

## Announcements

**Third Grade Bible Presentation:** Today - 11:00 service. The United Methodist Men would like to invite you all to join them in celebrating our Third graders with a Pancake Breakfast to be held this morning in Barnett Hall at 10:00 am.

**Children/Youth:** Children meet tonight from 5-6 pm; Youth meet from 5-6:30 pm

**Youth Prayer Breakfast:** Youth meet at 6:45 am Wednesday mornings at Hardees for the month of October

**Women's Bible Studies:** Wednesdays at 9:30 am and 5:15 pm

**Double Digit Disciple (10-12 year olds):** Wednesdays from 4:00-5:00 pm

**Men's Bible Study:** Wednesdays from 5:30 - 6:30 in Alice Lee Room

**Children's Fall Festival:** Sunday, October 27<sup>th</sup> - 5:00-6:30 pm

**Trick or Treat on the Square:** Thursday, October 31<sup>st</sup> - 5:00-7:00 pm - more details to come. We know we will need volunteers. Please continue to bring individually wrapped candies to NBH.

## First United Methodist Church

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### Church Staff

Senior Pastor: Rev. Bill Curtin  
Pastor Emeritus: Dr. Thomas Lane Butts  
Minister of Education: Rev. Pam Barnhardt  
Director of Music Ministries/Organist: Nancy Carleton  
Church Business Administrator: Jessica Hankins  
Nursery Director: Christi Dunn  
Nursery Attendants: Letitia King & Rosie Parker

SERVERS	9:00	11:00
USHERS		
CRUCIFERS	Laura Grace King	John David Brewton
ACOLYTES		Charlie Martens
		Harrison Martens
	ALTAR GUILD	Ruth Owens

### Weekly Attendance 10/13/2019

9:00 Worship - 76  
Sunday School - 44  
11:00 Worship - 48  
Small Groups - 151

# Morning Worship

October 20, 2019      ☩      9:00 & 11:00

Nineteenth Sunday After Pentecost

## ENTRANCE

Gathering	<i>Prelude Opportunities Greet One Another</i>	Nancy Carleton Rev. Pam Barnhardt Rev. Barnhardt
Introit	<i>As the Deer As the Deer</i>	Chancel Choir (9) Ensemble (11)
Greeting	<i>Psalm 19:1-4</i>	Rev. Bill Curtin

Heaven is declaring God's glory; the sky is proclaiming his handiwork.  
One day gushes the news to the next, and one night informs another what needs to be known.  
Of course, there's no speech, no words—their voices can't be heard—  
but their sound extends throughout the world; their words reach the ends of the earth.

The Word of God for the people of God.

**Thanks be to God.**

† Hymn 145      *Morning Has Broken*      Congregation

† A Modern Affirmation      Pastor and Congregation

Pastor: Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is one true church, apostolic and universal,  
Whose holy faith let us now declare:

Pastor: We believe in God the Creator,  
People: **infinite in wisdom, power and love, whose mercy is over all of God's works,  
and whose will is ever directed to the good of God's children.**

Pastor: We believe in Jesus Christ,  
People: **Son of God and Son of humankind, the gift of God's unfailing grace,  
the ground of our hope, and the promise of our deliverance from sin and death.**

Pastor: We believe in the Holy Spirit  
People: **as the divine presence in our lives,  
whereby we are kept in perpetual remembrance of the truth of Christ,  
and find strength and help in time of need.**

Pastor: We believe that this faith should manifest itself in the service of love

People: **as set forth in the personality of Christ, our Lord,  
so that the Kingdom of God may come upon earth. Amen.**

† The Gloria Patri      Congregation

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

## PROCLAMATION and RESPONSE

Pastoral Moment and Prayer      Rev. Curtin

The Lord's Prayer      Hymnal, 895

Hymn 191      *Jesus Loves Me*      Congregation

(11) Presentation of Bibles to Third Grade Children      Ministers

Bringing Our Gifts Before God      *Thy Word  
Thy Word*      Nancy Carleton (9)  
Ensemble (11)

Doxology      *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*      Congregation

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below;  
Praise him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

Worship Dance      Double Digit Disciples

Anthem      Sanctuary      Chancel Choir (9)  
Sanctuary      Ensemble (11)

Scripture      *Psalm 19*      Rev. Curtin

Message for Today      *The Creation Story*      Rev. Curtin

## SENDING FORTH

† Hymn 529      *How Firm a Foundation*      Congregation

† Benediction      Rev. Curtin

† Benediction Response      *Christ Beside Me  
Christ Beside Me*      Chancel Choir (9)  
Ensemble (11)

Going Forth      *Postlude*      Nancy Carleton

† *Standing as able*  
*Please silence or turn off your cell phones.*

*The Altar Arrangement today is given to the greater glory of God  
and in honor of Jake's 24<sup>th</sup> birthday and Griffin and Dalton's 20<sup>th</sup> birthday  
by Shannon, Stacey and Kolby McKenzie*