

## 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 your cell phones during the service.*

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS (Children may go to Kingdom Kids)

PRELUDE

## OFFERING OUR WORSHIP

### CALL TO WORSHIP

L: God is like a gentle shepherd,

**P: Leading us beyond our wants,**

L: Leading us beyond our fears,

**P: Leading us to a place of rest,**

L: Where we sing the music of God's love

**P: And feel new strength to walk through the valleys and shadows of life.**

### \*OPENING PRAYER

\*HYMN NO. 117 *"O God Our Help in Ages Past"* vv 1,4,6

OFFERTORY

OFFERING

\*THE DOXOLOGY No.95 AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

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

*SPECIAL MUSIC* *"Touched by the Hand of the Lord"* Godward

## RECEIVING GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE John 9:1-3

SERMON *"Someone to Blame"* Rev. Peg Welch

COMMUNION

\*CLOSING HYMN NO. 618 *"Let Us Break Bread Together"*

BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE

\*Please stand as you are able

### Prayer List

- Ruth Atkeson
- Carol Brandt (Donna Hounshell's sister- in -law)
- Braydon Carroll (Sharon Urschel's grand son)
- Mike Collins and parents
- Betty Coon
- Jeff Davis
- Ryan Eddleblute
- Jerod Fulmer
- Phil & Meda Giffin
- Eric Grove
- Tim Hollingsworth (Bruce Smith's brother-in-law)
- Dawn Kershner
- Mike Lee (friend of Garver's)
- Terry & Gloria Loughman
- Marilyn Metcalfe
- Betty Miller
- Bill Miller
- Tonya Moore (Nick & Nate's mom)
- Elliott Ralph ( David & Jessica Ralph's son)
- Ron & Marge Ridenour
- Tara Sauer (Jenny Motley's niece)
- Sandra Smith (Dawn Kershner's mom)
- Darlene Taylor
- Kathy Taylor (Helen Taylor's daughter)
- Dick Thomas
- Jean Welsh
- Donna Yarman
- Phyllis Zahn

Congratulations to Jay & Katie Welch on the birth of their daughter, Vivian, born May 26th Weighing 6 lb. 9 oz., and 21 inches. Be- cause of your prayers she was born only one week early. Grandparents are Pastor Peg and Pastor Ash Welch.

### ***This Week at Ontario UMC...***

Today.....	9:15 am.....	Adult S.S.
	10:15 am ....	Worship followed by fellowship time
	1:00 pm.....	Private Event Giffin Hall
Mon 6/4.....	9:00 am.....	Quilting Group
	9:00 am .....	PB & J Ministry
Wed. 6/6...	Noon.....	Silver's Picnic
	7:00 pm.....	Bible Study
Thurs, 6/7.....	9:00 am.....	Sewing Group
	11:00 am.....	Bulletin Items due
Sun 6/10 ...	9:15 am.....	Adult S.S.
	10:15 am...	Worship followed by fellowship time

### ~~ 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.

***Brothers and sisters in Christ, how good it is to gather to praise our God and hear his Word for us today! May God bless you During your time here.***

Bulletin items are due in the church office on Thursday at 11 am.

Don't forget to sign up for special music this summer here at the church. The sign up sheet is on the Welcome Table.

This year's VBS theme is "Shipwrecked". If anyone has any boat items that we could use as decorations, please let Amy Bryan know. We also need empty plastic water or pop containers with lid.

Check the sign-up sheets for Peanut Butter and Jelly if you are interested in serving. Thanks.

Blankets for Dads envelopes will be available today and next Sunday. Please consider buying a blanket to honor that special man in your life for a very worthy cause.

There are still available opportunities to serve this church by being a lay liturgist, baking cookies for the fellowship table, greeting and welcoming people to church, or providing flowers for a Sunday. The lists are on the bulletin board in the centrum.

No Tuesday Bible Study or fellowship meal in June. Stay tuned for future plans.

