

8:15 AM ORDER OF WORSHIP

World Communion Sunday

October 6, 2019

The Gathering

Please sign the attendance pad located in each pew.

Worship through Praise

Leader: Awake, O sleeper and rise from the dead.

All: And Christ will shine on you.

Welcome & Announcements

Al Arnold

Prayer Chorus

Prayer - in unison

Heavenly Father, we pray you strengthen us with the power of your Spirit. May our faith allow you a home in our hearts. Allow us to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ. Root us in this love. Establish us in this love. Fill us to full measure with You. We ask this in Jesus name. Amen

Worship with Offering

Demond Johnson

*Scripture Lesson

2 Timothy 2:15; Colossians 3:16; Jeremiah 33:1-3

Al Arnold

The Message

Series: Awakening

Pastor Chris

Living the Awakening 1

Holy Communion

Song

Benediction

Pastor Chris

Praise Team Leader: Wayne Wells
Nursery: Ann Adam Welcome Table: Matt Proctor

LET'S TAKE SOME NOTES!

Living the Awakening 1

2 Timothy 2:15; Colossians 3:16; Jeremiah 33:1-3

Big Idea: Consistent spiritual practices keep awakenings alive.

_____ God loves His children. (Matthew 3:13-17)

_____ the Spirit's power to _____. (Jeremiah 33:3)

_____ the Spirit's strength to choose _____.
(Matthew 5:7, 6:14-15)

Forgiveness Remember Change Realize Reclaim

10:45 AM ORDER OF WORSHIP

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Voluntary *When Morning Guilds the Skies* Springer

Piano - Annette Hoverman, Organ - Gloria Wendel

Lighting of Altar Candles

WORSHIP THROUGH PRAISE

*Call to Worship

Psalms 95:1-2

Leader: Come, let us sing to the Lord! Let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation.

Congregation: Let us come before Him with thanksgiving and extol Him with music and song.

*Hymn

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

#384

Opening Prayer

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WORSHIP WITH GENEROSITY

Giving and Receiving of our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

When We Are Living

E. Diemer

*Doxology

Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow

#95

*Prayer of Dedication

WORSHIP WITH THE WORD

*Scripture

2 Timothy 2:15; Colossians 3:16; Jeremiah 33:1-3

Message

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WORSHIP THROUGH RESPONSE

Chancel Choir

Lord, I Come to Your Table

M. Weston

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Invitation

Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer

Distribution of the Elements

Prayer

***Hymn** *There Is a Fountain Filled with Blood* #622

Vs. 1, 2 - All, Vs. 3 - Women, Vs. 4 - Men, Vs. 5 - All

TAKING HIS LIGHT INTO THE WORLD

*Choral Benediction

J. Leavitt

Go, My Children, with My Blessing

***Postlude** *Let All Things Now Living* Nielson & Young

Piano - Annette Hoverman, Organ - Gloria Wendel

*Indicates an Invitation to Stand

Participants in 10:45 worship

Lead Pastor:

Chris Farmer

Dir Student & Adult Ministries:

Demond Johnson

Liturgist:

Ned Compton

Organist:

Gloria Wendel

Choir Director:

Paul Hoverman

Acolytes:

Ashlynn Shaffer & Ansley Schwab

Sound Engineer:

Ron Allison

Welcome Table:

Dick Atwood

Nursery:

Dale & Lisa Butler

2-3 year olds:

Sammi & Kirby Joseph

FUMC PRAYER CONCERNS Michaella Johnson - voice, Tom Lippe (father of Cheryl Kopp -stroke), Mona Scheidt - chronic fatigue, Tom Witten - health, Joy McCleery - vertigo, Terrel Eddins - car accident, Jacob Scheidt - diabetes, Bella Hurless - rehab, Linda Jeknovorian - health, Matt Krites - treatment, Lillian Mae Massillo - premature birth, Scott Mendenhall - health.

Please see the long term prayer list in the Friendly Visitor for other prayer needs or check the website under the drop down menu "newsletters" @www.vanwertfirst.net.

