

**Sunday, January 15 2023**

9am Contemporary Service,

10am Refreshments in the fellowship hall

10:10 am Sunday School includes several classes– inquire with your greeters

11am Traditional Service

**\*If you don't feel well, stay home, worship with us on Facebook**

**<https://www.facebook.com/firstchurchdayton>**

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH DAYTON**

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#### **Anniversaries**

BROWN, Robert & Rebecca 01/20

#### **Birthdays**

TAYLOE, Jane N.	01/17	SWAFFORD, Sam	02/01
BEATON, Jose	01/22	LITTLE, Tonya	02/02
TORNOW, Blaine	01/24	RAITHEL, April	02/02
TUCKER, Lilly	01/25	SNYDER, Cole	02/04
BLAKNEY, Josiah	01/26	ABEL, Linda	02/07
COLE, Trish	01/26	MILLER, Andi	02/11
HAMILTON, Jonathan	01/26	CARLTON, Jane	02/13
SANTIAGO, Miguel	01/27	DAVISSON, Darlene	02/13
HUGHES, Molly	02/01	SANCHES, Esperanza	02/14
		CARLTON, Johnfred	02/15

#### **PRAYER LIST**

Please be in prayer for Vernon Huff.

Please be in prayer for Cara Corcione. Cara is a 14 year old team mate of Reece Brown. Cara is very sick with an unknown disease– very serious. Please keep in your prayers: Pat Holsberry for healing, Robbie Garren & Carl Shores for recovery & healing. Praises for Garron Robinson, who is on the path to recovery.

Please be in prayer for Patty Fass– she has a re-occurrence of cancer. Becky Price for strength and healing. Prayers for Adair McElynn, Arnold Fitzgerald, Billie Doty, Rebecca Hollingsworth, Winifred Thomas and Betty Fortner. Pray for Carolyn Davison. Pray for Brenda, Phyllis, Helen, Mark, Janie, Terry, Lisa, Frankie, Gerald, Tristen, Ann & Family, Lois & Family, Tammy & Family. Healing Prayers for Gail

*If you would like to add a payer request– please fill out a needs form–found at each pew or you can email [fumcdayton@gmail.com](mailto:fumcdayton@gmail.com)*

# **First United Methodist Church**

**“Advancing Christ’s Kingdom locally and globally”**

## **January 15 2023**



**Layne Pennington, Pastor**

**Bailey Moore, Youth Director**

**John Blevins, Lay Leader**

**John Bamber, Lay Leader/Music Director**

**Elissa Wilcox, Administrative**

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9:00 AM Worship Service  
2nd Sunday after the Epiphany

Welcome  
Praise & Worship  
Prayers & Offering  
Announcement  
Blessing of the Children– The Nursery is open  
Scripture Matthew 3: 7-17  
Sermon Baptized in Fire  
Pastor Layne Pennington  
  
Praise & Prayer  
Closing Worship

**10:00 am: EVERYONE! Before Sunday School begins, come join us in the Fellowship Hall for Coffee & Pastry**

11:00 AM Worship Service  
2nd Sunday after the Epiphany  
\*\* Please stand if you are able

**Welcome and Announcements**

<b>Prelude</b>	Faith Young
<b>Invocation</b>	Diana Nevans
<b>Hymn</b>	Crown Him with Many Crowns– UMH 327
<b>**Statement of Faith</b>	UMH 887
<b>**Glory Be to the Father</b>	UMH 70
<b>Offertory Prayer</b>	Diana Nevans
<b>Offertory</b>	
<b>**Doxology</b>	UMH 95
<b>Children's Message</b>	
<b>Pastoral Prayer</b>	
<b>Scripture</b>	Matthew 3: 7-17
<b>Sermon</b>	Baptized in Fire Pastor Layne Pennington
<b>Hymn</b>	How Firm a Foundation– UMH 529
<b>** Benediction &amp; Response</b>	God be with you till we meet again– UMH 672
<b>Postlude</b>	Faith Young

## WEEKLY MINISTRIES OF THE CHURCH

- **Monday Night** English as a Second Language Classes from 6:00-7:00
- **Monday Night** DIVORCE CARE 7pm -8:30 Call Leigha 423-802-8445
- **Monday Night** Women's Bible Study 7pm. Childcare provided. Bible Study **Starts back January 9th at 7pm.** We will be starting "The Gospel on the Ground" The Grit and Glory of the Early Church in Acts by Kristi Mcelland . The book can be purchased at Life way of Amazon- <https://www.lifeway.com/en/product/the-gospel-on-the-ground-bible-study-book-with-video-access-P005833482>  
Please contact Lindsey Bamber with any questions;  
423.775.6520
- **MONDAY Night** Brownies Meeting from 5:30-7pm
- Faith Ministries is cooking on **Tuesday mornings** 8am– noon
- TOPS– **Tuesday Nights** from 5-6, Meet in the Library
- Zoom Bible Study – **Wednesdays**, at 11:00am. Studying Testament for more info message Cyndie (240-0187) or Pastor Layne **We will resume on January 11th**
- WNL **Wednesday Night** Live– 6pm to 8pm Meal provided. **We will start back on Jan 11th.**
- Tri County Quilters meets the **2nd and 4th Thursday** 10-2.  
The Quilt of Valor group meets on the **1st Saturday** 9am-2pm
- **Thursday Night**—5:30 to 7pm is Girl Scouts
- Church Veterans Breakfast– Meets **Fridays** at 8:30am at Hardees  
**Starting Jan 13th we will meet at Bryan Cafeteria at 8:30am**
- Rotary Meeting: Lunch & Meeting- Every **Friday** 11:30– 12:30
- Young Adult/ College Student Bible Study **Saturdays** at 7:30pm
- The Jail ministry: **Monday evening** for men, **Wednesday afternoon/ Thursday nights** for women. For info: Heather Sneed
- Feed America– Every **Wednesday & Friday** from 10:00 to 11:30
- Senior Ministries– Every **2nd Sunday** is Covered Dish Luncheon after 2nd Service. Bring a side dish or dessert to share–Meat & drinks are provided.  
Every **4th Thursday** is our Dinner Trip– meet at the church, to bus or carpool. The destinations vary every month. RSVP to Katie Trotter– so that we know how many will be attending.  
Call/text Katie at 816-830-7074

