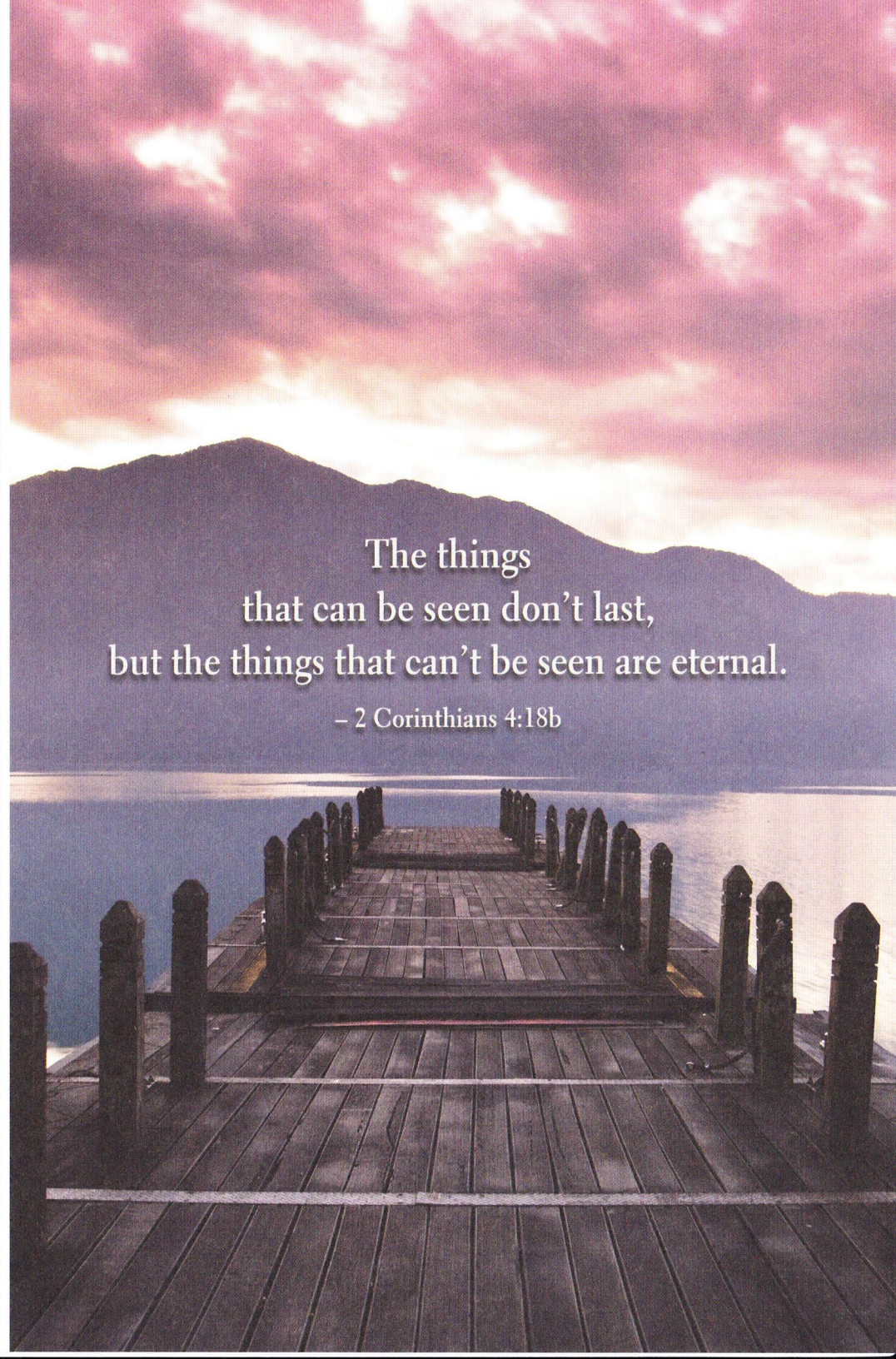


The things
that can be seen don't last,
but the things that can't be seen are eternal.

– 2 Corinthians 4:18b



First United Methodist Church

Sunday, June 10, 2018 – Third Sunday after Pentecost

Our Statement of Faith: Jesus, Our Rock of Salvation, Our Life Springs Eternal

Faith Theme 2018

**HEALTHY THINGS GROW>GROWING THINGS CHANGE>CHANGE IS A CHALLENGE>
CHALLENGE FORCES US TO TRUST GOD—>TRUSTING GOD MAKES US HEALTHY>
HEALTHY THINGS GROW!**

Prelude

Justin Hardman

Welcome and Announcements

Please register your presence with us this morning, then pass the book to the person sitting next to you. Before the offertory, tear off the sheet and place it in the offering plate. Thank You!

