FAITH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Fourth Sunday after Pentecost/Father's Day June 16th, 2013~9:30 a.m.

We welcome you to today's service. Where Jesus is lifted up for all people and God's word is honored.

We welcome all who have come to worship with us today. We extend a special welcome to our visitors and, if you don't have a regular place of worship, to consider making Faith United Methodist Church your church home.

Before you leave today, please sign the red Friendship Registration book found at the end of your pew.

WELCOME/ NEWS OF OUR FAITH COMMUNITY

*PASSING THE PEACE

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

RESPONSIVE READING......PSALM 15

Leader: O LORD, who shall sojourn in your tent? Who shall dwell on your holy hill?

All: He who walks blamelessly, and does what is right and speaks truth in his heart;

Leader: who does not slander with his tongue, and does no evil to his neighbor, nor takes up a reproach against his friend;

All: in whose eyes a vile person is despised, but who honors those who Leader: fear the LORD; who swears to his own hurt and does not change;

All: who does not put out his money at interest, and does not take a bribe against the innocent.

Leader: He who does these things shall never be moved.

<u>SPECIAL MUSIC</u>......"Ten Thousand Reasons"...Youth and Adults

*All who wish may stand.

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KID'S TIME

(children are invited to attend children's church at this time)

FIRST OLD TESTAMENT READING.....Jonah 3

3 Then the word of the LORD came to Jonah the second time, saying, 2 "Arise, go to Nineveh, that great city, and call out against it the message that I tell you." 3 So Jonah arose and went to Nineveh, according to the word of the LORD. Now Nineveh was an exceedingly great city, three days' journey in breadth. 4 Jonah began to go into the city, going a day's journey. And he called out, "Yet forty days, and Nineveh shall be overthrown!" 5 And the people of Nineveh believed God. They called for a fast and put on sackcloth, from the greatest of them to the least of them. 6 The word reached the king of Nineveh, and he arose from his throne, removed his robe, covered himself with sackcloth, and sat in ashes. 7 And he issued a proclamation and published through Nineveh, "By the decree of the king and his nobles: Let neither man nor beast, herd nor flock, taste anything. Let them not feed or drink water, 8 but let man and beast be covered with sackcloth, and let them call out mightily to God. Let everyone turn from his evil way and from the violence that is in his hands. 9 Who knows? God may turn and relent; and turn from his fierce anger, so that we may not perish." 10 When God saw what they did, how they turned from their evil way, God relented of the disaster that he had said he would do to them, and he did not do it.

SECOND OLD TESTAMENT READING.....Jonah 4

4 But it displeased Jonah exceedingly, and he was angry. 2 And he prayed to the LORD and said, "O LORD, is not this what I said when I was yet in my country? That is why I made haste to flee to Tarshish; for I knew that you are a gracious God and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love, and relenting from disaster. 3 Therefore now, O LORD, please take my life from me, for it is better for me to die than to live." 4 And the LORD said, "Do you do well to be angry?"

5 Jonah went out of the city and sat to the east of the city, and made a booth for himself there. He sat under it in the shade, till he should see what would become of the city. 6 Now the LORD God appointed a plant, and made it come up over Jonah, that it might be a shade over his head, to save him from his discomfort. So Jonah was exceedingly glad because of the plant. 7 But when dawn came up the next day, God appointed a worm that attacked the plant, so that it withered. 8 When the sun rose, God appointed a scorching east wind, and the sun beat down on the head of Jonah so that he was faint. And he asked that he might die and said, "It is better for me to die than to live." 9 But God said to Jonah, "Do you do well to be angry for the plant?" And he said, "Yes, I do well to be angry, angry enough to die." 10 And the LORD said, "You pity the plant, for which you did not labor, nor did you make it grow; which came into being in a night and perished in a night. 11 And should not I pity Nineveh, that great city, in which there are more than 120,000 persons who do not know their right hand from their left, and also much cattle?"

Leader: This is the Word of God for the People of God ALL: THANKS BE TO GOD

<u>MESSAGE</u>......"The Prophet Who Knew Too Much"...Rev. Victor Waters

PRAYER FOR OUR CHURCH, OUR COMMUNITY AND OUR WORLD

THE LORD'S PRAYER.....(In Unison)

Our Father, which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name.

Thy Kingdom come.

Thy will be done on earth, As it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses,

As we forgive them that trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation, But deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, The power, and the glory,

Forever and ever. Amen.

