

# **United Methodist Church**

August 27th, 2023

# Link for live worship:

https://youtube.com/live/zebgKXdJYzw?feature=share

Prelude Majesty Barbara Shaw
Welcoming the Holy Spirit Acolyte(s)
Greeting and Welcome Rev. Peter Freytag

\* Call To worship

One: Brothers and sisters, join me in gathering to worship our Lord God!

All: Come Lord and join us as we stand in awe before You.

One: We are surrounded by Your works; works of nature, works of compassion, works of grace.

All: We are continually amazed. We are blessed beyond our comprehension.

One: As we come in worship, we humble ourselves before the Master Teacher, Jesus who is the Christ.

All: We pray that You come among us this morning.

\* Hymn A Mother Lined A Basket FWS #2189

Prayer Time - Prayers of the community

## **Unison Prayer**

One: Hear us as we Pray O Lord;

All: Lord, our concerns are many.

You have heard them as we have

lifted them aloud,

One: You have heard them in our silent prayers to You.

All: Amidst those concerns we celebrate joys.

We celebrate the joys of our lives,

We celebrate our families;

We celebrate the joys of our homes, We celebrate the food before us,

We celebrate the joys of church We celebrate our free nation.

One: Lord, nudge us to be aware of those less fortunate.

All: Lord, guide us to a closer walk with Thee. Amen.

Silent Prayer and Meditation

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Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Peter
The Lord's Prayer (unison)		Hymnal #270
Offertory	<b>Bringing in the Sheaves</b>	Barbara Shaw
* Scripture	Matthew 16:13-20	Pew Bible N.T. #16
* Hymn	To God be the Glory	VBS
Sermon	<b>God Gifts</b>	Rev. Peter Freytag
* Hymn	Thine Be the Glory	Hymnal #308
Benediction	Go Now in Peace	Congregation

<sup>\*</sup> Please stand if you are able

#### This Week's Calendar:

**Office Hours:** 

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Wednesday- Office is Closed

6:00 p.m. – Ensemble Practice

Next Sunday, September 3, 2023 11:00 a.m.: English Worship Service

## **Prayers in our Church Family:**

- Ruby Freeman recovering
- James Dixon healing from vasculitis.
- Renee Varon's son Zach's father has stage 4 prostate cancer.
- Mike from Johnstown, pastor Peter's friend
- Joy in knowing that Hadley Mitchell is a gymnast champion.
- Don B. seeking a kidney transplant.
- Violence in our Aurora Community.
- Prayers for our brothers and sisters in Ukraine and in Russia.
- Lahaina, Maui fire

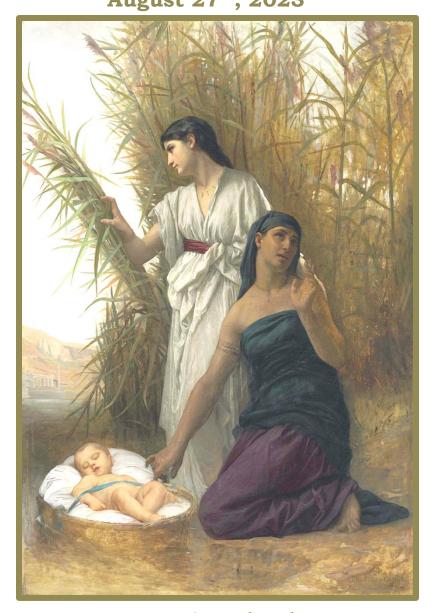
Senior Pastor: Peter Freytag
Office Manager: Paea Kelemeni
Lay Leader: Mark Dockter
Ad Council Chair: Mike Sumrall
Accompanist: Barbara Shaw
Tongan Pastor: Atonio Toluta'u
Christian Ed: Stephanie Iverson
Lay Leader: Ngalu Kelemeni
Lay Delegate: Melba Taylor
Liturgist: Holly Armstrong

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