Announcements

**Children are Invited** to come to the Altar during the last verse of the second hymn during the worship service for the Children’s Moment.

**Prayer Request Cards**may be found in the pews as well as in the Narthex and on the table by the Elevator. To place someone on the prayer list, please fill out the card and place in the offering plate. Cards may be used to let the staff know about upcoming procedures. You may also call the church office or send an email to the church.

**Bible Study with Pastor John is at 6:00** and will be moving to the Alice Lee Room this evening. Everyone is invited. Bring your Bibles.

**Christmas Cantata Rehearsals kick off** tomorrow at 5:30pm in the Choir Room. For more information contact Nancy.

**Men’s Book Study** meets this Wednesday at 5:00pm in Alice Lee Room. Contact Hunter Lindblom for details.

**Children’s Christmas Program**

Scheduled for December 4th during Sunday Worship.

For information contact Collins Brown

*Dear First United Methodist Church,*

*Thank you so much for the beautiful shower for Brad and me. We cannot wait to get married here in just a few weeks. We appreciate the love and support that y’all have shown to us during this special season in our lives. Sincerely,*

*Samantha Morgan*

First United Methodist Church

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September 25, 2022

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**Church Staff**

Senior Pastor: Rev. John Woodrow

Minister of Education: Rev. Pam Barnhardt

Director of Music Ministries/Organist: Nancy Carleton

Church Business Administrator: Caroline Hardin

Nursery Director: Christi Dunn

Nursery Attendants: Letitia Gibbs & Rosie Parker

**Morning Worship**

September 25, 2022 10:10

**Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost**

**ENTRANCE**

Gathering  *Prelude* Nancy Carleton  *Welcome and Opportunities* Rev. Pam Barnhardt

Invocation Rev. Barnhardt

† Hymn 127 *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*  Congregation

† Affirmation From I Timothy 2:5-6; 1:15; 3:16 Leader and Congregation

Leader: There is one God

and there is one mediator, Christ Jesus, who came as a ransom for all, to whom we testify.

People: This saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance:

That Jesus Christ came into the world to save sinners,

and was manifested in the flesh,

vindicated in the Spirit,

seen by angels,

proclaimed among the nations, believed in throughout the world,

taken up in glory.

Great indeed is the mystery of the gospel, 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**

Celebrations and Concerns Rev. John Woodrow

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Woodrow

The Lord’s Prayer Hymnal, 895

Offering Nancy Carleton

† Doxology *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow* Hymnal, 95

† Hymn 2086 *Open Our Eyes*  Congregation

*(Let the children come forward during the last stanza)*

Children’s Moment Rev. Barnhardt

Anthem *At This Moment* Choir

Scripture Jeremiah 8: 18-22 *(NLT)* Rev. Woodrow

Sermon “*There is a Balm in Gilead”* Rev. Woodrow

**SENDING FORTH**

† Hymn 375 *There is a Balm in Gilead*  Congregation

† Benediction Rev. Woodrow

† Three-fold Amen Congregation

Going Forth *Postlude* Nancy Carleton

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

**Attendance registration August 13, 2017**

Check one: 9:00\_\_\_\_\_11:00\_\_\_\_\_

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* Member(s)
* First time visitor
* Visitor
* Wish to join church
* Desire pastoral visit

Will you share your birthday below for our newsletter birthday list?

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*The Altar Flowers today are given to the greater glory of God*

*and*

*by Cecelia Ingram/Pam Barnhardt.*