

Prelude ~ Pam Campbell **Response** “Dear Lord and Father of Mankind” vs. 1-4 #358

Welcome & Announcements

Worship Leader: Angie Gabel-McConkey

Christ’s Light Enters

**(Please stand as you are able)*

***Call to Worship**

I was glad when they said to me, let us go to the house of the Living God. (PS: 122:1)

This is the day when we rejoice in God’s act of creation.

This is our sabbath, when we rejoice in the resurrection of Jesus the Christ.

We give thanks that once more, God has brought us together, that we might refresh one another.

Peace to all who enter here,

Peace this day and every day, in the name of Jesus Christ.

***Opening Song** “Standing on the Promises” vs. 1, 2, 4 #374

Opening Prayer

God of Love, you have loved us first and continue to love us. We come before you, a people longing to love you in return. We hunger for your healing love in our lives, for we long to love ourselves and our neighbors. Come to us this day and fill our longing. In Christ we pray. Amen.

Old Testament Reading Micah 6:6-8 Liturgist: Wendy Holt

Children’s Message Loren Swenson

New Testament Reading Colossians 3:12-17

Gospel Reading Luke 10: 29-36

Sermon “Mrs. Persnickle and the Come to Jesus Moment”

Pastor Melanie Adams

Sharing of Prayers: Celebrations and Concerns

(Where have you seen God’s presence? What joys and concerns are in your hearts and minds?)

Silent Meditation & Pastoral Prayer

Lord’s Prayer #895

The Offering

Doxology #94

Offertory Prayer [Unison]

Gracious God, we bring these offerings because of the love you have poured out on us in the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus. Your gift calls for a response that cannot be contained in envelopes or baskets. Nothing less than all we have and all we are is good enough to dedicate to your will and purposes. With awe and wonder, joy and gratitude, we bring you all we have to give – ourselves. Use us, that your way may be realized among all people. Amen.

*** Closing Song** “The Lily of the Valley” vs. 1, 3 #2062

***Our Purpose**

What is our purpose?

To provide a place for all to BELONG to our community, BELIEVE in and experience the transforming love of Jesus Christ, and BECOME his disciples. BELONG! BELIEVE! BECOME!

Benediction

Benediction Response “Grace Alone” vs. 1 #2162

Postlude

PRAYERS

Please see the Prayer Board outside the office for ongoing prayer requests.

Pray for our congregation: For the ministry of making, nurturing, and sending out of disciples; because we believe that God's Love is the answer for the most difficult questions of our world today.

Jesus changes lives!



**Family of Daren Drury
(Gary Strait’s brother)**

**Family of Iris Lee
(Lisa Valcoure’s sis-in-law)**

Pastor Scott Temporo

Ted Thoman

**Traveling Mercies for the
IMPACT group during
their Mission Trip**

740 Prayer Initiative

The 740 Prayer Initiative Continues! You are encouraged to set your phones for 7:40 am or pm each day to spend a few moments in prayer for our congregation and the mission and ministry we are called to do. Or choose another time of day that works for you. Just remember to pray!

Please ask God to continue to work in us and through us; to do new things that are beyond our imagining. Ephesians 3:20 says, *“Glory to God, who is able to do far beyond all that we could ask or imagine by his power at work within us.”*

Please ask that God gives us what we need to continue with ministries that are truly touching hearts and minds of people who may not normally be part of our congregation. Remember, God is at work! Pray for these ministries.

Also, pray about inviting and bringing a friend, family member, business associate, or neighbor to worship with you. Who do you know that God is calling you to invite? Ask God to open a door for conversation with and invitation to someone you know.

Events this week in church:

Sunday, June 30th:

9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship Service
11:30 am Fellowship

Tuesday, July, 2nd:

7:00 Trustees

Wednesday, July 3rd:

5:30 pm Sittin' With Jesus

Sunday, July 7th:

9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship Service
11:30 am Fellowship

Interested in

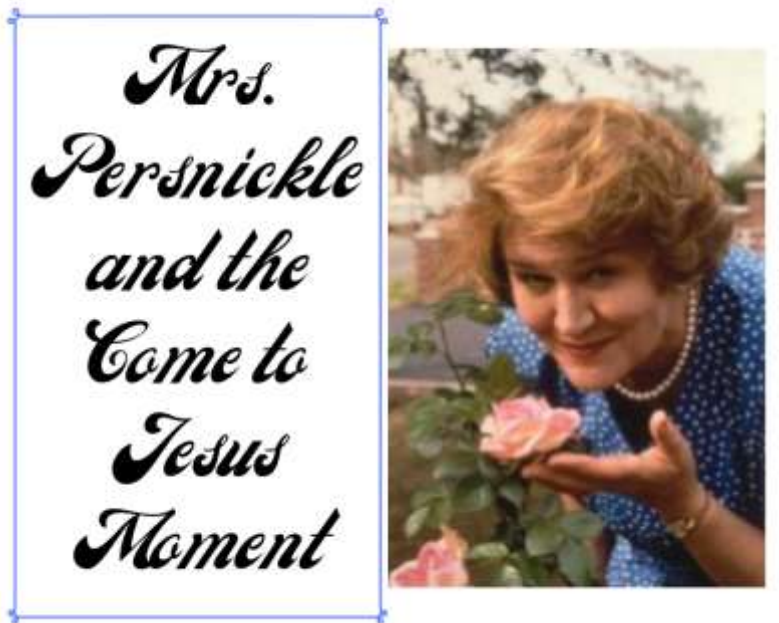
Membership and/or Baptism? Contact the church office to set up an appointment to visit with Pastor Melanie.

Welcome to our guests!

We are glad you are here. We hope you were blessed by your experience at First United Methodist Church this morning and will tell a friend!

Thoughts to Ponder

What has been your favorite part of the Mrs. Persnickle Sermon Series? Today, Mrs. Persnickle experienced a real “God moment” where she felt God’s love, forgiveness and transforming power. When have you experienced something similar? How did it change you, encourage you, or give you strength?



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