**God of new beginnings, at the start of this new season, refresh us with worship, rest and new ways to serve. Amen.**

***Last Week***~~~

Worship Attendance	114
Current Expense Giving	\$3,323.00
Special Funds	230.50
Building Fund	435.00
R & R	120.00

**The Ontario United Methodist Church**

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**Peggy L. Welch, Pastor**  
**Karen Wagenhals, Visitation Pastor**

***Serving Today***~~

Liturgist: Megan Reiners

Music Director: Bob Wagenhals

Organist: Dot Blaney

Greeters: George & Brigitte Diez

Accompanist: Bernice Holeman

Nursery:

Sound Technician: Jeff Davis

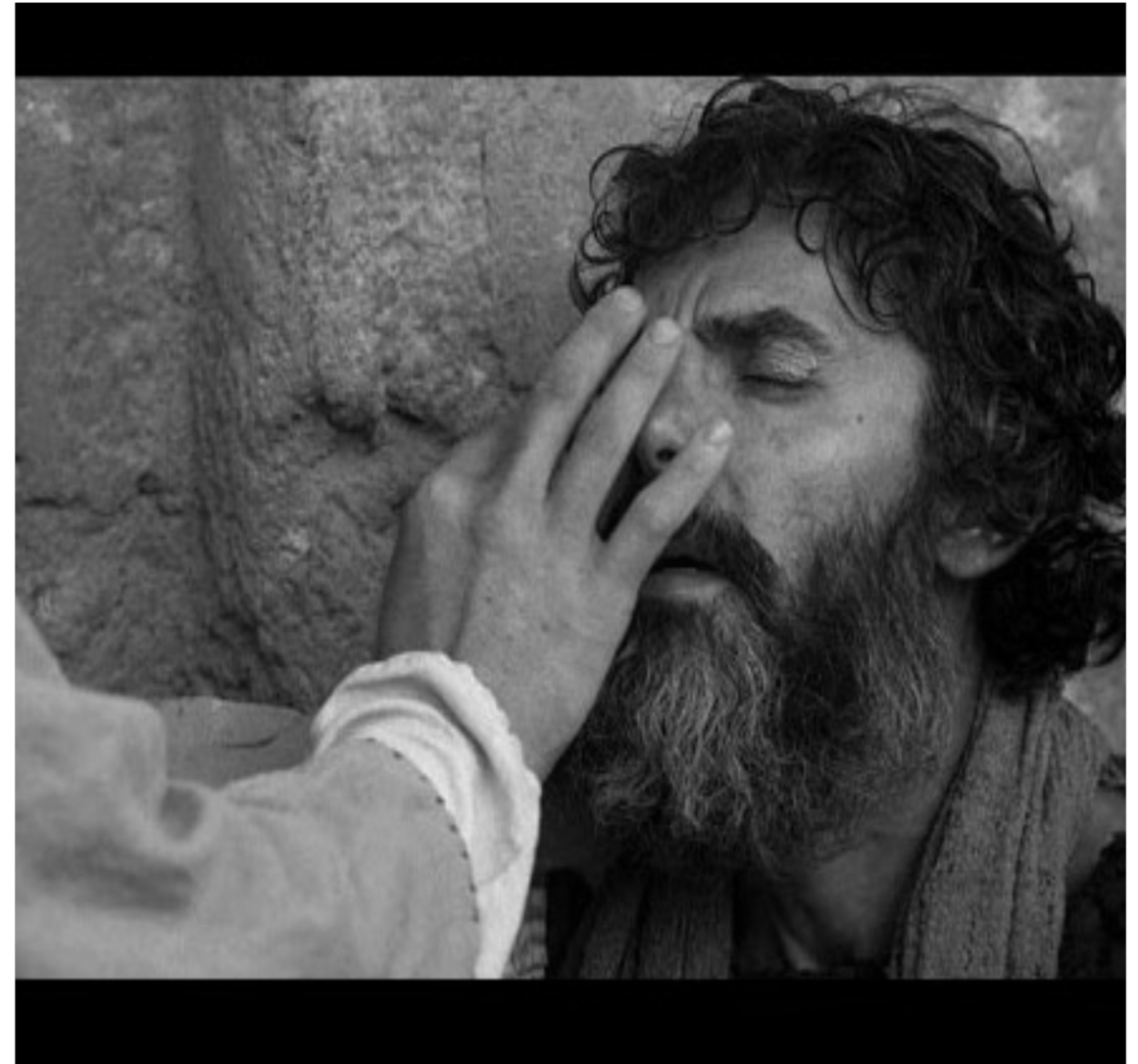
Power Point: Sue Wills, John Grove

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

Kingdom Kids: Sue Kisling

Acolyte: Aiden Metcalfe

Table Hosts: Lois Crider, Bev Bence



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