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*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.

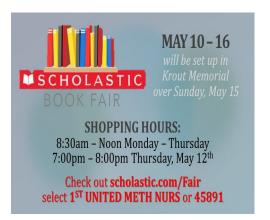
Tickets are \$13⁵⁰ - available until noon June 30.

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



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







Ignite Van Wert 2022 - July 21-23

HELP IS NEEDED AS WE SERVE THE COMMUNITY!

SCHEDULE FOR THE DAY:

7:00 - Breakfast @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 Wendelorgan/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

MessageMeet the ParentsPastor Chris FarmerPrayer HymnSpirit of God, Descend upon My Heart#500 Vs. 1, 5

Prayer Moments

Lord's Prayer (use trespasses

Choral Amen