

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



Fort Dodge, IA

Open hearts, Open minds, Open doors.

January 27, 2019

3rd Sunday after Epiphany

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

The Vashti Circle's February meeting will be held at Cana, 18 S. 3rd Street in Fort Dodge. The program will be about Cana and it's services. Please plan to attend!

The next Wednesday Night Meal will be held February 6th. The meal will be lasagna, green salad, fresh fruit, breadsticks and dessert. If you plan to attend and have not already done so, please sign up in the Wesley Parlor at the table on the west wall.

Holy Trinity Parish will hold its Annual Roast Beef Dinner on Sunday, January 27th from 4-7:00 pm. The meal includes roast beef, vegetable, mashed potatoes with gravy, dinner roll, dessert and beverage. The cost is \$8 for adults and \$4 for children ages 5-11. Takeout is also available.

1 Corinthians 12:12-31 New International Version (NIV)

¹² Just as a body, though one, has many parts, but all its many parts form one body, so it is with Christ. ¹³ For we were all baptized by one Spirit so as to form one body—whether Jews or Gentiles, slave or free—and we were all given the one Spirit to drink. ¹⁴ Even so the body is not made up of one part but of many. ¹⁵ Now if the foot should say, “Because I am not a hand, I do not belong to the body,” it would not for that reason stop being part of the body. ¹⁶ And if the ear should say, “Because I am not an eye, I do not belong to the body,” it would not for that reason stop being part of the body. ¹⁷ If the whole body were an eye, where would the sense of hearing be? If the whole body were an ear, where would the sense of smell be? ¹⁸ But in fact God has placed the parts in the body, every one of them, just as he wanted them to be. ¹⁹ If they were all one part, where would the body be? ²⁰ As it is, there are many parts, but one body. ²¹ The eye cannot say to the hand, “I don’t need you!” And the head cannot say to the feet, “I don’t need you!” ²² On the contrary, those parts of the body that seem to be weaker are indispensable, ²³ and the parts that we think are less honorable we treat with special honor. And the parts that are unpresentable are treated with special modesty, ²⁴ while our presentable parts need no special treatment. But God has put the body together, giving greater honor to the parts that lacked it, ²⁵ so that there should be no division in the body, but that its parts should have equal concern for each other. ²⁶ If one part suffers, every part suffers with it; if one part is honored, every part rejoices with it. ²⁷ Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it. ²⁸ And God has placed in the church first of all apostles, second prophet, third teachers, then miracles, then gifts of healing, of helping, of guidance, and of different kinds of tongues. ²⁹ Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? ³⁰ Do all have gifts of healing? Do all speak in tongues? Do all interpret? ³¹ Now eagerly desire the greater gifts. And yet I will show you the most excellent way.

Join First UMC and the Iowa Wolves
for their Faith and Family Event

Colton Dixon Concert following game.

Music for all ages!



IOWA WOLVES

VS

RIO GRAND VALLEY VIPERS

BASKETBALL GAME

MARCH 3RD 3PM

WELLS FARGO ARENA, DES MOINES

Tickets \$15 - all ages Tickets must be purchased by Feb 3

Leaving church at approximately 1:00 pm

FosterMyWall.com

The January mission offering will go to support the Pastor's Discretionary Fund. 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!

Church Budget and Attendance Information

January 20 Attendance—126
January 20 Giving—\$9,679.78
Year-to Date Giving—\$34,491.78
Year-to-Date Expenses —\$20,402.54

The Lord's Cupboard "CHALLENGE" for January will be powdered laundry detergent, canned fruits & veggies, instant mashed potatoes and egg noodles. Please drop your items in the shopping cart in the Wesley Parlor in the church building.

Please keep the following members of First UMC in your prayers: Gladys Bittner, Jerry Schnurr Sr, Audrey Metier, Jean Burke, Jim Metzger, Kate Ray (Lorree Lee's mom), Marilyn Raine, Jan Olson, 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.

The 2019 flower chart has been posted on the kiosk. If you would like to sign up for flowers or grains for a Sunday in 2019, please be sure to sign up. Once your name is on the list you will be responsible to contact the florist of your choice to have flowers delivered for your particular Sunday. If you have any questions, you can call Becky at the church office.

Volunteers are needed for the Wednesday meal cleanup, approximate time is 5:30-7:15 (less if we have more hands!) There is a sign-up sheet in the back of the church. Please take a moment to sign up. If everyone would help it would mean helping once a year or so!!

The 2019 Offering Envelopes are in the Wesley Parlor on the west table. If you use the giving envelopes, please feel free to take a box. It does not matter which box you take as they are no longer numbered. If the boxes are all gone, please stop by the office to pick up a box or let Becky know and she will bring more over to the church.

The Lord's Cupboard is going to do some deep "Spring Cleaning" on Wednesday, January 30th from 9:00 to 4:00 pm. Whether you are able to help all day or just an hour or two, everyone is welcomed to join—many hands make for easier work!

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

Sun, Jan 27

8:30 am	Sunday School
9:45 am	Worship
5:00 pm	Confirmation
6:30 pm	HS Youth Group

Wed, Jan 30

4:30 pm	Joyful Noise
5:15 pm	King's Kids
6:00 pm	Wesley Ringers
6:00 pm	CAT Meeting

Mon, Jan 28

9:00 am	Pew Crew
12:00 pm	Al-Anon

Thur, Jan 31

9:30 am	Lord's Cupboard
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Tues, Jan 29

9:30 am	Lord's Cupboard
4:00 pm	Lord's cupboard
6:30 pm	One Board Meeting
7:00 pm	Boy Scouts

Fri, Feb 1


1:00 pm	Lord's Cupboard
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Wed, Jan 31

11:00 am	Staff Meeting
3:30 pm	SALT

Sun Feb 3

8:30 am	Confirmation
8:30 am	Chancel Choir
8:30 am	Sunday School
9:45 am	Worship
6:30 pm	HS Youth Group

<p>Your Staff: The Congregation, The Ministers Andrea Kraushaar, Pastor Becky Ostheimer, Administrative Assist. Megan Cassady, Youth Coordinator Mark W. McClellan, 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 Anna Jones, Lyndsey Bennett, Laney Jones, Nursery Assistants. Josh Goebel, Bldg & Grounds Supervisor Carol Schwarz, Housekeeping</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 - Thur, 8-12 Fri 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

Lana Waggoner (West Door)
Richard Nelson (East Door)
George & Dee Fawkes (South Door)

LITURGIST

Adam Olson

The mission of First United Methodist Church is to Love, Grow, and Serve in Jesus Christ.

Loving: Loving God and neighbors in all we say, do and live.

Growing: Growing in faith through worship, prayer, and study of God's word.

Serving: Serving others and sharing God's message.