

Happy Birthday!

- 5 Beth Habicht
Jeremy Roelfs
Jim Shore
- 6 Ken Elsing
Doris Palmer
- 7 Lois Carlberg
Mary Prins
- 8 Zachary Hendel
Joan Moore

Happy Anniversary!

- 10 Larry & Nancy Hyink

Church Family

Prayer List

Each week throughout the year, we pray intentionally for families from all of our churches - please include these families in your prayer life this week.

Jorge & Julie Lopez & Ben
Marcus & Kelly Maras & family
Arya Marsh
Paul & Cheryl Matties
John & Sandi Mead & family
Henry & Elaine Mess
Heidi Meyer
Tim & Kari Meyer & Claire
Logan & Arianna (Lopez) Miller
Allan & Carroll Miller
Dennis & Stacie Miller
Marlene Miller

Let's remember to visit those who are in Care Centers or are homebound: especially reach out to Jenola Uden, Bruce Lease, Betty Taarud, Lois Carlberg, Margaret Loger, Mary Prins, Claribel Grussing, LaDee Grant, and Ron & Karen Lawrence.

One visit goes a long way!



PRAYER CORNER

Prayers for immediate health concerns:

Bruce Lease	Henry Mess
Marlene Wieneke	LaDee Grant
Tom Vagt	Janelle Johnson
Steve Potts	Tim Yager
Ajulo Ochala	Pat Huisenga
Sharlene Hohensee (Paula Behren's mother)	
Mary Prins (dealing with arthritic conditions)	

Persons impacted by COVID 19:

Covid long-haulers

Prayers for those dealing with cancer:

Connie Bremer (Betty Taarud's daughter)
Laurie Blume
Christopher Allen Brown
Scott Klooster
Makenzie Gist (Nancy Galland's niece)
George Dinsmore (Cheryl Dinsmore uncle)

Persons recovering/dealing with health issues:

Emma Schnyders	Nancy Hyink
Gerald Fisher	Claribel Grussing
Kristi Johnson	John Clease
Weston Erlandson	Bill Carlberg
Steve Timmons	Monica Veil
Ken Bipes	Phil Glembin
Karen Schulz	Ariana Lopez
Aiden Remme	Mike Miller

For those dealing with grief and loss...

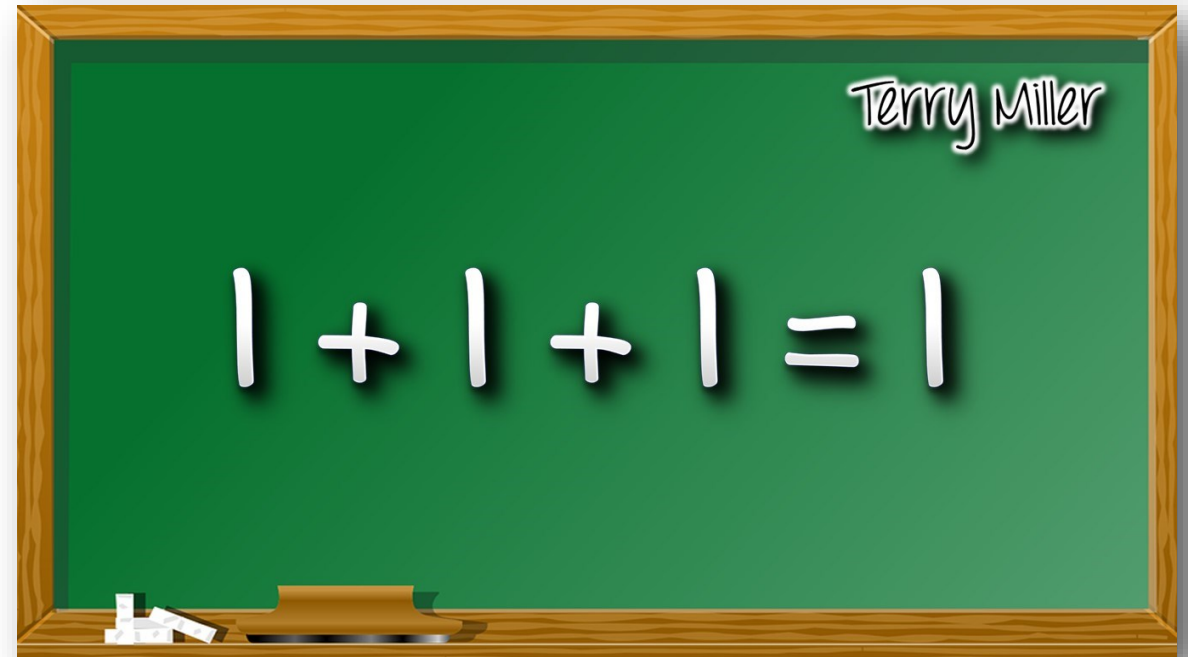
The family of Raymond and Arlene Jaycox
(Chad's parents) - services were held on
Friday, June 2 at United Methodist Church
in Lake Park.