Acolyte: Nicholas Griffin

Greeter: Ethel Nauman

***Call to Worship**

“He Has Made Me Glad”

TFWS 2270

***Hymn of Praise**

“I’ll Fly Away”

TFWS 2282

Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

Doxology

“Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow”

UMH 95

Passing the Peace of Christ

Children’s Time

Joys and Concerns

A Time of Prayer – Silent Prayer—Congregational Prayer

*** Hymn of Preparation**

“Near to the Heart of God”

UMH 472

Scripture Reading

2 Corinthians 4:13 – 5:1 (p. 939)

Karie Chrisawn

The Word of God for the People of God: The People Respond **“Thanks Be to God!”**

Morning Message

“Fragile”

“Rev. Jimmy Chrisawn

***Closing Hymn**

“Have Thine Own Way, Lord”

UMH 382

***Parting Blessing: Leaving to Serve**

Postlude

Justin Hardman

Prayer Requests: Family of Mary Lou Kershnik; Nancy DeBernardi; Harold "Butch" Tomjack; Linda DeBernardi; Norman Johnson; Raif Nettik; Joel Barbour; Kay Womack's sister, Terry; Margaret Bettolo; Becky Morrison; Larry Garcia; Gail Webb; Don Hofeldt; Penny Hardin's husband, Jim; Carol Ransdell; Ruby Macy; Madge Venetta's granddaughter, Arianna; Alma O'Hare; Josh Patterson; Larry Finnell; Mindy Sheckler's niece; Pat & Jack Norris; Patty Beatty; Patrice Noel; Debbie Sparby; Dennis Doncaster's sister, Sister Diana; Cathy Georgis' brother-in-law, Todd Ludeman; Pastor Jim, and his uncle, Marshall, sister, Judy, & aunt, Mona; Rusty Dickson; Bill McGarvey; Tom McCutcheon; Mallory Rosetti Gardner; June Wittman; Fred & Isaac Wittman; Rhonda Wheeler; Renee Bustos' father, Bill Cogswell; Gene Lane; Keelan Schupman; Jackie Hansen.

Prayer Request:

By:

Recommended for Devotional Readings:

June 17th – 1 Samuel 15:34-16:13; Psalm 20 or Psalm 72; 2 Corinthians 5:6-10 (12-13), 14-17; Mark 4:26-34

June 24th – 1 Samuel 17 (1a, 4-11, 19-23), 32-49; Psalm 9:9-20; 2 Corinthians 6:1-13; Mark 4:35-41

Greetings from Pastor Jim!

On behalf of the Church here at Rock Springs Methodist Church, we would like to welcome you to our service. This welcome is for regulars and visitors alike. We know that there are many things you could have chosen to do with your Sunday morning, however, we are ever grateful you decided to join us as we worship and fellowship together sharing our faith journey. Amen!

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Lay Leader: Kathy Ellis

Nursery Attendant(s): Nicole France & Lauren Mayer

Sunday Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.

Church office Hours: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Monday through Friday

Please call the office to ensure someone is there.

(*) Please Stand as you are able. **TFWS** is the smaller paperback and the **UMH** is the hardback song book.

Share the Message! The Pastor's Message is recorded on CD's every Sunday. They are available free of Charge and *can be found in the Narthex, and at the website: www.rockspringsumc.org. You are welcome to take one.*

General Information/Opportunities/Upcoming

Sunday School for Adults, 9:00 a.m. (*Live on Facebook, Rock Springs First United Methodist Church*)
Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.
Children's Church, during Service (*Following the Children's Time*)

Pastor's Office Hours: Wednesday & Thursday 9:30 a.m. till Noon. Other times by appointment, however, the Pastor is always available. Please call or text him. Please call before making a special trip.

SPECIAL NOTE: If you would like the Pastor to visit with your family, or someone else, please let him or the office know so it can be arranged.

By The Numbers

Attendance Last Sunday	50 Adults 5 Children
Weekly Budget	\$ 2,846.00
June 3 rd Generous Undesignated Giving	\$ 3,138.00

LIFE GROUP/COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Wednesday, June 14, 3:00 p.m.	"Conversations In Faith", at the church
Wednesday, June 21, 6:30 p.m.	"Conversations In Faith", at the church

Facebook Schedule

Sundays, 9:00 a.m.	Adult Sunday School
Thursdays, 10:00 a.m.	"Thursday Theological Reflections"
Fridays, 8:00 p.m.	"Friday Evening Fireside Faith Chat"

Upcoming dates for your calendar

Wednesday	To be arranged
Thursday, June 14, 6:30 p.m.	Finance Meeting
Thursday, June 14, to follow	Administrative Board Meeting

Remember donated items for the Boys & Girls Club are appreciated by UMW; see Mary Lou Jessen, Penni Harden, or Marj Schaefer.

Pastor's Note: 10 June 2018

Greetings in the Holy name of Jesus our Christ!

I want to kind of mix it up a bit this week with several different topics.

By the time you are reading this Annual Conference will be over for another year. While, as I write this, I am not sure all of what will happen at Annual Conference I do fully expect that the Rock Mountain and Yellowstone Conferences will merge creating one Annual Conference. I am sure more discussion concerning the upcoming special session of General Conference will be had during our Annual Conference. The Lay Delegate and I will be giving reports on what we gleam from the proceedings.

The Trustees are making plans to move forward with some significant house cleaning here at the church. Please know that they will respect all items that have been donated over the years, however, please also know that it comes time for some things to be replaced or just done away with. This is one of the jobs of the Trustees. They will need our help with this work and will be letting everyone know the work schedule soon.

On June 24th this Church building will be 50 years old, having been dedicated on this date in 1968. Can you imagine the work and faith it took to accomplish this back then! We will be planning something special for this celebration. More to come...

Our Wednesday afternoon Conversations in Faith will be moving to Wednesday evenings at 6:30 pm beginning June 20th. When school resumes we will either change it back or just add back the afternoon meeting in addition to the evening session.