:00 pm Mission Trip Training The Edge

Wednesday, July 9th

10:00 am Deadline for 7-13-14 bulletin

Thursday, July 10th

9:00 am Investment Meeting 15 C
10:00 am – 11:30 am Thursday Bible Study Parlor
7:00 pm – 9:00 pm Grief Support Parlor

Friday, July 11th

6:30 pm – 10:00 pm Movie in the Park FCC – Rain Location

Saturday, July 12th

Ushers (8:30) Eric Fleming, Robert McColaugh, Larry Russell
Ushers (11:00) Paul Pinkerton, Bill Short, Rick Smith, Rob Smith
Ed Stiham, Dick Strous
Brenda Boroff

Greeters (8:30)
Greeters (11:00) Carol Stewart
Organist Mark Manley
Chancel Choir Director James McPeck
Bell Choir Director

6-29-14 Offering \$8345.00
Weekly needed \$10,419.00



SANCTUARY ALTAR FLOWERS are given by James and Joyce Osburn in celebration of their wedding anniversary.

PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY to the family of Requa Bone on her death.

BAPTISM: Luisa Violet Zerling, daughter of Georg & Emily Zerling, sister of Gretchen, granddaughter of Mike & Betsy Murray is being baptized today. The book was given by the Christian Education Committee and the lamb was given by the United Methodist Women.

YOUTH NEWS

YOUTH – CONNECT YOUR HEART TO GOD!

Summer Youth...Today! We are heading to John Wolf's pool for a celebration of Jesus and Water...Think swimming pool and snacks. We will have a message about Jesus and the gift He has given us. Permission slip and Family Information Card required. Meet at Faith @ 1:30p and return to Faith @ 4:00p. Join us for a fun series about the Trinity for the summer.

Think God/Ice (June), Jesus/Water (July) & Holy Spirit/Steam (August 10). Our Wednesday 'normal' will start up again in September.

CINCINNATI MISSION TRIP TRAINING

Tuesday, July 8th from 6:30pm-8:00pm we will meet in The Edge to continue our preparation for our upcoming trip. Don't miss out.

YOUTH HELP NEEDED:

Caring Place Meal – Thursday, July 10th. Prep from 10am-12pm and serving from 4pm-8pm (permission slip required for serving time at Lutheran church, located in fh bins)

DAYTON DRAGONS GAME YOUTH OUTING

Monday, August 4th, Leave @ 5:30pm, Arrive @ 10:30pm

Cost \$13 which includes ticket & ball cap. Bring money for souvenirs & food. Permission Slip & Family Information Card required (in fh bins). Deadline for tickets July 27th. Limited # Available. Contact Susan for more info - 372.7601

HUNGRY PEOPLE FEED – Approximately 170 meals were served on Tuesday at St. Paul UMC in East Dayton. The inside picnic was served by volunteers from FCUM and Oldtown UMCs. Thank you for serving in such hot weather. A good time was had by all! If you would like to help with future meals at St. Paul contact Jim Osburn or Ruthanne Lamb.

WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO BE ON OUR PRAYER TEAM? We have a Prayer Request link on our website and have prayer requests from the congregation and from the community that are submitted for prayer. The prayer requests are confidential within the prayer team. Everyone on the team is asked to pray for those requests for seven days. The information is emailed to the prayer team so that everyone gets the same information and can pick it up daily at their convenience. If you are willing to try it just go to the church website (fcum.org), click on the Prayer Request link, then put in your name and email address. In the space for prayer requests you can say that you want to be added to the prayer team, then click the Submit button and we will add your email address to the team. If you don't have access to the internet you can be put on our phone prayer team by calling Bruce Pickelheimer at 937/376-2361.

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SERMON NOTES

July 6, 2014

"Are You Weary"

Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30

****AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

We believe in God, who created our world and every living thing in it. Because all people in all places are God’s children, we believe they have the right to be treated with dignity.

We believe in Jesus Christ, who died on the cross to save us from our sins. We understand and believe that the power of his redeeming grace is available to all who seek it. As recipients of that grace, we also believe we are called to live out and share the good news of the gospel.

We believe in the power of the Holy Spirit to make all things new through God’s grace and love. As we are forgiven, so must we forgive others. We believe in the Triune God, who continues to create, wash us clean in the baptismal water and inspire and empower us to serve in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

****GLORIA PATRI**

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

WORSHIP WITH TITHES AND OFFERINGS

(The ushers will receive our morning offering to support the many vital ministries through Faith Community.)

OFFERTORY

****DOXOLOGY**

Hymnal #**95**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

****PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

****GOSPEL**

Matthew 11:16-19,25-30

L: *The Word of God for the people of God.*

P: **Thanks be to God!**

SERMON

"Are You Weary"

Pastor Brad Olson

BAPTISM_(11:00)

Luisa Violet Zerling

CONGREGATIONAL WELCOME

With God’s help we will so order our lives after the example of Christ, that Luisa, surrounded by steadfast love, may be established in the faith, and confirmed and strengthened in the way that leads to life eternal.

****CLOSING HYMN**

"Lord of the Dance"

Hymnal #**261**

****TAKING THE LIGHT INTO THE WORLD**

****BENEDICTION**

****POSTLUDE**

When was the last time you were weary?

What was making you feel that way?

What was making Jesus weary?

What is the difference between physical rest and soulful rest?

What does it mean to "take my yoke?"

What do you do to learn from Jesus?

What is the last thing you learned about restful living?

What does it mean to be "humble in heart?"

When have you experienced God’s gentleness?

What will you do this week to find "rest for your soul"?



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TRADITIONAL WORSHIP BULLETIN

Sunday July 06, 2014

WORSHIP SERVICES

8:30 & 11:00 A.M.	Traditional Worship in Sanctuary
10:30 - 11:00 A.M.	Social Time in F. Hall A & B
11:00 A.M.	spirit.fire in Community Center
11:00 A.M.	Children's Church Room 12

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

9:30 A.M.		
Rob & Shannon Smith	Preschool	Room 5
Julie Wickline	K - 2nd grade	Room 12
Bob Steen	3 – 5th grade	Room 11
Virginia Pinkerton Susan Fellie	Combined Youth	Room 8
Adult	Explorers Class	Room 6
Adult	Double I	F. Hall 15 C
Adult	Open Doors	Room 1
Adult	Friends and Followers	Room 3
Adult	Young Spirits Revisited	Room 4
Women	Ladies Only	Room 7

Nursery care is available during all services in Room 2

**** (Indicates please stand if able)**