Praying for:

Our Bishop and District Superintendent...
Our teachers, administrators, students...
Front line health care workers...
Law enforcement & emergency workers...
Service women & men and their families...
The Minnesota Annual Conference...

If you have a loved one you would like to have added to the Prayer Corner list, or if any name needs to be removed from this list, please contact the church office:

507.372.2939 methodistoffice@gmail.com



Trinity Sunday, June 4, 2023
Worship - 10:30 a.m.



livestream links

The Boxcast TV Channel

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First UMC FaceBook Channel

First UMC Website

(<http://firstumcworthington.com/>)

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Rev. Dr. Daren Flinck

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Lori Nienkerk

FAMILY LIFE:

Gretchen O'Donnell

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Dick & Denise Schlichte

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Carolyn Beerman

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Jeanette Jensen

CHOIR ACCOMPANIST:

Brenda DeSmith

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Sunday, June 4, 2023

10:30 a.m.

Worship Leader:

Terry Miller

Accompanist: Carolyn Beerman

UMH - United Methodist Hymnal



Please stand as you are able

CENTERING WORDS ¹

"For the Lord is righteous, he loves justice; the upright will see his face."

PRELUDE

WELCOME - ANNOUNCEMENTS

We Come to Worship God

PRAISE

UMH #85 - *"We Believe in One True God"*

CALL TO WORSHIP ²

*The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.*

And also with you.

All glory to our living God!

All praise to our Creator!

Glorious in splendor, glorious in majesty!

Let us worship God together!

All glory to our living God!

**Let all the earth cry "Glory! To the Father,
to the Son, and to the Spirit, one!"**



PRAISE

UMH #152 - *"I Sing the Almighty Power of God"*



OPENING PRAYER ³

Father, you sent your Word to bring us truth and your Spirit to make us holy.

Prayer Time

Every Wednesday morning at 11:30 a.m. in Emmanuel Chapel. Please join us if you are interested.



Women's Summer Bible Study

All women are invited to a summer Bible study on Women and Men in the Old Testament. We will meet in June and July on Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m. in the Fireside Room. The books are in and can be picked up from Gretchen at any time. Cost is \$24. We still have a few left if anyone wants to join us who has not yet signed up. Book scholarships are available.

Fireside Book Club

Our next church book club event will be on June 29 at 7:00 p.m. in the Fireside Room. We will be discussing the book, Defying Jihad, by Esther Ahmad. Please purchase or borrow the book on your own and come with it read in full, ready to discuss!

The Banquet

Mark your calendar – we are scheduled to serve at The Banquet in Sioux Falls on Monday, August 7th. We will need volunteers to help with meal prep and serving the meal. Watch for more details.

Operation Christmas Child

We will again be collecting items for the Operation Christmas Child boxes that will be packed in November. Over the last three years with the generous monetary donations and items that have been donated we have been able to pack many boxes. Starting in March and through October, each month we will highlight an area of items that are needed; you may give a monetary donation (Please make check payable to 1st UMC and put OCC on the memo line) at any time which will go towards buying additional items that are needed or for postage to help ship the boxes overseas.

There is a list available in the narthex of the items that are needed and will be collected throughout the next months; you can donate any of those items at any time. You will still have the option to pack a box on your own, if you wish. The age groups that the boxes will be packed for are ages 2-4, 5-9 and 10-14 for both boys and girls.

For the month of June we will be collecting WOW items for boys and girls. A WOW item is something that will capture the child's attention when they open their box. Ideas for girls are small baby dolls with accessories, Barbie doll, small musical instruments (recorder or harmonica), small backpack, stuffed animals, soccer ball with a pump, small purse. Ideas for boy are toy trucks and cars, small musical instruments (recorder or harmonica), small backpack, stuffed animals, soccer ball with a pump.

The Mission Committee thanks you for your interest and consideration in this project. If you have any questions, please contact Pam Soderholm.

Pastor Angel & Lourdes Receive Award

At this year's Minnesota Annual Conference, Pastor Angel & Lourdes Franco received the Harry Denman Award for Evangelism in Reaching New People. The 169th session of the Minnesota Annual Conference was held last week in St. Cloud.

