Announcements

***Church after Church:*** Please join us after worship for *Church After* *Church* in Norman Barnett Hall. This is a great time to check in with friends and neighbors and have a chance to love on them.

***Children’s Worship:*** The 3, 4, and 5 year olds are invited to leave after the Children’s Sermon for a special Worship time.

***Administrative Council*** will meet on Tuesday, the 24th of January, at 6:00 pm in Norman Barnett Hall.

***Casserole Sale next Sunday, January 29th:*** There will be a casserole sale in Norman Barnett Hall to Offset Youth Ski Retreat expenses. ANY and ALL freezable casseroles are welcome. Please place in disposable pans and label with cooking instructions! See Pam Barnhardt or Beth Barnes if you have any questions.

***Bridal Shower*** for Kathryn Wiggins, bride elect of Cullen Horton, will be on **Sunday, February 12th**, from 1:30 – 3:00pm in Wesley Hall.

***Prayer Request Cards*** may be found in the pews as well as in the Narthex and on the table by the Elevator. To have someone placed 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.

First United Methodist Church

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January 22, 2023

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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**

January 22, 2023 ‡ 10:05

**Third Sunday after the Epiphany**

**ENTRANCE**

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

Invocation Rev. Barnhardt

† Hymn 89 *Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee* 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 2173 (TFWS) *Shine, Jesus, Shine* Congregation

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

Children’s Moment Rev. Barnhardt

*(After Children’s Moment 3-5 year olds are invited to go to Children’s Worship)*

Anthem  *When You Call*  Chancel Choir

Scripture  *Matthew 4:17-23* Rev. Woodrow

Sermon *“Hellos and Goodbyes”* Rev. Woodrow

**SENDING FORTH**

† Hymn 2130 (TFWS)  *The Summons*  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.*