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **LITTLE LEARNERS** has openings in their Parents Day Out Program  
Call 423-775-4577
- **FOOD PANTRY FOR JANUARY** is JAMIN' JANUARY— Jams, Jelly, Preserves, Peanut Butter, Crackers and Saltines. - Food Pantry Sunday is the 4th Sunday , but food is accepted at ANYTIME during the month— Just place it at the altar rail THANK YOU !
- **BRIDAL SHOWER FOR AMELIA LORENZEN**, in honor of the upcoming nuptials of Bailey Moore and Amelia Lorenzen.  
February 5 in the fellowship hall, 12 o'clock  
Their registry can be found on [theknot.com](https://www.theknot.com/us/amelia-lorenzen-and-bailey-moore-mar-2023/registry) using their name and wedding date of March 2023.  
Also, they are registered on Amazon, Target, and Bed Bath & Beyond.  
<https://www.theknot.com/us/amelia-lorenzen-and-bailey-moore-mar-2023/registry>
- The Youth will be attending **RESURRECTION ON JANUARY 20 THRU 22ND**.  
Please keep them all in your prayers
- The **"Upper Room" class would like to invite you to join us for Sunday school, every week at 10:15**. We meet in the big classroom upstairs at the end of the hall. We are a mix of all ages, young and..."more experienced". For the next 10 weeks, we will be studying the interactions that Jesus had with individuals and what it can teach us. We would love for you to join us! If you have questions, please call or text Heather Sneed, 423-457-3734 or email, [hhsneed1@bellsouth.net](mailto:hhsneed1@bellsouth.net)
- Please support our mission team as they raise money for their upcoming Honduras trip. They will be hosting **a Bunco night, with prizes, at Trinity Chapel, on Jan. 27**. This is a game of complete chance and you DO NOT need to know how to play—just show up! For tickets, please contact Brittany at 502-439-5318
- We need your help to support our **INTERNATIONAL FEEDING** program in Nicaragua. For the past 7 years, we have committed to feeding around 200 children, once per week, that live in the dump of Chinandega, Nicaragua where we ministered for many years. We have a wonderful pastor we work through—his church buys, cooks, and distributes the food every week. We have run out of money for this program. Can you help? Any amount is appreciated; make your donation to "International feeding program" on the memo line of your check or venmo. Thank you!

## The Wesley Covenant Prayer

"I am no longer my own, but thine.  
Put me to what thou wilt, rank me with whom  
thou wilt.  
Put me to doing, put me to suffering.  
Let me be employed by thee or laid aside for  
thee,  
exalted for thee or brought low for thee.  
Let me be full, let me be empty.  
Let me have all things, let me have nothing.  
I freely and heartily yield all things  
to thy pleasure and disposal.  
And now, O glorious and blessed God,  
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,  
thou art mine, and I am thine. So be it.  
And the covenant which I have made on earth,  
let it be ratified in heaven. Amen."



# The Baptism of Jesus

And a voice from heaven said, "This is my Son, whom I love; with him I am well pleased." Matthew 3:17 (NIV)

Each number represents a letter of the alphabet. Substitute the correct letter for the numbers to reveal the coded words.



C	U	A	K	I	E	V	G	W	B	Z	F	X	Q	S	R	O	L	P	H	T	D	M	Y	J	N
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26

- 1. 10-3-19-21-5-11-6 \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. 9-3-21-6-16 \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. 22-17-7-6 \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. 7-17-5-1-6 \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. 20-6-3-7-6-26 \_\_\_\_\_
- 6. 20-17-18-24 \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. 15-17-26 \_\_\_\_\_
- 8. 18-17-7-6 \_\_\_\_\_

SON	DOVE	BAPTIZE	HEAVEN
HOLY	LOVE	VOICE	WATER

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Based on Matthew 3:13-17



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D	Z	J	J	V	S	E	U	G	J	Z	X	F	X	G
V	Q	V	O	C	X	P	Y	I	A	E	R	J	M	I
O	A	L	I	H	W	F	I	M	S	L	S	D	W	F
I	O	M	K	F	N	U	A	R	Z	H	I	U	P	X
C	M	X	X	B	F	L	E	T	I	U	P	L	S	X
E	H	S	O	N	Z	F	T	J	N	T	Z	W	E	U
A	I	K	R	Z	X	I	J	S	Y	B	E	L	R	E
K	U	A	D	P	S	L	O	B	Y	A	T	T	K	P
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B	N	K	U	V	H	D	N	B	M	Z	E	V	P	G
S	E	W	R	L	E	Z	O	A	H	E	R	E	A	Z
T	D	P	L	E	A	S	E	D	O	D	L	N	N	Z

GALILEE	HEAVEN	VOICE	LOVE	JESUS
OPENED	DOVE	JOHN	PLEASED	SON
JORDAN	WATER	FULFILL	BAPTIZED	SPIRIT