

Edgerton UMC: Making Christ Known

Sunday, June 26, 2016

9:00AM Worship

(*)Please Stand as Able

Bold Print All Say In Unison

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

We begin with announcements of the ministry and mission of the church. Please sign and pass the black Welcome Pad located at the ends of the pews along the centermost aisle.

OFFERINGS OF PRAISE

We come to God's presence joyfully and humbly, preparing ourselves to receive God's word.

PREPARING OUR HEARTS

Cry of My Heart, Terry Butler

READING FROM PAUL'S LETTER TO THE GALATIANS 5:1, 13-25

Two paths and two results—the way of slavery to the works of the flesh, or the earthly world, and the way of freedom in the fruit of the Spirit.

HYMN

Spirit of the Living God

UMH #393

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: Throughout the ages, disciples have said, "I will follow you wherever you go."

P: Lord, give us the freedom to follow you in the ways of love.

L: We come from busy homes, filled with little time to consider Christ in our lives.

P: Lord, give us the strength to follow you in the ways of peace.

L: In times of struggle, we look to God for help.

P: Lord, give us the opportunity to follow you in the ways of kindness.

L: Today, we celebrate the Holy Spirit, who shows us the joy of following God.

P: Lord, give us the patience to follow you in the ways of faith.

***OPENING PRAYER**

Holy One, we come before you today: full of hope, full of desire, full of promise. Help us take up the mantle of faith you have laid before us, that we may use our own gifts of the Spirit to face the challenges before us. Help us face the turmoil within and around us, that we may face the future unafraid. Show us your way, your truth, and your life. Amen.

HYMN

Where He Leads Me

UMH #338

OFFERINGS OF WORSHIP

With confession and the acceptance of forgiveness we are better attuned to hear God's word.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious Lord, you have blessed us with freedom—

freedom to follow or to turn away;

freedom to love or to hate;

freedom to heal or to hurt.

You ask only that we follow your ways, loving our neighbors as ourselves. In the midst of our turbulent lives, help us find teachers to show us the gifts you set within us. And help us claim these gifts today.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Harvest the fruit of the Spirit, freely given by God, and share it freely with others. Know that you are loved and forgiven. Trust that you are treasured, now and always. Amen.

HYMN

Freely, Freely

UMH #389

READING FROM THE HEBREW BIBLE 2 Kings 2:1-2, 6-14

Elisha asks for and receives Elijah's mantle and a double portion of his prophetic spirit before Elijah is taken up by a chariot of fire.

READING FROM THE GOSPEL OF LUKE 9:51-62

Follow Jesus entirely or not at all. But following Jesus does not mean condemning those who do not receive him.

MESSAGE

OFFERINGS OF THANKSGIVING

Having received the Word, we affirm our trust

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/LORD'S PRAYER/CHILDREN'S TIME

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

Special Music *Children of the Heavenly Father, Swedish Melody*
Doxology Praise God From Whom..... UMH #94

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

He Is Exalted, Twila Paris

Please stay seated until the Postlude has ended.

Please join us in Fellowship Hall located below the Sanctuary for Coffee, juice, sweet treats and conversation

MISSION STATEMENT:

"To Make Christ Known!"

Our Church is to serve our community and world, by realizing and sharing, the satisfying and abundant life Christ brings to all people.

Our church is a place where love is present, hurts are healed, joys and concerns are shared and supported by prayer.

WE WELCOME YOU!

Thank you for worshiping with us today. We're glad you're here! Please fill out the Friendship book located at the end of the pew.

CHILD CARE

Children are encouraged to sit in Worship with their family. There are also cloth bags in the back of the Sanctuary with crayons and activities for your child's use.

Kid's Club, Christian Education for Children, takes place on Wednesday Nights from 6-7 pm during the school year.

HOW TO REACH US

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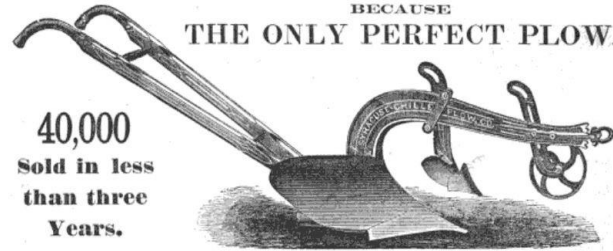
**To make an appointment with Pastor Barb,
call her at 608-931-6804**

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6th Sunday After Pentecost
9:00 Worship Service
June 26, 2016***

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In Ministry – The Congregation

Staff to the Congregation –

Rev. Dr. Barbara Wells, Pastor

Mark Gausman, Lay Leader

Nancy Dickinson, Organist (9:00)

Steven Zych, Guitar and Soloist (10:30)

Ed Hunt, Bass, Banjo, Guitar (10:30)

Nancy Dickinson, Keyboard (10:30)

Daphne Marquardt, Administrative Assistant

Margaret Tadder and Linda Young, Sanctuary Care

Jo Peterson, Coffee Hour Chair

Vera Zych, Worship Chair