The Harry Denman Evangelism Award program honors United Methodists in each annual conference whose exceptional ministry of evangelism – expressed in Word (what), Sign (why), and Deed (how) – brings people into a life-transforming relationship with Jesus Christ. Pastor Angel and his wife Lourdes have been building a new Latino church community at Worthington: First UMC since September of 2022. Congratulations, Pastor Angel and Lourdes!

Sewing Days for OLC Boxes

The Night Lite Circle & Missions will be sponsoring sewing days on Wednesday, June 14 from 1-4 pm, Thursday, June 15 from 10-4 pm, and Friday, June 16 from 10 am - 2 pm. We will need helpers to iron, cut fabric and of course sew! Bring your sewing machine if possible, but we will have a few available for use those days. We will be sewing dresses, shorts, and bookbags. A light lunch will be served. Hope to see you there! If you have any questions, please contact Myra Palmer at 507-360-0881 or Dianne Dalrymple at 507-360-5886.


Twins Game - Saturday, July 8th @ 1:10 pm

C'mon Twins Fans - join with your friends and neighbors from First United Methodist Church in Worthington to watch the Twins take on the Baltimore Orioles. Game day is Saturday, July 8th at 1:10 pm. We are taking a charter bus to make the entire trip enjoyable (the bus will leave from the front of the church at 8:00 a.m.). There are still a few tickets remaining! Our reserved seats will be in Section 102 - down the right field line. The total cost for each ticket is \$44.00 per person (bus cost is being supported by the First UMC Foundation). Sign up before June 12th!

Card of Thanks

I would to thank Daren and my church family for cards and prayers in the passing of my brother. Thank you.

Doris Palmer

	Last Week's Offering	\$ 4,167.00
	Carry Over Revenue (2022):	\$ 31,543.00
	Revenue Year to Date:	\$ 135,956.41
	Expenses Year to Date:	\$ 141,209.90
Thank you for your faithful giving!		

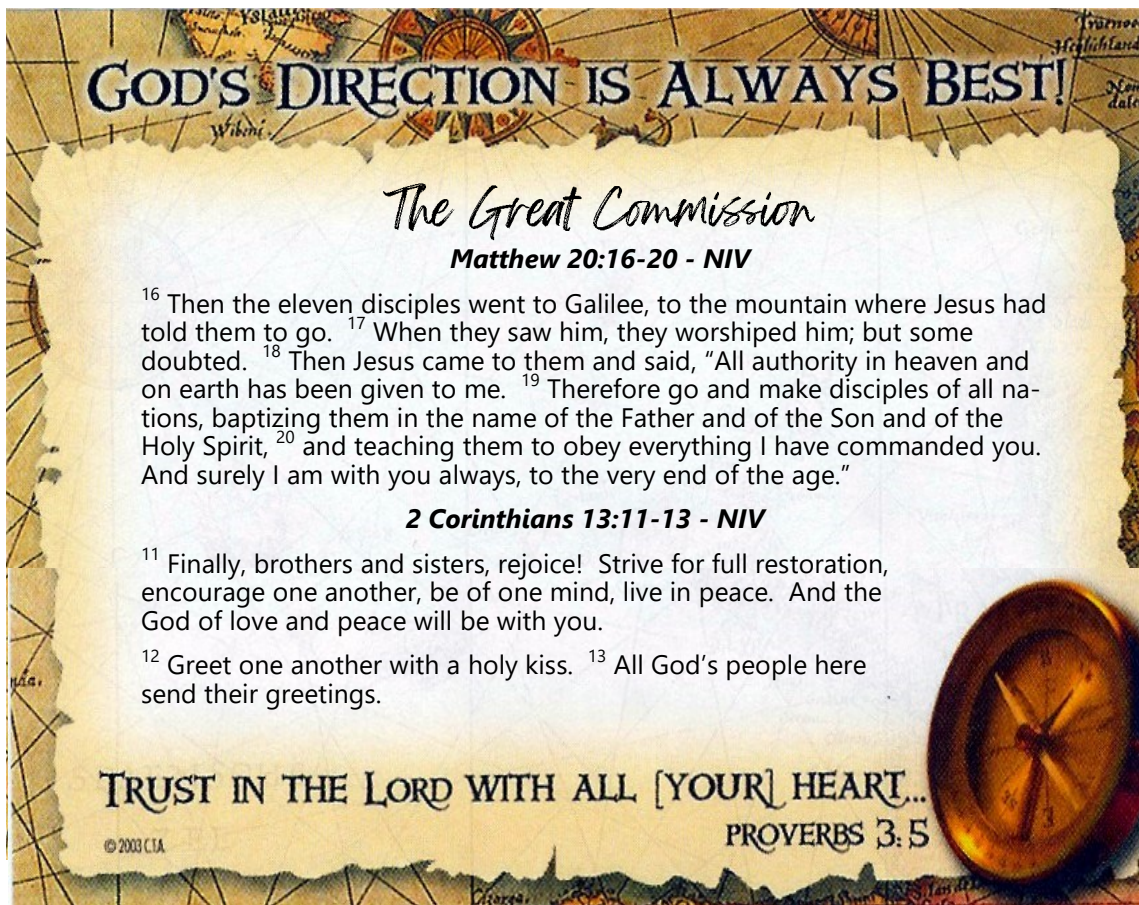
Through them we come to know the mystery of your life. Help us to worship you, one God in three Persons, by proclaiming and living our faith in you. Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

