

**IN SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY (SEPT. 9)**

Worship at 8:30 & 10:45 a.m.

Liturgist 8:30 Jan VanHouten

10:45 Trevor Kessell

Nursery: Ruth Smith & Alana Schafer

Junior Church: Karyn Vaughn

***THIS WEEK***

**Today** *Committee chairs* – today is the final day to submit your 2019 budget requests into the treasurer. See or call Bill Valiie with questions.

Blessings of the Backpacks – please use today’s insert to pray for the children & youth of this community.

Photo directories are here. If you had your photo taken this Spring by LifeTouch or submitted a photo please stop at the table in the lobby to pick up your copy of the directory.

**Mon.** Labor Day – church office closed

**Wed.** 6:30 p.m. Lay Leadership Committee

**Sat.** 9 a.m. United Methodist Men fellowship breakfast at 5<sup>th</sup> Wheel Diner on N. Telegraph just south of the Newport Road intersection.

***WHAT'S AHEAD***

Next Sunday fall programming begins at Carleton UMC

Worship will be offered at 8:30 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.

Sunday school for all ages including infants & adults starts at 9:30 a.m.

Monday, Sept. 10th

6:30 p.m. Staff Parish Relations

7 p.m. Trustees

8 p.m. Church Council

Sunday, Sept. 16<sup>th</sup> Noon Destination Unknown outing. See Karyn Vaughn for details.

Monday, Sept. 17<sup>th</sup> 6:30 p.m. United Methodist Women

Thursday, Sept. 20<sup>th</sup> 10 a.m. – Noon Quilts of Love (new day and time)



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Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost

September 2, 2018

Worship 9:30

Rev. Taek Kim, pastor

Organist: Edna Trainor-Lancour

Pianist: Carol Sieb

Liturgist: Tim Bodenmiller

Sound Board: Nick Mazur

## *Order of Worship*

### **Announcements**

*Please pass the friendship folders located at the end of the pew; providing your name and address, so we can celebrate your presence.*

### **Prelude and Service of Lights**

#### **\*Call to Worship**

L: We gather as a people, growing together in faith, working together in hope,

**P: Worshiping together in love, and praying together in confidence.**

L: We also gather as a people who help bear one another's loads,

**P: Share one another's joy,**

L: Strengthen one another's weaknesses,

**P: And joyfully live in God's presence.**

**\*Opening Song**                      *To God Be the Glory*                      98

### **Greet One Another**

*We're glad you're here! Extend a warm greeting to one another.*

**New Member Reception**                      David and Jennifer Conn

### **Blessing of the Backpacks**

### **Children's Message**

*All children are invited forward for the children's message.*

### **Prayer Requests and Praises**

*Please fill out a green prayer request card for those you are lifting in prayer today so we can send a note of encouragement to them.*

**Prayer Chorus**                      Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus (349)

*Turn your eyes upon Jesus, look full in his wonderful face,  
(wonderful face,) and the things of earth  
will grow strangely dim in the light of his glory and grace*

### **Silent and Pastoral Prayers**

### **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.

**\*Song**                                      *In His Time*                                      2203

**Scripture Reading**                                      Matthew 11:28-30

Reader: This is the word of God for the people of God!

**People: Thanks be to God!**

**Message**                                      *Finding Rest In Christ*                                      Rev. Taek Kim

### **Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts**

#### **\*Thanksgiving**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise him all creatures here below. Praise him above ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

#### **\*Prayer of Dedication**

**We give a portion of all you have given to us, O God, out of humble gratitude. We also give with thanksgiving knowing all the blessings we have through those have given to you before us, for God's will to be done in our church and in lives. Amen.**

**\*Closing Song**                      *They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love*                      2223

#### **\*Benediction**

#### **\*Postlude**

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\*Please stand as able.