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

OFFERTORY

<u>DOXOLOGY</u>

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

<u>CLOSING HYMN OF PRAISE</u>......""Father, I Adore You"...TFWS No. 2038

POSTLUDE

REMEMBER OUR CHURCH & MILITARY FAMILY IN YOUR PRAYERS...

Remember our Church Members & Friends who are less mobile and are unable to join us as often as they have, or would like, including:

Koda Living Community, Owatonna: Elaine Flathers Colony Court Memory & Care Suites: Ann Swenson, Rosalind Peterson, Gerri Peterson Lakeshore Inn: Florence Gutknecht, Hazel Henkensiefken, Don Lohse Latham Place: Liz Corchran, Millie Groh, Emily Miller Morrow Home, Sparta, WI: Marlene Rietfort Tower Light, St. Louis Park: Darlene Lynch



Prayer Requests

Those who are ill, injured or homebound: Jim Keller, Willie Mahler, Jerry Krause, Linda Wilson

ANNOUNCEMENTS



All **announcements during worship require a microphone** to enable our hearing challenged members to fully participate. The ushers will gladly bring one to you.

There will be <u>no</u> Jonah Bible study on Thursday, June 20th. The last day for this bible study was Thursday, June 6th.

<u>Ruth Circle</u> will meet on <u>Wednesday, June 19th</u> at <u>Mary Lou Sahlstrom's</u> home at <u>10:00 a.m.</u>

The Newsletter Deadline for June is Monday, June 17th, 2013 at 12:00 p.m. Thank you.



FAITH @ THE FAIR – We have reserved the **Itron Tent** for **Worship @ the Fair** and **will again have a booth at the Fair**. Please clear a bit of time for us and **volunteer to talk about your faith, your work in the community and how Jesus is in your life**! There is a sign-up sheet in the office.

Missing! A light green jacket with a cream hood is <u>missing</u>. It was taken from the <u>fellowship hall</u> on <u>May 26th, 2013</u> after the potluck. Please return to <u>Mary</u> <u>Stauffer</u> or <u>call</u> at <u>507-833-2979</u>.

Life Line Screening will be held at Faith UMC on **6/17/2013** offering safe, painless, non-invasive preventive health screenings that are typically not a part of a routine physical. To be more proactive about your health and to live longer for yourself, your family and your community, please register for these potentially life-saving tests today. Appointment spaces are limited and pre-registration is required. Sign up now by calling 1-888-653-6441.

<u>UMW</u> will be sponsoring a <u>cake auction</u> at <u>Fellowship</u> on June 23rd, 2013. There will be an **auctioneer, Doug Jones**, auctioning off some *fantastic* cakes. Invite your friends as this will be a fun time!

Children's Activity



THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE	
6/16/2013 (Sun.)	Father's Day 9:30 a.m. –Worship Service *Children's Church (ages 4–sixth grade after Kid's Time) 10:30 a.m. –Fellowship 10:45 a.m. –Vision Statement Meeting (UR)
6/17/2013 (Mon.)	Newsletter Deadline at Noon 8:30-5:30 p.m. –Life Line Screening Event 7:00 p.m. –8:00 p.m. –Vision Statement Focus Group
6/18/2013 (Tues.)	1:00 – 2:00 p.m. –UMW Mary Circle at Delores Dahnert's home 4:00 -5:00 p.m. –Conversation, Bible & Friends (UR) 6:30 -7:30 p.m. –SPRC meeting
6/19/2013 (Weds.)	10:00 -11:00 a.m. –UMW Ruth Circle at Mary Lou Sahlstrom's home 3:15-4: 15 p.m. –Lake Shore Video 4:30-6:30 p.m. –Quiet Time
6/21/2013 (Fri.)	Office Closed Cunningham–Larson & Wikan Wedding
6/22/2013 (Sat.)	Cunninghan-Larson & Wikan Wedding
6/23/2013 (Sun.)	Pancake Mix Sunday 9:30 a.m. –Contemporary Worship *Children's Church (ages 4–sixth grade after Kid's Time) 10:30 a.m. –Fellowship, UMW Cake Auction
6/24/2013 (Mon.)	Faith Messenger Mailed 7:00 p.m. –Vision Statement Meeting (UR)
6/25/2013 (Tues.)	4:00 -5:00 p.m. –Conversation, Bible & Friends (UR) 5:15-6:30 p.m. –Church Council Meeting
6/26/2013 (Weds.)	3:15-4: 15 p.m. –Lake Shore Video 4:30-6:30 p.m. –Quiet Time
6/28/2013 (Fri.)	Office Closed Hopper & Von Bank Wedding