

**Welcome to
Johnson Memorial
United Methodist Church**



Sunday August 13, 2017

**The Order of Worship of God
10th Sunday After Pentecost
August 13, 2017 - 10:30 AM**



Prelude “Meditation on *Just as I Am & Jesus Savior, Pilot Me* ”

Janzer

***Call to Worship (Romans 10)**

Leader: The Word is near us in this place.

God’s presence is everywhere.

People: We come to God’s house to praise God’s name!

Leader: The Word is near us in this place.

God’s glory is everywhere

**People: We come to God’s house to confess our belief
in the risen Lord!**

Leader: The Word is near us in this place.

God’s power is everywhere.

People: We come to God’s house to believe in God!

Leader: The Word is near us in this place.

God’s love and acceptance are everywhere.

All: We come to God’s house to be saved!

***Hymn of Praise**

“Faith of Our Fathers”

Tune - UMH 710

Faith of our fathers, living still;
in spite of dungeon, fire, and sword;
O, how our hearts beat high with joy whene’er we hear that glorious word!
Faith of our fathers, holy faith! We will be true to thee till death.

Faith of our mothers, daring faith, Your work for Christ is love revealed;
Spreading God's word from pole to pole,
Making love known and Freedom real.
Faith of our mothers, holy faith! We will be true to thee till death.

Faith of our sisters, brothers too; who still must bear oppression's might;
Raising on high in prison's dark - The cross of Christ still burning bright:
Faith for today, O living faith! We will be true to thee till death.

* Please stand as you are able

***Morning Prayer:**

**Almighty and most gracious God, we give you thanks for this day
and for calling us here to your place of worship.**

**We gather to praise your name, for your faithfulness endures
from generation to generation.**

Signs of your faithfulness are all around us;

love, mercy, forgiveness, new life,

and the gifts of your Son, Jesus Christ, and the Holy Spirit.

Help us to claim your faithfulness

as we seek to increase our faithfulness to you.

In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Men's Chorus

"Standing on the Promises"

Epistle Lesson

Romans 10: 5-15

Marv Jones

Mission Moment

Scott Ramsey

Men's Chorus

"Victory in Jesus"

***Gospel Lesson**

Matthew 14: 22-33

Children's Moment

"We Are The Church"

UMH 558

I am the church, you are the church, we are the church together.

All who follow Jesus all around the world; yes, we're the church together.

***Hymn of Preparation**

"Great is Thy Faithfulness"

UMH 140

Sermon

"Amazing Faith"

Rev. Alan Williams

Solo

"The Water Is Wide/Deep River"

Brooke Fisher, Mezzo-Soprano

Traditional

Arr. Mardin

Call to Prayer

"Sweet Hour of Prayer"

Sweet hour of prayer, sweet hour of prayer that calls me to a world of care

From God whose truth and faithfulness engage my waiting soul to bless.

Prayers of the People

Rev. Suzanne Ellis

The Lord's Prayer

Prayer Response

"Sweet Hour Of Prayer"

In seasons of distress and grief my soul has often found relief.

I'll cast on God my every care with open heart, sweet hour of prayer.

Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts to God

Offertory

“Give to the Winds Thy Fears”

Janzer

Doxology

1. Glad - ly we praise you and bless you, Cre -
 2. Christ, we a - dore you and thank you, com -

a - tor, O God of Life. _____
 pas - sion of God, our Light. _____

3. Great Ho - ly Spir - it, by you we are
 born from a - bove! _____ Al - le - lu - ia!
 Praise the God of bless - ing! Al -
 le - lu - ia! Bless the God of Love! _____

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*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn of Response

“Amazing Grace”

UMH 378 vv. 1-4

Benediction

* Benediction Response

“Amazing Grace”

UMH 378 v. 5

Postlude

“Promenade”

Clarke

Today's Service

Lector: Marv Jones

Usher Coordinator: Jim Daniel, Jr.

Head Ushers: Lee Oxley, Frank Hanshaw

Ushers: Marv Jones, Bill Kosto, Selby Litton, Brad Lesher,
Steve Matthews, Charles Shelton, Scott & Jean Ramsey, Alan Simmons,
Tom Thompson, Charles & Gale Williams

Media: Andy Turnbull, Megan Ayers, Fred Herr

Altar Flowers: In loving memory of Mark Lesher for his birthday,
by his wife Faye Lesher and Family

Cover Art: "Sketch for Jesus Walking on Water" by John Lautermilch

Welcome!

