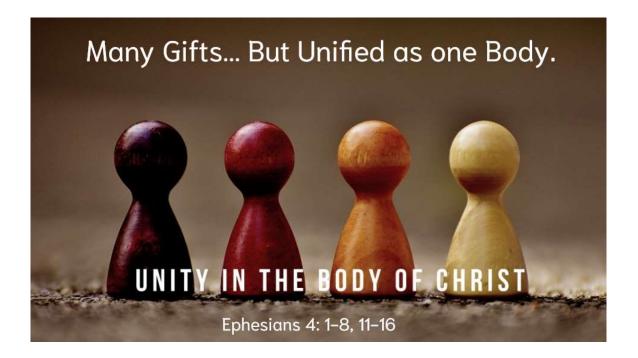
First United Methodist Church

Second Sunday after Epiphany — January 14, 2024



Welcome! We pray that worship here at First United Methodist is a blessing for you, even as your presence blesses us. The Church newsletter, large print hymnals, name tags, and refreshments are available in the welcoming area. Children are always welcome in worship, and we embrace their presence, their joy, and the fun things they often do and say as we worship God. In the welcoming area we have crayons and children's bulletins available. Please fill out the clipboard at the end of your row to register your attendance and tell us a little more about you.

"This is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad in it!"

ORDER OF WORSHIP

January 14, 2024 10:30 AM

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lee Anne Strickland

(At this time please register your in-person attendance on the clipboards placed on each pew; or if you are watching on-line register at **www.1umcm.com** and continue sending us your comments via Facebook, Twitter, email, etc.)

INVITATION TO PASS THE PEACE

"May the Peace of Christ be with you. . . . and also with you."

TRINITY CHIMES

₩ CALL TO WORSHIP "Make Us One"

Screen

₩ Words of Invitation

L: Come, let us worship our God, For there is one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Parent of all, who is above all and through all and in all. P: We come with humility, gentleness, and patience, bearing with one an other in love.

₩ HYMN OF PRAISE "The Church's One Foundation" #545/Screen

¥ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH A Modern Affirmation #885/Screen

¥ GLORIA PATRI #70/Screen

CONFESSION

Prayer: God, you have called us to live lives worthy of the calling to which we have been called. But we confess to you and each other that we have not always spoken the truth in love; we have not always made every effort to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. Forgive us and, by your grace, help us to grow in every way into him who is our head, Jesus Christ. Amen.

PRAISES & PRAYER REQUESTS

Rev. Chris Black

PASTORAL PRAYER Rev. Chris Black

THE LORD'S PRAYER:

Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

HYMN "Bind Us Together In Love" Screen

CHILDREN'S MOMENT Rev. Chris Black

INVITATION TO OFFERING

During this time we worship by the giving of our gifts and offerings for the work of the church in ministry and mission. For those who are watching online, you may mail your gifts to First United Methodist Church, P O Box 157, Madisonville, TN 37354, or go to our website: **tithing.1umcm.com** for directions and other options.

OFFERTORY "Glorious Impossible" Chancel Choir
DOXOLOGY #94/Screen

SCRIPTURE Ephesians 4: 1-8, 11-16

Leader: The Word of God, for the People of God

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON "Many Gifts...But United as One Body" Rev. Chris Black

¥ CLOSING HYMN "They'll Know We Are Christians" Screen

★ Benediction

¥ BENEDICTION RESPONSE "They'll Know We Are Christians" (Refrain) Screen

TRINITY CHIMES

POSTLUDE

₩ Please stand as you are able. Serve the Lord this week where you are able!

This Week In Our Church

Sunday, January 14, 2024

08:30 AM - 09:30 AM United Methodist Men Fellowship Hall

09:30 AM - 10:30 AM Adult Sunday School Library

12:00 PM – 02:00 PM Revelation Bible Fellowship— Youth Room

Monday, January 15, 2024

06:00 PM - 06:30 PM Cub Scouts Den 100 Youth Room

07:00 PM - 08:30 PM Scouts Troop 10 Community Room

Tuesday, January 16, 2024

05:00 PM - 06:00 PM Community Café Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, January 17, 2024

10:30 AM – 11:30 AM Pastor's Bible Study (AM) Main Sanctuary

12:00 PM - 12:30 PM Midweek Communion Service - Main Sanctuary

06:00 PM - 07:00 PM Choir Rehearsal Main Sanctuary

06:00 PM - 06:30 PM Youth/IGNITE Meal Fellowship Hall

06:30 PM - 07:30 PM IGNITE! Child's Ministry Admin Wing

06:30 PM - 08:00 PM United Methodist Youth Youth Room

07:00 PM - 08:00 PM Pastor's Bible Study (PM) Community Room

Friday, January 19, 2024

04:00 PM Departure Resurrection 2024 Pigeon Forge, TN 05:30 PM - 06:00 PM Alcoholics Anonymous Community Room

Saturday, January 20, 2024

01/19/24 - 01/21/24 Resurrection 2024 Pigeon Forge

Sunday, January 21, 2024

Afternoon Return Resurrection 2024 Pigeon Forge

09:30 AM - 10:30 AM Adult Sunday School Library

11:45 AM - 01:15 PM United Women in Faith Fellowship Hall

Coffee bar today is hosted by Jan Johnson.

The trustee for today is Wes Hibbert. First

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