

ORDER OF WORSHIP

October 7, 2012 ~~ World Communion Sunday

Welcome to Faith United Methodist Church.

Where Jesus is lifted up for all people and God's word is honored.

(Please, take the time to fill out the red registration pad in your pew and pass it to your neighbor.)

GATHERING MUSIC

VISION STATEMENT We are a Christ-Centered Church committed to reaching all people with the good news of the gospel of Jesus Christ; encouraging all who respond to become disciples of Jesus Christ.

RALLY CRY "Faith by the Lake - and Beyond!"

WELCOME & BRIEF NEWS OF OUR FAITH COMMUNITY

*PASSING THE PEACE

CALL TO WORSHIP *from: The Book of Worship 1965, Alt.*

ALL: Trust in the Lord and do good. May the Lord give strength to the people! O taste and see that the Lord is good! God is our refuge and strength.

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

INTROIT "Make Us One" ... TFWS No. 2224

OPENING PRAYER *from: The Book of Common Prayer*

O Lord, our heavenly Father, Almighty and everlasting God, who hast safely brought us to the beginning of this day; Defend us in the same with thy mighty power; and grant that this day we fall into no sin, neither run into any kind of danger; but that all our

doings, being ordered by thy governance, may be righteous in thy sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

RESPONSIVE READING Psalm 27 ... UMH No. 758-59

***HYMN OF PRAISE** “My Hope Is Built” ... UMH No. 368

***SCRIPTURE READING** 1 Corinthians 1: 18-31 ... Pew Bible Pg. 166

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

ALL: Thanks be to God!

HYMN OF INVITATION ... “Here is Bread, Here is Wine” ...TFWS No. 2266

SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE II UMH Pgs 12-15

ANTHEM “Stories of Jesus” ... Faith Choir

- **CHILDREN’S CHURCH** ... Children 4 through 9 years of age are invited to the Classroom for Children’s Church during the rest of our Service.
- **SUNDAY SCHOOL** ... Youth in Grades 3 through 6 are invited to the Youth Room (downstairs) during the rest of our Service.

PASTORAL PRAYER for our Church, Our Community and Our World

MESSAGE “Wise Men Still Seek Him” ... Rev. Victor Waters

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY UMH No. 95

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

CLOSING HYMN OF PRAISE..... “Bind Us Together” ... TFWS No. 2226

SENDING FORTH

POSTLUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

STEWARDSHIP DRIVE – Most of you should already have your first mailing of a Devotional Book, a heart card, prayer pledge card and a prayer bookmark.

RUTH CIRCLE – Will meet on Oct. 17, at Eunice Gasner's home.

VOLUNTEER SOUGHT – We are looking for a volunteer to coordinate Greeters/Valets. Please call the church office if you are interested, this involves making phone calls and/or sending e-mails to solicit volunteers. **There are other openings too!** We are also in need of a Membership Secretary, must be able to use a computer and write legibly, and Church Historian. **Nominations Committee will be meeting** and discussing other openings as well. Please prayerfully consider your time and talents and volunteer if you are interested!

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:

Cedarview Care Center, Owatonna: Elaine Flathers

Colony Court: Rosalind Peterson

Colony Court Memory & Care Suites: Ann Swenson

Lakeshore Inn: Elvira Blowers, Florence Gutknecht,
Hazel Henkensiefken, Don Lohse & Mable Long

Lakeview Ranch: Raymond Pommerenke

Morrow Home, Sparta, WI: Marlene Rietfort

Shorewood Senior Campus, Rochester: Darlene Lynch

Those who are ill, injured or homebound: Jim & Marian Keller, Willie Mahler, Bruce Stauffer, Chuck Youngberg and Nina Youngberg.



THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE ...

10/7/2012 (Sun.)	World Communion Sunday/Bread for Life Offering 9:15 a.m. – Hymn Sing! 9:30 a.m. – Worship with Holy Communion <i>** Children’s Church meeting in Classroom (upstairs).</i> <i>** Sunday School meeting in Youth Room (downstairs).</i> 10:30 a.m. – Fellowship (FH)
10/8/2012 (Mon.)	10 a.m. to 3 p.m. –Office Hours (Tina out until 1 p.m.)
10/9/2012 (Tues.)	10 a.m. to 3 p.m. – Tina Office Hours 1:30 p.m. – Lake Shore Inn Worship (Pastor Waters) 4 p.m. – Conversation, Bible & Friends (UR)
10/10/2012 (Wed.)	10 a.m. to 3 p.m. – Tina Office Hours 3:15 p.m. – Lake Shore Inn Video 4:30 – 6 p.m. – Confirmation @ Faith UMC 7 p.m. – Choir Practice
10/11/2012 (Thur.)	10 a.m. to 3 p.m. – Tina Office Hours 10 to 11 a.m. – Book of Mark Bible Study (UR) 4:45 p.m. – Tai Chi (FH)
10/12/2012 (Fri.)	6:30 – 8 p.m. – Girl Scouts (Kilmer, W. end of FH)
10/13/2012 (Sat.)	10:30 a.m. – Girl Scouts Day of Action (Meeting in FH) 3 p.m. – Blessing of the Animals/Pets (Church Lawn)
10/14/2012 (Sun.)	Stewardship Sunday Kick-Off! 9 a.m. – Blood Pressure checks (UR) 9:30 a.m. – Worship <i>** Children’s Church meeting in Classroom (upstairs).</i> <i>** Sunday School meeting in Youth Room (downstairs).</i> 10:30 a.m. – Fellowship (FH) 1:30 to 5:30 p.m. – Girl Scouts (Mackey, W. end of FH) 6:30 to 8 p.m. – Youth Group (Parsonage)

Bring your
Pink
“Heart Card”
back to
Church today!