Johnson Memorial United Methodist Church is a Reconciling Ministries Congregation that seeks to be welcoming and affirming to all people. We are excited to have you worshiping with us today and love that you have chosen to be a part of the Johnson Memorial family, if only for today.

Our Vision

The vision of Johnson Memorial United Methodist Church is to be a covenant community, transformed by God's grace to share the love of Christ with the world.

Our Mission

The Mission of Johnson Memorial United Methodist Church is to bring others to Christ, embrace them with love, nurture everyone in faith, worship God joyfully, and reach out in service to the world.

"It's Time..."

On **Wednesday September 13th** *"It's Time..."* begins with a night of food, fun, fellowship and learning at Johnson Memorial!

There will be a light dinner at **5:15 to 6:00**, then the fun begins, with Bell choir, Bible study for all ages, Choir, and future electives will be offered as interest and attendance build. We have a beautiful new space, let's put it to good use. Would you like to help with a youth program, or lead a bible study? *"It's Time..."* is a mid-week

time of rejuvenation, fellowship, and sharing with our JM family.

Our Gifts and Presence

Sunday August 6th

Sunday School - 42	\$ 53.00
Worship Service - 88	\$ 6,237.00
United Meth. Men	\$ 24.00
Jim Ray Fund	\$ 50.00
Mission of Peace w/ Max	\$ 450.00
Total :	\$ 6,814.00

Our Prayers

Al and Pat Zabel
Jane Kincaid
Dottie Daugherty
The Family of Virginia Nelson
Estelle Wyatt
Bing McGinnis Murphy
Scott Walker, cousin of
Martha Casey
Christina Roush

Mrs. Bonnie Parsons
Joyce Edwards, Jean
Ramsey's sister
Tebaliah Martindale,
Rev. Terry's Niece
Laura Waggoner
Janet Payne, Bruce's aunt

Week of August 13, 2017

Sunday August 13

9:30 am - Sunday School
10:30 am - Worship

Monday August 14

7:00 pm Boy Scouts
*Pastor Alan away all week
on Conference business

Tuesday August 15

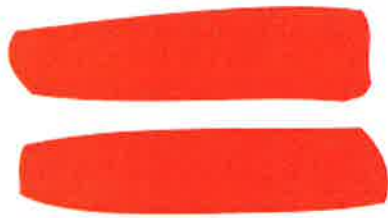
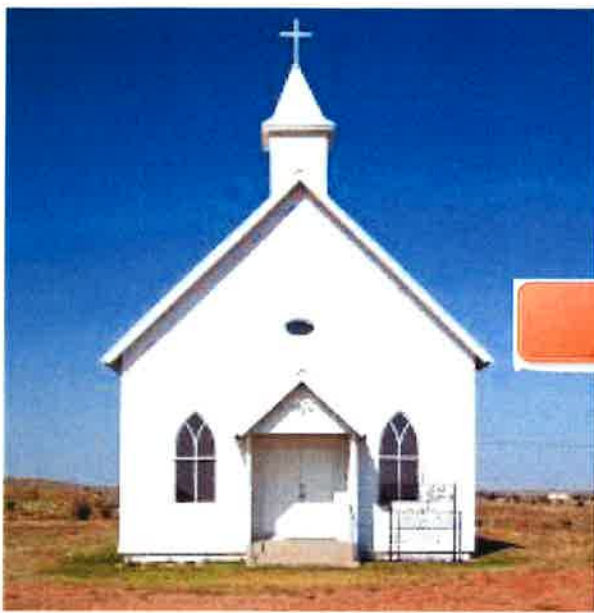
12:15 pm Chair Yoga

Wednesday August 16

7:00 am Andrews Brothers

Thursday August 17

*Beth out of office today
12:00 pm Young at Heart
6:00 pm Common
Grounds



Join us on August 27 at Ritter Park for morning worship and our annual church picnic!

Worship begins at 10:30 at the new Ritter Park picnic shelter, and the picnic will follow at 11:30.

Please bring a chair, bring a favorite side dish or desert, and bring your neighbors, friends and family!

We will provide the hot dogs, hamburgers, and drinks.



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