

*Closing Hymn *Our Parent, by Whose Name*
Vs. 1 Choir, Vs. 2, 3 Congregation

#447

*Blessing

You are invited to be seated to enjoy the Postlude.

Postlude: *Spirit of God* arr. Mark Hayes

FIRST UNITED METHODIST



May is
PERSONAL HYGIENE Month

Soap, powder, toothpaste, mouthwash,
shampoo, conditioner, deodorant

*Please bring in your
donations. Baskets are
located at either entrance.*



Enjoy an evening of
fun & fellowship
on **Thursday, July 14**
@ **7:05pm.**

Tickets are \$13⁵⁰ - available until noon June 30.

Contact Teresa Shaffer at 419/238-0631 ext 307
for more information or to purchase tickets.

opponent:
Lansing Lugnuts

\$2⁰⁰ of each ticket sale will go to the Youth Group!

Home
IMPROVEMENT



FIRST united
methodist CHURCH
113 W. Center Ave. | Van Wert, OH 45891 | 419/238-0631 | vanwertfirst | fudchurch@wool.com

May 29—September 4

Join us in-house or online.

ONE SERVICE @ 9:30AM

The nursery and AWE will be available each week.



MAY 10 - 16
will be set up in
Krout Memorial
over Sunday, May 15

SHOPPING HOURS:

8:30am - Noon Monday - Thursday
7:00pm - 8:00pm Thursday, May 12th

Check out [scholastic.com/fair](https://www.scholastic.com/fair)
select 1ST UNITED METH NURS or 45891



Ignite Van Wert 2022 - July 21-23

HELP IS NEEDED AS WE SERVE THE COMMUNITY!

SCHEDULE FOR THE DAY:

7:00 - Breakfast @ LifeHouse Church 5:00 - Dinner @ LifeHouse Church
7:30 - Announcements / Devotions 6:30 - Testimonies from the day
8:00 - Head to job sites 7:00 - Evening Worship Service
12:00 - Sack lunch on the job site

Contact Teresa Shaffer for more information

Meet The Parents

"Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. "Honor your father and mother"—which is the first commandment with a promise— "so that it may go well with you and that you may enjoy long life on the earth."

Fathers, (Parents) do not exasperate your children; instead, bring them up in the training and instruction of the Lord."

Ephesians 6:1-4

Pastor Chris Farmer

Traditional Worship

May 8, 2022

10:45 a.m.

First United
Methodist Church
Van Wert, OH

WELCOME

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

10:45AM
MAY 8, 2022

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

Embracing, equipping & empowering persons to
know and follow Christ.

CONTACT US

We are so glad you have joined us today! We want you to feel at home. You can find out what is happening at First Church on our website: www.vanwertfirst.net and check out our Facebook Page for inspiration and information.

Of course, we do have a telephone: 419-238-0631

And the post office finds us at 113 W. Central Avenue, Van Wert, OH 45891

KID'S MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES AT 10:45

Nursery Ministry (infant to age 2) is located near the Jefferson Street entrance. You may drop your child off at any time during the service. There are also rocking chairs located at the back of the sanctuary for your use.

AWE our Alternative Worship Experience is for children, age K and up. Children will be dismissed from the service. Children may be picked up at the Scheidt Room (Kindergarten & up). Preschool Movin & Groovin in Faith (ages 3-5 years) will be upstairs in Room 203 and can be picked up there after worship.

Pastor: Chris Farmer
Liturgist: Noah Carter
Organist: Scott Turner
Choir Director: Paul Hoverman
Acolyte: Elora Kramer
Sound Engineer: Ron Allison
Projectionist: Grace Dowler
Videographer: Dave Thompson
Greeter/Usher Coordinator: Neil Shaffer



*Denotes please stand if able

Please sign the attendance pad located in each pew.

Order of Worship Welcome and Moments of Sharing

Welcome

Noah Carter

Prelude *Adagio from Trombone Quartet*- D. Bourgeois/ Gloria Wendel-organ/Scott Turner- piano arr. Scott Turner

Announcements

Choral Introit *This Is The Day The Lord Has Made*- M. Hayes

***Call To Worship**

Leader: Praise to God our Maker, for He is good.

People: His Kindness endures forever.

Leader: Praise to God, our sustainer, for He is good.

People: His strength will never fail.

Leader: Praise to God, our redeemer, for He is good.

People: His grace is our everlasting sufficiency.

Leader: Praise to God, our eternal hope, for He is good.

People: His Love will never be quenched.

*** Hymn** *He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought* #128

*** Opening Prayer : We approach you, Heavenly Father, God of Heaven and earth, not as a great and terrible judge, ready to condemn us for our faults, but as a wise and loving Father, aware of our needs, forgiving of our wanderings and ready to receive us in love with a smile. Amen.**

Giving of Tithes & Offerings

Offertory: *Legende* by Edward Broughton

*Doxology: *To God be the Glory* #98 Vs. 1

*Prayer of Gratitude

Chat with the Children

Christie Wendel

Worship through Praise

Anthem *Fix These Words*- W. Schurr (taken from Deuteronomy 11:18-21)

Chancel Choir

Worship with the Word

***Scripture Lesson** Ephesians 6:1-4

***Gloria Patri** *Glory Be to the Father* #70

Series: Home Improvement

Message *Meet the Parents* Pastor Chris Farmer

Prayer Hymn *Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart* #500 Vs. 1, 5

Prayer Moments

Lord's Prayer (use trespasses

Choral Amen