

Order of Worship

September 2, 2018 15th Sunday After Pentecost 10:30 a.m.

Prelude William Elliott

The prelude is an invitation to begin to focus our hearts on worship.

Welcome and Announcements

*Choral Call to Worship “He Has Made Me Glad” Chancel Choir

*Bringing in the Light of Christ Acolytes

*Hymn “And Can It Be that I Should Gain” UMH 363

Lord’s Prayer

Dismissal to Children’s Church (Pre-K to Grade 5)

Receiving of God’s Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory William Elliott

*Doxology “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow” UMH 95

Anthem “Back to the Church in the Wildwood” Mary McDonald
Chancel Choir

Scripture Romans 8:1-11
Sermon “No Condemnation” Rev. Dr. Jay Ferguson

Invitation to Follow Jesus

*Closing “Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)” Kelly Ferguson

*Dismissal with Blessing

*Choral Benediction “Now Unto Him” Chancel Choir

*Taking out the Light of Christ Acolytes

*Postlude William Elliott

*People Stand as Able

We are blessed when you are!

PRAYER REQUESTS

IMMEDIATE NEEDS

Lila Atkins
Andy Anderson
Dennis Bennett, Husband of Rita Bennett
Beverly Browning - Surgery
Mike Clark, Liver Cancer—Neighbor of Vera Lee Austin
Randall Cooper
Jared Cregar – Cancer - Friend of Josh Spencer
John Frost – Stroke – Danny Frost’s Brother
Sue Godwin – Cancer
Thelma Halsey
Judy Harmon
Beth Hayes - Cancer
Jerry Hickman
Brenda Horn, Wife of Rev. Jimmy Horn
Keith Hull – Injured in House Fire
Al Hutchison
Susan Jarrell
Kathy Kennedy
Jason Koen
Jimmy Mims, Family Member of Ervin and Charlotte Rich
Mike McReynolds, Brother of Wilma Shay
Ann Overby
Terri Robinson, Friend of Jim and Ruth Brewster
Marguerite Smith
Roger Stacy, Family of Ben and Sue Young
Sheila Swiger, Friend of Marsha Houchins
Penny Witt
Christy Zorns, Niece of Jean Miller

OUR MILITARY

Ryan Shott
Lucas Graham
Artem Rich
Jeremy Woody
All those serving our Country

LONG TERM ILLNESS

Marie **Anderson**, Rudy **Austin** (Vera Lee Austin’s Brother), Barbara **Bailey**, Bobbie **Bellamy** (Margaret Elam’s Sister), Pauline **Brown**, E. C. **Browning**, Joe **Davidson**, Leon **Devor**, Ethel **Earls**, Syd **Ellison**, Margaret **Farmer**, Russell **Garrett**, Tom **Hodge** (Shelby Clendenen’s Brother), Mary **Martin**, Gerrie **Porter**, Wilma **Shay**, Roger **Shutt** (Charlie Thomason’s Nephew), Nancy **Trenton**, Irma **Webb**

If you wish to place a name on the prayer list or remove a name, please call the church office.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, September 2

First Light Service 8:30 a.m.
 Fellowship in Palmer Hall 9:00 a.m.
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship Service 10:30 a.m.

Tuesday, September 4

TOPS 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, September 5

Missions Team 6:30 p.m.
 Adult Handbell Rehearsal 6:30 p.m.
 Chancel Choir Rehearsal 7:15 p.m.

Thursday, September 6

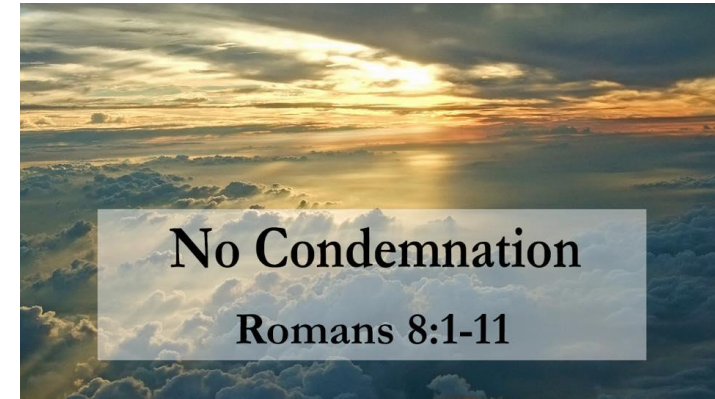
Martha Circle 10:30 a.m.
 Lydia Circle 6:00 p.m.

Saturday, September 8

JELLO Bowl 1-3 p.m.

RECORD OF FAITHFULNESS	
August 2018	
2018 Monthly Budget	\$23,567.00
Monthly Tithes & Offerings to Date	\$18,802.71
Monthly Unbudgeted Receipts to Date	5,008.01
ATTENDANCE: August 26	
First Light Service	25
Worship, 10:30 a.m.	110
Total Worship	135
Sunday School	44

First United Methodist Church
Sunday, September 2, 2018



PASTOR JAY'S SERMON SERIES FOR SEPTEMBER
MUSIC OF OUR FAITH

September 2	Music of Our Faith: <i>And Can It Be</i>	"No Condemnation"
Romans 8:1-11		
September 9	Music of Our Faith: <i>Jesus Lover of My Soul</i>	"No Fear"
Psalm 57		
September 16	Music of Our Faith: <i>O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing</i>	"No Doubts"
Romans 8:26-39		
September 23	Music of Our Faith: <i>Arise, My Soul, Arise</i>	"No Limits"
Ephesians 3:14-21		
September 30	Music of Our Faith: <i>Soldiers of Christ, Arise</i>	"No Weapons"
Ephesians 6:10-20		

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