

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF WINCHESTER

MORNING WORSHIP – November 16, 2008
In current Sanctuary since 1893

27th Sunday after Pentecost -Kingdomtide

Color: Green

THE GATHERING, ANNOUNCEMENTS, AND WELCOME
THE PRELUDE, LIGHTING OF CANDLES, PRAYER

“Cheer Thee, My Soul” Dan Warmbrod

*THE INTROIT “Welcome” The Choirs

*THE HYMN OF PRAISE “From All That Dwell Below the Skies” UMH #101

8:30 Davis Warren 11:00 Randy Edens

*THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH UMH #883
A Statement of Faith of the United Church of Canada

THE MORNING PRAYER AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

THE ANTHEM 8:30 “Give Thanks” Early Service Ensemble
11:00 “The Majesty and Glory of Your Name” Chancel Choir

THE PRESENTATION OF GOD’S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY “Arioso” Dan Warmbrod
*THE DOXOLOGY UMH #95

*THE HYMN “Bring Forth the Kingdom” TFWS #2190

THE CHILDREN’S MESSAGE Rev. Nan Zoller

(All children are invited to the Children’s Time. Following the Children’s Message, children through 1st grade may leave for Children’s Church.)

THE NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Luke 12:13-21 (Pew Bible, Page 70) Rev. Randy Brown

THE MESSAGE “The Heart of the Matter” Rev. Randy Brown

*THE HYMN OF DISCIPLESHIP “Freely, Freely” UMH #389

*THE BENEDICTION AND THE CHORAL BENEDICTION (Sung by all) “Go Forth for God”

*Go forth for God, go to the world in peace. Be of good courage, armed with heav’ly grace.
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*THE POSTLUDE

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The flowers on the altar today are placed in honor of Nora Lea Hardin on her birthday November 19 by Jane, Danny, Karen, Jeff, Kylea and Jamie.

Our Christian Sympathy to Jasper Templeton and family on the loss of Barbara Templeton,
Our Christian Sympathy to Nancy Green & Jean Jackson on the loss of their cousin Kathryn Warren Wilson of Franklin, TN. She was the wife of Rev. Fenton Warren.

Faith Promise Christmas for Children – You can pick up your names today between Sunday School and 11:00 AM Service beside the church office.

Wings of Hope Widows Ministry will celebrate Thanksgiving at the Winchester Church of Christ on Monday, November 17, at 12 Noon. Please bring a covered dish and a good appetite. This is always a special time together.

Agape Circle will meet on Monday, November 17, at 7:00 PM at the offices of Robertson Vaughn. Call Jeanne Vaughn for direction if necessary.

The UMW is collecting tabs from any type of aluminum container. Tabs go toward providing housing for families at Ronald McDonald House and for treatment at St. Jude’s. Please deposit your tabs in the plastic bucket right outside the Church Office. We currently have a local family using the tabs.

RADA Cutlery will be available for orders beginning November 9. Call or see Mary Orr @ 455-0918.

CALLING ALL YOUTH AND ADULTS

With the most joyous time of the Christian calendar approaching, we need to be inviting our neighbors to join us in the celebration of Jesus’ Birth. Next Sunday, November 25, after 2nd Worship Service, would you please join us in the gym for lunch. Adults please bring a covered dish. After sharing a meal together, we will canvas the church neighborhood to invite our neighbors to join us for all the special events on the church calendar.

HOME – Jack Allison, Merrill Ansley, Bonnie Ayers, Aileen Burt, Christine Clark, Edna Mae Clayton, Jim Click, Mildred Click, Kay Crouch, Mike DANielson, Alice Fraker, H. B. Franklin, Lillian Grant, Scott Grover, Sara Horton, Thurman Panter, Edith Pate, Elise Prince, Paul Shasteen, Stephenie Swann, Ruth Tipps, Judy Yates

STMC/ICU – Forrest Erwin

Southern Manor – Carolyn Leonard, Willie Mae Sweeney, Sara Warf **Lake Side Manor** – Douglas Grant
Golden Living Centers – Robert Taylor **Laurel Oaks** – Josephine Ott, Eileen Willis, Melrose Wilson
Country Haven – James Redmond **Sunbridge** – Jasper Templeton
Life Care Center, Tullahoma – Addison Kemp **Bailey Manor** – Hazel Moorehead, Arnell Zimmerman

Greeters 8:30 Bob & Mayme Walker, Sarah Matlock 11:00 Geneva Jenkins, Jim Fowlker

Children's Church 8:30 Anita Hinshaw

CHURCH CALENDAR

- Today:** Sunday School for all ages, starting with 2's, plus nursery care @ 9:40 AM
Children's SS teachers meet in corner room @ 11:00 AM
Hands of Faith Ringers in the choir room @ 12:15 PM
Pam Cobb's student recitals in the Sanctuary @ 2:00 PM & 3:30 PM (all welcome)
Disciple 4 at Harris Chapel @ 4:00 PM
Disciple 1 in the Chapel @ 5:00 PM
Children's "Fear Not Factor" rehearsal in the gym @ 5:00 PM
Chancel & ESE Choirs joint rehearsal in the sanctuary @ 6:30 PM
- Monday:** Body & Soul Exercise Class in the gym 8:00 AM – 9:15 AM
Kindermusik by Jane Myers in the Banquet Room 9:15 AM – 11:00 AM
(call 691-0029 for information)
Wesley Prayer Group 1 @ 9:30 AM
Disciple 2 in the Chapel @ 6:30 PM
- Tuesday:** Lectionary Bible Study in the Library @ 8:30 AM
Wesley Preschool 8:30 AM – 2:30 PM
Disciple 1 PG in the Chapel @ 6:30 PM
Disciple 1 BT in Room 212 @ 6:30 PM
Wesley Prayer Group 2 in the Parlor @ 6:00 PM
- Wednesday:** Body & Soul Exercise Class in the gym 8:00 AM – 9:15 AM
Wesley Preschool 8:30 AM – 2:30 PM
Precepts Bible Study in the Banquet Room @ 9:30 PM
Brassnotes Ringers in the choir room @ 4:15 PM
WNL Supper @ 5:30 PM. Make reservations by signing attendance pad or by calling the church office by Noon on Monday.
Adult Study resumes, Youth and Children's rehearsals @ 6:15 PM (See Insert)
Wesley Prayer Group 3 @ 6:15 PM
Chancel Choir @ 7:15 PM
- Thursday:** Wesley Preschool 8:30 AM – 2:30 PM
Administrative Council in the Banquet Room @ 7:00 PM
AA, Al Anon, Drug Court 12-Step Study @ 7:00 PM (Parlor, Open Door Classroom, Library)
- Friday:** Body & Soul Exercise Class in the gym 8:00 AM – 9:15 AM
Wesley Preschool 8:30 AM – 2:30 PM

CHURCH STAFF

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Pianists: Martha Anne Zimmerman, Susan Walton, Gina Hammer Organists: Dan Warmbrod, Ginger Reed
Custodian: Jackie Stevens
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