

Our Ministry Together

Pastor: Rev. Cindy Finn

Rev. Regina Harrison

Ministers: The whole congregation

Bell Ringer: Daniel Price

Ushers:

Fellowship:

Slides Team: Tara Brown, Judy Samp, Anne Nerison, Syndey Lewis, Jon Grether, Stren Crouch, Hoyt Crouch

Altar Flowers: Randy & Judy Lien in memory of Elva & Morris Lien

Acolytes:

Greeter: Chris & Tara Brown

Pianist: (Sat) Walt Reemtsma

(Sun) Erin Schmidt, Lori Walton,

Michelle Blaha-Polson

Organist: Julie Hayes

Liturgist:

Serving Next Week – February 16/17

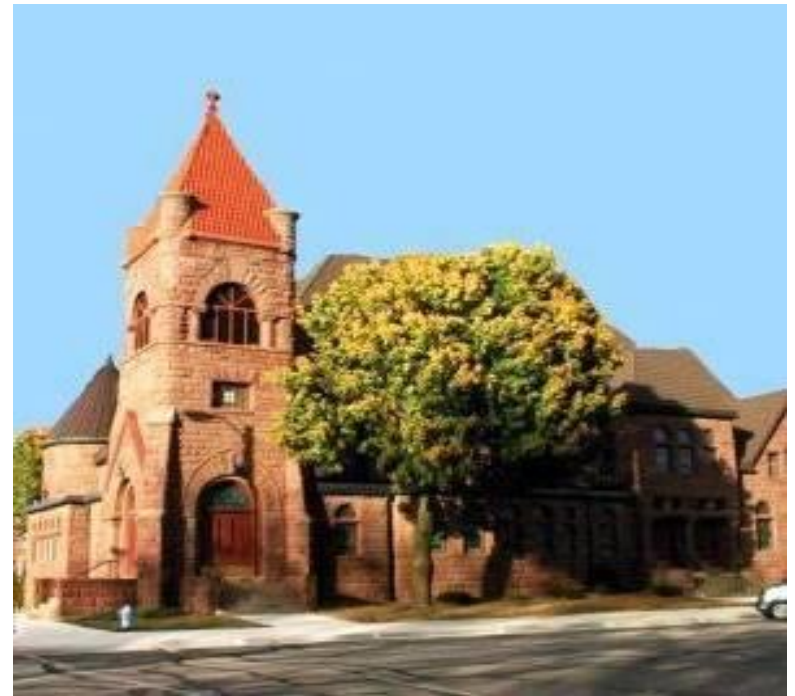
Ushers:

Liturgist:

Fellowship:

Altar Flowers: Wayne & Rosemary Dunn in honor of our 63rd anniversary

Thank you for wearing your name tag!



First United Methodist Church

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Algona, Iowa

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Service Times

Saturdays: 5:00 P.M. (Casual)

Sundays: 8:30 A.M. (Traditional)

10:45 A.M. (Contemporary)

--Grounded in Truth

--Growing in Community

--Giving out of Grace



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February 9, 2019

5th Saturday after Epiphany



Welcome

***Call to Worship**

Come, Lord God, to receive our worship. Come, Lord Jesus, to receive our praise. Come, Holy Spirit, to receive our thanks. Come, eternal three-in-one God, come where we are gathered to celebrate our unity as your body, the church.

We share one faith and are of one soul and one mind, which belong solely and wholly to you.

We are baptized with one baptism, eat of one bread and drink of one cup.

We confess one name above all other names; we are obedient to one Lord, who frees us from the tyranny and hatefulness of the world.

We share one hope, one comfort, one goal.

We are one people, united—despite any noticeable differences—by our faith in you, Lord Jesus.

We are one people, united by your love and mercy to stand against any power that would try to tear us apart.

We are one people, united in blessing and in suffering, united in joy and in sorrow, united in strength and in weakness. Receive our praise!

(Lisa Vander Wal. Used with permission)

Opening Hymn: UMH# 548 *In Christ There Is No East or West

***Opening Prayer**

Holy God, one in grace, one glory, one in love – you call us to love and serve you as one people, united in heart, mind, spirit, and strength. Help us to love one another, living in unity and peace, working together in your Spirit for the good of all; through Jesus Christ, our reconciler and redeemer.

[Eunice T. McGarrahan, A Study of the Belhar Confession and its Accompanying Letter (Louisville: Office of Theology and Worship), p. 36]

Announcements

Conversations with God

Joys and Concerns

(Follow with “Lord in your mercy.” Response: “hear our prayer.”)

Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer

Children’s Time

Hymn of Preparation: UMH#418 *We Are Climbing Jacob’s Ladder*

Hearing God’s Word:

First Lesson: Ephesians 4:11-13

Second Lesson: Genesis 27:18-29

Message

Family Feud

Pastor Cindy

Esau vs Jacob

Closing Hymn: UMH#707 *Hymn of Promise

***Benediction**