



Waterloo First Weekly Schedule
Office Hours: Monday - Thursday
9:00 am - 1:00 pm, (or by appointment)

Sunday, July 19
9:30 am- Worship
10:30 am- Fellowship

Monday, July 20

Tuesday, July 21
Herald Deadline
10:00 am - Prayer Walk & Coffee at Belmont Park
8:30 am- Habitat's Women Build

Wednesday, July 22
9:00 am - Worship on Waterloo Public Access 17
7:00 pm- Movie Night: "K-Pop Demon Hunters"

Thursday, July 23
9:30 am– Food Nook
10:00 am- Fellowship at Friendship Village

Friday July 24 *Office Closed*
7:00 pm- Worship on Waterloo Public Access 17

Saturday, July 25
3:00 pm- Worship on Cedar Falls Public Access 15

Sunday, July 26
9:30 am- Worship
10:45 am- Fellowship



The **United Methodist Church** forms disciples of Jesus Christ who, empowered by the Holy Spirit, **love boldly, serve joyfully, and lead courageously** in local communities and worldwide connections.

Who We Are
The **United Methodist Church** is a worldwide connection of approximately 10 million members in Africa, Asia, Europe and the United States. We are the person next door, the church on the other side of the country, and the worshipping community across the globe. Together, we share a legacy of living as disciples of Jesus Christ, sharing God's love both in what we say and how we serve our neighbors. We are the people of The United Methodist Church .

#BeUMC
The **United Methodist Church** is founded on a Wesleyan theology of grace, anchored in Scripture, and based in the life and teachings of Jesus Christ and the continuing movement of the Holy Spirit.

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Open Hearts. Open Minds. Open Doors.
WATERLOO FIRST
THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Since 1846

July 19, 2026, 9:30 am
Eighth Sunday after Pentecost
Welcome! We are happy to have you with us today!

WELCOME Rev. Hojin Shin & Kathy McFarland

PRELUDE "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us" Arr. Cindy Berry

OPENING PRAYER

*** OPENING HYMN** "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" No. 400
"Lord, I Need You" Matt Maher et al

MOMENT OF PRAYER

SCRIPTURE LESSONS Kathy McFarland Micah 7:8
Psalm 41:10 Proverbs 24:16

SERMON "Faith In Film: He Falls, He Rises" Rev. Hojin Shin

OFFERING "There Is a Balm In Gilead" Arr. Mark Hayes
Doxology No. 94

***HYMN** "Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)"
Arr. Chris Tomlin at al

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE "For the Beauty of the Earth" Arr. Mark Hayes

Prudy Klinger, pianist
Ollie Thurman, song leader

*Please stand if you are able



ALTAR FLOWERS

sign up for altar flowers in VonVackum ounge. Dedicate them to a loved one or an event or in memorium. Flowers are \$37..



GUESTS, VISITORS & MEMBERS

Please sign the attendance registration located in the pews. Please include your email address. Then pass it back to your neighbor and introduce yourself to each other. Thank you.



HEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES

Are available, please ask an usher. At the end of the service, please turn them off and return them to an usher.

VENUCAST™ ASISTIVE LISTENING DEVICE- AVAILABLE

We now have Auracast that will link to compatable hearing aides via bluetooth. Tune your hearing aid with your phone. The list of compatiabile hearing devices is available on the tables by the doors of the sanctuary. There are also transmitters with headphones available at the sound desk in the back of the sanctuary.



WOULD YOU LIKE TO BECOME A MEMBER OF WATERLOO FIRST?

If you would like to become a member of Waterloo First United Methodist Church, we would love to have you! Just check the box “wish to join this church” on the attendance sheet or talk to Pastor Hojin. You may also call the office at 319-235-7088.



SIGN UP FOR EMAIL UPDATES AND PRAYER REQUESTS

Use the QR code to sign up for Pastor Hojin’s weekly email and prayer requests for our congregation.



FELLOWSHIP Please join us in Hartman Hall following the service for fellowship. Sign up to host fellowship and celebrate a special occasion on the bulletin board in VonLackum Lounge.



SUNDAY SCHOOL We will see you on September 13, when Sunday School resumes.



SCRIP CARDS FOR EVERYDAY!

Do you eat at Panera Bread or Papa Murphy’s? Do you shop at Target? We have these cards in our inventory. It’s very easy to purchase a card from Kris Stewart at fellowship and use the card when you shop. It doesn’t cost you any extra money.

Check out our card inventory during Fellowship time. The money from the cards adds up for the church. With your continued support, we can do more for Waterloo First UMC. Order your cards now!



180 ACTS OF LOVE: One of the ways we will celebrate our 180th year is by measuring our impact on the community. Please submit all your volunteer hours to the church office (email works) and let us know the impact you are making in the community. We will keep track of the

hours and celebrate every time we hit 180 hours. Don't forget to turn in your hours! Current hours- over 2,633.!



GIVING Leave your checkbook and cash at home. You can now give through our web site on a secure page. Use this for special offerings or your regular pledge. Use the QR code to connect. You can be certain of the confidentiality of your information is safe and secure.



HOSPITAL STAYS- If you find yourself having to stay in the hospital, please specify Waterloo First United Methodist church when they ask you religious organizations and ask them to contact us. We try do check to see if we have members in the hospitals but the information isn't always available. Please know, that, if you are in the hospital, Pastor Hojin and our visitation team want to know and be there for you.



JULY WORSHIP SERIES: FAITH IN FILM

We will once again explore our faith through film with Wednesday night movies. The movies we will explore will be:

- David
- K-Pop Demon Hunters
- It's a Wonderful Life



CONGRATULATIONS TO ST. PAUL'S UMC on their 120th Anniversary!

In July 19th, St. Paul's will celebrate at their 9 am worship, with a party to follow at 10 am. Their theme is "Catch the Spirit!"

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT 2026

Tuesday, August 4th, 6:30 pm

Washington Park

Live music by Uncle Chuck & Perry
Snacks, drings, games, crafts, & Antique Car Club. Bring your own lawn chair.

OUR AWESOME GOD

When our lives are focused on God, awe and wonder lead us to worship, filling our inner being with a fullness we may never have thought possible. Awe prepares the way for God’s transforming power within us. This transformation of our inner attitudes takes place as awe leads us into wonder, admiration, reverence, surrender and obedience before God.

—James Houston, The Transforming Power of Prayer