

GATHERING

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please sign the attendance sheet in the red pad and add today's date at the top, then pass it down your row. If you are a guest, we invite you to include your address.

Thank you for silencing cell phones during the service.

SHARING OUR JOY AND CONCERNS

PRELUDE *(Children may go to Kingdom Kids at this time).*

OFFERING OUR WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Words from the heart,

P: Whispers from the soul,

L: A song sung high,

P: A psalm chanted low.

L: May all the words of our mouths and all the meditations of our hearts

P: Be acceptable in your sight, O God, our Rock and our Redeemer

*OPENING PRAYER

*HYMN No. 140

"Great is Thy Faithfulness"

OFFERING

*THE DOXOLOGY No. 95 AND PRAYER AND DEDICATION

*PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER No. 895

SPECIAL MUSIC

"Amazing Grace"

Ella O'Neal and Garrick Bryan

RECEIVING GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE

Mark 2:8

SERMON

"Why are you Thinking Such Things?"

Rev. Peg Welch

*CLOSING HYMN No. 64

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

*Please stand if you are able

Prayer List

- Jane Ank
- Sharon Baker (Friend of the Frietchens)
- Jan Bowling
- Peg Bowman
- Carol Brandt (Donna Hounshell's sister-in-law)
- John Cochran
- Dan Gates (friend of Jean Wagenman)
- Phil & Meda Giffin
- Eric Grove
- Tami Hollar and family
- Becky Miller
- Tonya Moore (Nick & Nate's mom)
- Ken Perry (Norma Perry's son)
- Jo Plaster (Friend of Kirsh's)
- Ron Ridenour
- Jordan Rogers (PB & J family)
- Buzz & Miriam Rupe
- Tara Sauer (Jenny Motley's niece)
- Liz Schlauch
- Melinda Shaum
- Doug Taylor
- Kathy Taylor (Helen Taylor's daughter)
- Pauline Theaker and friend George
- Jean Troutner (friend of Wagner's)
- Jean Wagenman
- Ralph Wells
- Phyllis Zahn
- Richard Zeren (friend of Scott Bryan)
- Peanut Butter & Jelly ministries

Our condolences to Les and Marvel Auck on the death of her nephew Barry Blackford.

This Week at Ontario UMC...

Today 9:15 am ... Adult Classes
10:15 am Worship followed by Fellowship time
6:00 pm... Youth Group
Mon, 8/7..... 11:00 am..... Quilting Group
Thurs, 8/10... 11:00 am..... Items due in office for bulletin
6:00 pm..... CCC Meeting
7:00 pm..... Nominating Committee
Sun, 8/13..... 10:00 am..... Outdoor worship at Lion's Club Park followed by picnic

~~ WELCOME, VISITORS ~~

A warm OUMC greeting to all our visitors!
Please visit the Welcome Center for a small gift, and join us in Giffin Hall after the service for refreshments and fellowship.

Write prayer joys, concerns and announcements in the Welcome Center pad to be shared during worship.

Hearing devices and large-print bulletins and hymnals are available at the Ushers Table.

Children's Worship Activity Bags are available at the back of the sanctuary. Please return them to the rack after the service.

The altar flowers are given by Terry and Gloria Loughman in honor of Jessica Loughman's birthday.

"Everyone who thirsts, come to the waters!" declares the Lord through Isaiah (55:1). God invites all to the living waters of salvation in Jesus Christ! Welcome.

Bulletin items are due in the church office each Thursday morning no later than 11 am.

The Missions Committee is collecting basic school supplies again this year for our PBJ children. Pick up a supply list from our display in the centrum. Thank you for your support

We continue to need your payers and support for PB & J. The pantry continues to look pretty good, but as you can imagine supplies run low. Items needed this week are crackers, canned spaghetti, etc., soup, and tissues.

Please mark the date. On Sunday, August 27, after the worship service, our church will be holding a Safe Sanctuary Policy Workshop. If you volunteer in any of our children's ministries, please plan to stay after church for lunch and a presentation about our revised Child Protection Policy, of particular note is the new section on Social Media.

If you have an Ontario United Methodist shirt, please wear it next Sunday to the Outdoor Worship.

Newsletter items for September are due no later than August 16 in the church office. Thank you.

Prayers for Ontario Schools. This week please pray each day for the Faculty. "O God, our rock and our salvation, may all in these schools experience your love in profound and authentic way (John 13:35). Provide the teachers with guidance for managing the many expectations placed upon them. Give them wisdom to set priorities."

Bless each person here today, Loving God. Whether their week has been smooth or rocky, may they find refuge in you.

Last Week~~~

Worship Attendance	121
Current Expense Giving	\$6,851.00
Special Funds	72.00
Building Fund	87.00
R & R Fund	263.00

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Peggy L. Welch, Pastor
Karen Wagenhals, Visitation Pastor

Serving Today~~

Liturgist: Sharon Urschel

Music Director: Felicia Friebel

Greeters: Sharon Psimer, Carol Roberts

Organist: Dot Blaney

Nursery: Jane Price

Accompanist: Bernice Holeman

Sound Technician: Jeff Davis

Power Point: Sue Wills, John Grove

Usher: Tom Friebel, Dick Fisher, Dick Franta, Mick Motley

Kingdom Kids: Sue Kisling, Jackie Duncan

Table Hosts: Connie Smith

Acolyte: Aiden Metcalfe

And immediately when
Jesus perceived in his
spirit that they so
reasoned within
themselves, he said to
them...

—Mark 2:8



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