

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Fort Dodge, IA

Open hearts, Open minds, Open doors.

The people of the United Methodist Church®



May 20, 2018

Pentecost

**Indicates you are invited to stand if you are comfortable doing so*

Acts 2:1-8 (NIV)

When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place.

² Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting. ³ They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. ⁴ All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them. ⁵ Now there were staying in Jerusalem God-fearing Jews from every nation under heaven. ⁶ When they heard this sound, a crowd came together in bewilderment, because each one heard their own language being spoken. ⁷ Utterly amazed, they asked: "Aren't all these who are speaking Galileans?" ⁸ Then how is it that each of us hears them in our native language?

¹⁷ "In the last days, God says, I will pour out my Spirit on all people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy, your young men will see visions, your old men will dream dreams. ¹⁸ Even on my servants, both men and women, I will pour out my Spirit in those days, and they will prophesy. ¹⁹ I will show wonders in the heavens above and signs on the earth below, blood and fire and billows of smoke. ²⁰ The sun will be turned to darkness and the moon to blood before the coming of the great and glorious day of the Lord. ²¹ And everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.'

The May Lord's Cupboard "CHALLENGE" is chicken noodle soup, ketchup and mustard! Please drop your items in the shopping cart in the Wesley Parlor in the church building. The Evangelism Committee wants everyone to see what has been collected and is trying to track the donations given by First UMC!

*Altar flowers are
given in memory of
Betty Olmstead
from
John Olmstead*

Old Fashioned Hymn Sing

A half hour of sing-a-longs

Friday, June 1 at 5:00 and 6:00 pm
Saturday, June 2, 12:30, 1:30 and 2:30 pm

Frontier Days
At the Chapel of the Fort

The May mission offering will go to support DSOAC. You will find a table in the back of the church to make your contribution at your convenience. Thank you to all who help with their monetary donations!

A **HUGE THANK YOU** to all of those people who helped with the rummage sale last week!

As of the printing of the bulletin the amount collected from the rummage sale after expenses is \$3,622.00. If you have items that you need to pay for, please be sure to drop your check in the offering plate marked "Rummage Sale" or drop a payment at the church office.

Please keep the following members of First UMC in your prayers: Norma Whiting, Bettie Heideman's brother-in-law and sister, Kaye Berry, Bettie Heideman's grandson, Taylor Heideman, who has left for a year's tour in Kuwait, Bonnie Kersten, those in nursing homes and those men and women in our armed forces. Please let the church office know of anyone who may need prayers.

Members of First UMC are invited to Courtney Cordle's graduation reception to be held Saturday, June 2, from 5:00—8:00 pm at First United Methodist Church.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

April, 2018

Total received in April- \$76,521.27*

Year to date income total received - \$145,125.53

Expenses for April 2018 were \$35,525.92

Budgeted expenses were \$36,395.00

Expenses for the year through April are \$143,447.92

Budgeted expenses are \$145,673.00

As summer approaches many of us are looking forward to spending time outside, enjoying the weather with our families, graduations, summer vacations, and much more. With community events like the rummage sale, sidewalk Sunday school, and what I'm sure are many more potlucks to come, I continue to feel blessed to be a part of this Church. The One Board wants to thank each and every one of you for all you do in supporting God's work through this Church.

*Total giving in April was \$41,732.47. Total Income includes one-time insurance payment from boiler failure of \$34,798.15

On behalf of the One Board Committee, THANK YOU!! And God bless.

Regards

Jacob Asche
Finance Representative
1st UMC One Board

***Opportunities for Work, Witness and Fellowship
through First United Methodist Church***

Sun, May 20

9:45 AM Worship

Mon, May 21

9:00 am Pew Crew

12:00 pm Al-Anon

Tues, May 22

9:30 am Lord's Cupboard

11:00 am Staff Meeting

12:00 pm AA

4:00 pm Lord's Cupboard

5:00 pm HOLA

7:00 pm Boy Scouts

Wed, May 23

**Thurs, May
24**

9:30 am Lord's Cupboard

6:30 pm Why? Study

Fri, May 25

1:00 pm Lord's Cupboard

Sun, May 27

9:45 am Worship

<p>Your Staff: The Congregation, The Ministers Andrea Kraushaar, Pastor Becky Ostheimer, Administrative Assist. Megan Cassady, Youth Coordinator Mark W. McClellan, Interim Organist Gretchen Stanley, Chancel Choir Brian Robison, Wesley Ringers Amy Champagne, Children's Choirs Directors Gretchen Stanley and Amy Champagne, Praise Band Directors Jon Schuman, Chief Financial Officer KayLynn Jennings, Anna Jones, Azaria Silvey, Lyndsey Bennett, Nursery Assistants. Josh Goebel, Bldg & Grounds Supervisor Carol Schwarz & Linda Wakeman, Housekeepig</p>	<p>First United Methodist Church 127 North 10th Street, Fort Dodge, IA 50501</p> <hr/> <p>Radio Broadcast at 11:05 am each Sunday - KVFD 1400 AM Office Hours: 8-12 and 12:30-4:30 Mon - Fri Pastor Office: 515-576-7586 Pastor Cell: 515-230-6169 Email Addresses: Office: worship@fumcfortdodge.org Pastor: revandreak@fumcfortdodge.org Program Coordinator: mcassady@fumcfortdodge.org Website: www.fumcfortdodge.org</p>
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GREETERS
Gary & Joan LeValley (West Door)
Ray & Nancy Scharf (East Door)
Sheila Gailey & Robert VanderMaten (South Door)

LITURGIST
Adam Olson



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First United Methodist Church
is to Love, Grow
and Serve in Jesus Christ**