- MOMENTS WITH THE YOUNG CHRISTIANS
- PRAYERS of the PEOPLE - THE LORD'S PRAYER
- PRAISE UMH #70 - "Glory Be to the Father"
- We Hear God's Word
- THE SCRIPTURE LESSON Psalms 8, Matthew 28:16-20
2 Corinthians 13:11-13
- MESSAGE "One Plus One Plus One Equals One"
- We Respond to God's Word
- RECOGNITION OF OFFERING
(please place your offering in the plates as you depart worship)
- ✚ DOXOLOGY UMH #94 - "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"
- ✚ PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING
- We Go Forth to Serve God
- ✚ PRAISE Verse 1 only of UMH #672 - "God Be with You till We Meet Again"
- ✚ THE BENEDICTION - ✚ POSTLUDE

Worship Attendance	Last Sunday	LIVE STREAM VIEWS	127
ADRIAN UMC	24	CRISTO EN TU AYUDA	21
FIRST UMC	59	TOTAL	231

Don't Forget!

Next Sunday's worship service for First UMC will be at 10:00 a.m. at Sailboard Beach in Worthington. Bring a lawn chair!



Card of Thanks

I would like to thank the members of the First United Methodist Church and Pastor Daren Flinck for allowing the use of the church and the grand piano in the sanctuary for my students to perform their recital pieces during their Spring Piano Recital 2023.

It was very special for them to get to perform on this outstanding instrument. I very much appreciate that my students were so fortunate to get to play their recital pieces in our church!

I also want to express my thanks to Rick Dalrymple for taking time out of his day, May 21st to livestream the recital for my student's families.

Thank you, Rick!

Elizabeth Swanson-Bushard

Care Center Residents:

The Meadows Memory Care Unit

First UMC:

Karen Lawrence

South Shore Care Center

First UMC:

Lois Carlberg LaDee Grant

Mary Jane Brown Center

Adrian UMC:

Mary Prins

Adrian Country Living Cottage

Adrian UMC:

Margaret Loger

Sunrise View Assisted Living

First UMC:

Claribel Grussing

Live Streaming...

You can catch our live stream broadcast on your smartphone, iPad, Smart TV or computer at on any one of four different app channels or online websites:

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This Week

SUN

6:30 am

Worship Re-Broadcast on TV3

9:00 am

Worship @ Adrian

10:00 am

Coffee Fellowship (FH)

10:30 am

Worship @ First

1:00 pm

Cristo En Tu Ayuda @ First

MON

3:00 pm

Worship Re-Broadcast on TV3

5:30 pm

Community Kid's Camp at First

TUES

9:30 am

Women's Coffee at HyVee

3:00 pm

Worship Re-Broadcast on TV3

5:30 pm

Community Kid's Camp at First

WED

7:00 am

Men's Breakfast @ Blue Line

10:00 am

Bible Study (FS)

11:30 am

Prayer Time (Chapel)

5:30 pm

Community Kid's Camp at First

THUR

5:30 pm

Community Kid's Camp at First

Sat

1:00 pm

Virginia's Quinceanera Party

FH, Kitchen & Sanctuary

SUN

6:30 am

Worship Re-Broadcast on TV3

9:00 am

Worship @ Adrian

10:00 am

NO Coffee Fellowship

10:00 am

Worship @ REGATTA

1:00 pm

Cristo En Tu Ayuda @ First

Community Kids' Camp!

This week, First UMC will be hosting the Community Kids' Camp, a joint effort between First, Living Waters Covenant, American Lutheran and First Lutheran churches. The camp starts Monday, June 5th from 5:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.. It will be held Monday through Thursday. See you at camp!