



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
WAUKESHA, WISCONSIN



August 6, 2023

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

9:30 am

What does the Lord require of you? To do justice, to love kindness and to walk humbly. - Micah 6:8

ORDER FOR WORSHIP

For those with prayer requests, please fill out the pink card in the pew and give it to an usher during the opening hymn.

GATHERING

Prelude	"People Get Ready"	Tom Ajack, guitar by Curtis Mayfield
Welcome		Rev. Jacob Werkheiser
*Hymn	"For the Bread Which You Have Broken"	Red Book 614, verses 1, 2
*Call to Worship		Mark Blum
*Hymn	"For the Bread Which You Have Broken"	Red Book 614, verses 3, 4
Call to Reconciliation		
Prayer of Confession		
Assurance of Pardon		
Musical Response	"Better Angels"	Bill Peterson, guitar words and music by Bill Peterson

THE WORD

Musical Setting for Scripture	"Thy Word"	by Michael W. Smith
The Gospel of Jesus Christ	Matthew 14:13-21 (the Message)	Veronica Radowicz
Contemporary Message	"Give Them Supper"	Rev. Jacob Werkheiser

RESPONSE

Sacrament of Holy Communion		Rev. Jacob Werkheiser and Mark Blum
	"May The Light of Love"	Bill Peterson, guitar words and music by David Roth
Prayer of Thanksgiving		
Building Partner Update		Sandra Gines, Executive Director of ACAP
Ministry Moment		
*Hymn	"God Be with You till We Meet Again"	Red Book 672, verse 1
*Benediction		
Postlude	"March for a Musical Clock" (A time for reflection.)	John Sheaffer, organ by Franz Josef Haydn

Prepare for worship next Sunday by reading Matthew 14:22-33.

Flowers: Mark and Debbie Blum, for their 46th wedding anniversary.

***Indicates standing if able**

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Living Faith Today** - Looks at current events through the lens of our faith and explores how what we believe relates to the world around us. **Today: " Scorching Heat Causing Great Suffering"** in Room 216 after worship.
- **FUMC Pathfinders lunch making group** - Ever wonder just how quickly you can assemble a sandwich to pack into a lunchbag? Join us on Tuesday, August 8, 7-8pm for a special "Pathfinders Lunch Making: The After Dark Edition" — for those of you who want to help with lunches but can't make it during the daytime -- this is your opportunity! Contact Kristi Magoon with any questions, (kristimagoon@gmail.com). See you there!
- **SOPHIA Multicultural Fair** - The Church and Society team invites you to attend SOPHIA's second annual Multicultural Fair. It will be held August 12, 10am-6pm at Cutler Park. The event will include performers, food trucks, vendors, non-profit informational booths, and children's activities. Admission is free and everyone is invited. If you would like to volunteer to help with this event, go to sophiawaukesha.org to sign up.
- **Garden and Home Tour** – With gratitude for your care and support of FUMC, John Sheaffer and Tim Baack invite members and friends of FUMC to a garden party and tour of their Victorian home on Sunday, August 13, Noon - 4pm. The grand home, built in 1890 by Victor Schlitz, the nephew of beer baron, Joseph Schlitz, has been restored and nearly all furnishings are from the Victorian era. 2004 W. Highland Ave., Milwaukee.
- **Kick-Off Sunday, September 10** - You are invited to wear your favorite team colors (or jersey) to worship and join in the celebration following in the Asbury Room as we kick off the year of Christian Education and Discipleship. Tailgating treats will be available! Because we are celebrating who we are as members of FUMC's 'team', we will also be highlighting our ministry areas and ministry teams during the fellowship time.
- **Sunday School Shepherds and Mentors** - We are looking for volunteers to shepherd and mentor children and youth in our Forming Faith (Sunday school) program. If you are interested, please contact Joe or Niki Rodriguez, (bigjoerodrigu@gmail.com).
 - Forming Faith will 'kick off' on Sunday, September 10, with a reunion and reengagement for children, youth and their families. Classes will begin on Sunday, September 17.
- **Confirmation Orientation** - Orientation for the 2023-24 Confirmation Class will take place on Sunday, September 10, following worship. Youth in 7th and 8th grades and those in upper grades who have not yet been confirmed will receive registration information and a schedule. Please see Rev. Susan if you have any questions.
- **A retreat sponsored by XYZ** will be held at Pine Lake United Methodist Camp from September 17-19, 2023. Philip Chard will be the guest leader with the theme of Realistic Optimism: Meeting the Emotional and Spiritual Challenges of Trying Times. There will be a table outside the Asbury Room for more information as well as the opportunity to sign up for this very special event, the first retreat since 2019.
- **Meet Me in the Middle** - FUMC is looking for volunteers to help coordinate this once-a-month community connection with El Sistema, one of FUMC's Building Partners. Specifically, El Sistema is asking for a meal and a service project once a month for 6 months (October – April), 6-8pm, at the church. FUMC would provide the food and the peoplepower. El Sistema leadership is willing to "start small" with desserts, if providing a full meal is too difficult. El Sistema's mission is to introduce the joy of music by providing affordable string music education for children. If interested in learning more about Meet Me in the Middle, contact Cheryl Printz (cheryl.printz@fumcwaukesha.org).
- **Creative Pals** is taking the summer off. We will resume in September. Have a great summer!
- **XYZ (Xtra Years of Zest)** will not meet during the summer months but will start up again in September.
- **We appreciate your ongoing financial support of FUMC's mission and ministry.** You can access our giving through the website or app. Scan the QR code on the right to be directed to our giving page!



Forming Faith Today

Nursery..... *Infant - 3 yr. old, Room 221*
Living Faith Today..... *Room 216*
Sunday School and Youth Group will meet again in the fall.

- **Agrace Hospice Volunteers Needed in Waukesha County.** Volunteers are needed to make companionship visits to local hospice care patients. No health care experience is needed. Schedules are flexible, and free training is provided. Contact Agrace at (608) 327-7163 or visit agrace.org/volunteer.
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- FUMC-Waukesha is seeking an energetic and enthusiastic candidate to fill the position of part-time **Intergenerational Ministry Coordinator**. This position is responsible for coordinating ministry opportunities with an emphasis on Christian education for all ages. For a description of job responsibilities and required qualifications, visit the church website or call the office. For interested candidates, send a completed application (download available on website) to the SPRC at gerhards615@yahoo.com or mail to the church office, Attn: SPRC, 121 Wisconsin Ave, Waukesha WI 53186.