Military: Caleb Kreisler, Evan Wells, Bryan Zinsmaster, Conner Gordon, Noah Sease, Nick Gutierrez, Ben Scheidt, Gerald Christobaker, Ethan Glass, Michael Hellman, Greg Henry

Missionaries & Ministries: Stephen Ministry, Stand for Truth Ministry, Jeanne & Gaston Ntambo, Mission of Hope - Haiti.

TRUNK OR TREAT

Saturday, October 26
10am-12pm



Decorate your car & display it in the city parking lot across from First Church.

Bring enough treats for 300+ children!

Events will also be happening downtown Van Wert.

BAKED POTATO BAR

Youth Fundraiser

Carryout Available



OCTOBER 13 @ 11:30AM

Immediately following worship in the Fellowship Hall



MENU:

BAKED POTATO

SALAD

TOPPINGS BAR

DESSERTS

PUNCH

COFFEE

Proceeds to local and international Youth Mission Trips
Please join us for worship at 10:45 and then stay for the meal!
Thank you for your support of our youth and missions!

PRICES:
Adults - \$7.00
Children under 11 - \$4.00

Baked goods may be dropped off at the church by 3:00 on Thursday, October 17 or brought to the booth on Friday or Saturday morning. Please use clear plastic wrap, mark what the item is and whether it contains nuts. Baked goods from ANY 1st Church member are greatly appreciated. All proceeds benefit local mission projects.

Apple Festival @
Van Wert County
Fairgrounds

Be sure to visit the
First United
Methodist Women's
Baked Goods table

October 18th and 19th



October is Baby Shower month for the Pregnancy Life Center.

What is needed: hygiene products like baby wash, lotion, A&D cream, wipes; NEW diaper bags; NEW and GENTLY USED baby girl clothes up to size 4T. They so appreciate your donations.

Drop your donations in the Pack & Play by the office.

What's Happening THIS WEEK

Come Join Us!



Sunday, 10/06	9:30am 9:15-10:30am 10:45am 5—7:00pm	Sunday School for all ages Coffee & Donuts - Krout Worship MS & HS Youth. Meal @ 6:30
Monday, 10/07	1-3:00pm 6:00pm 6:30pm 7:00pm	Food Pantry Cub Scouts Soul Friends Boy Scouts
Tuesday, 10/08	8:30am 10:30am Noon 5:45pm	Staff Meeting Prayer Group Lydia Group Preschool Board Mtg
Wednesday, 10/09	8:00am 1-3:00pm 4:00pm 5:00pm 5:30pm 5:30pm 6:00pm 6:30pm 7:00pm 7:30pm	Men's Bible Study Food Pantry Women In the Word FEAST Meal Cranberry Chicken Breast, Rice Pilaf, Green Beans, Hot dogs, Salad Bar, Desserts Christmas Musical Practice Seekers Group Treasured Mom & Preteens Handbells How To Be A Man Study Chancel Choir
Thursday, 10/10	8:00am 3-6:30pm 6:30pm	Clay Pots Football dinner Praise Band Practice
Friday, 10/11	9:00am 10:00-Noon 6:00pm	Praise Band Practice Food Pantry Bread N Bowl



by Lysa
TerKeurst

Join Us!

New Bible Study

Beginning: Thursday,
October 17th 6:30-8:00pm

Call, text or email:
1-937/308-1869 or
Mel2far79@msn.com

Will be held in First UM Church -
Conference Room

Led by Melinda Farmer

FIRST united methodist CHURCH

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AWAKENING



Living the Awakening 1
Pastor Chris Farmer

Our Vision Statement:

Enlarging the circle of disciples through Jesus.

Our Mission Statement:

**Embracing, equipping and empowering
persons to evangelize through Jesus.**

Thanks for joining us today! If you have any questions while you are here this morning, you can find an answer at the welcome table, which is inside the doors off Jefferson Street. Whatever your circumstances and no matter where you've been, you matter to God and you matter to us. We are glad you are here! If you are a first time guest with us this morning, **we welcome you and look forward to seeing you again!**

Please stop by the welcome table and pick up a welcome packet.