



September 14, 2014
14th Sunday After Pentecost

Rev. Dave Leckrone, Senior Pastor
Rev. Ty Williams, Associate Pastor
Bob Lybarger, Associate Pastor

Our Mission: Invite ~ Equip ~ Engage

Worship Services
8:15 & 10:45am ~ Traditional (Sanctuary)
9:30 & 10:45am ~ Contemporary (First Place)

Welcome to Worship

Pastoral Welcome

Community Sharing (Announcements- Registration Pads- Birthdays- Anniversaries)

Time of Greeting

3rd Grade Bible Presentation

Voluntary

"Holy God, We Praise Thy Name"

J. Kosnik

*Opening Hymn

"Surely the Presence"

*Hymn #103

"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

*Invocation

*Affirmation #881

*Gloria Patri

Prayer Requests, Joys & Concerns

Silent, Pastoral & the Lord's Prayer

Prayer Hymn #2080

"All I Need Is You"

All I need is you,

Jesus, all I need is you.

You are the source of all I need.

All I need is you.

Chancel Choir

"Assurance"

Hymn

"Jesus Loves the Little Children"

Children's Message *All children are welcome to come to the chancel steps.*

PreK-2nd graders will go to room 304 with Randy & Jen Sentman.

Offertory

"The Lord's My Shepherd"

arr. F. Bock

Doxology #95

*Offertory Prayer

*Hymn #2203

"In His Time"

Scripture Lesson: Exodus 14:21-29

Evelyn West

Sermon

"Just the Cross"

Rev. Dave Leckrone

*Hymn #504

"The Old Rugged Cross"

*Benediction

Postlude

"I Love to Tell the Story"

E.L. Ashford

Tawnie Johnson, Organist

** congregation stands if able*

The First United Methodist Church

First News



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Office: Mon-Fri, 9am-5pm

First Friend of the Week:

(Take a moment to send a note/card to our First Friend.)

Pam Gibbellino

545 Wyndham Ct., Troy

Recovering from surgery.

Worship Attendance

Sept 7: 380

Altar Flowers

The altar flowers are presented to the Glory of God by Nancy Yantis, in memory of her husband, Paul, and son, Duane, and in honor of Mark & Tonya and their families.

Greeters Needed

Greeters are needed for the traditional worship services in Sept & Oct. Please sign up on the clipboard located in the Gathering room for one or two Sundays.



Please keep the following members of our church family in your prayers:

- ♥Allen Marheine recovering from hip surgery
- ♥Dale Fisher, under Hospice Care

You may add a church family member to the list after first obtaining their permission and then contacting the church office at 335-2826 or staff@troyfumc.org.

Let's Go!

Please join us at First Place tomorrow, Sept 15 @ 7pm. We will have a short program on two of the 2015 trips. Bob & Ann Baird

New Member Meeting

Would you like to join the church? If so, there will be a new member meeting on Mon, Sept 22 @ 7pm in room 311. Please contact Sue at: smartin@troyfumc.org if you plan to attend.

Altar Roses

A white rose has been placed on the altar to memory of:

† **Don Isern**, who passed away Sept 10. He is a member of FUMC.

Roses are courtesy of Baird Funeral Home and family members are welcome to take the rose.

Did You Forget to Submit a Recipe for the New UMW Cookbook?

The United Methodist Women are thrilled over the recipe response for their new cookbook. Thank You! The publisher has informed us that anyone who has a recipe to be included in the cookbook may still contribute. Please drop the recipes off at the church office. To obtain a copy of the recipe form go to the church webdite and scroll to the bottom or pick one up at the church office. Thank you. UMW

B.I.B.L.E. Class Begins

B.I.B.L.E. Class begins this Tues, Sept 16 @ 6:30pm in room 311. The class is led by Richard Shepherd. The topic is "The Age of Grace" and covers the first Advent to the second coming. This class will delve into Daniel and Revelation. Everyone is welcome to attend.

8th Annual World Race for Hope

Registration for the 8th annual World Race for Hope 5k run/walk on New Year's Day is now open. The race will start at 10am outside of First Place and end in the same place. Registration is currently available online only at <https://www.signmeup.com/site/reg/register.aspx?fid=B52VXH7>, but there will eventually be paper registration forms. If you have any questions, or you wish to be a volunteer at the race, please contact Brett Bogan, Cynde Sroufe or Scott Robinson.

UMW Rummage Sale

"One man's junk is another man's treasure." Wise old saying. It's time again to unclutter your homes and clear out your closets. There are people out there who would "treasure" some of your things. Your unneeded things can be of great value to people who have little. We will accept your items starting, Tuesday, October 7th at 9:00 a.m. until Thursday, October 9th at 4:00 p.m. Sale days are Friday, October 10th (9-4) and Saturday, October 11th (9-12). If you would like to "work" on this mission project with us please call, 335-1401.

United Methodist Women

Spanish Classes

Given our ongoing missions work in Central America, as well as the growing Latin American population in the Dayton area, the church is looking into providing classes to learn Spanish to anybody interested in at a low or no cost. The classes would likely be one evening per week, for a couple of hours, starting in the next few months. There will be a signup sheet in the Gathering Room and at First Place in order to collect interest (not a commitment).

Stand With Me movie at Neon Movies

The documentary about Vivienne Harr (Make a Stand Lemon-aid founder) called Stand With Me will be screened at Neon Movies in Downtown Dayton on Thurs, Sept 25 @ 7:30pm. Peace on Fifth, the slave-free, fair trade store near the Oregon District, is hosting the event. In order for the screening to occur, 68 tickets need to be sold before Sept 12. Tickets are \$11, and can be purchased online at: <http://www.tugg.com/events/10839>.

TFY Upcoming Events

Sept 17: Ice Cream Social/ Invite a friend
Sept 19-20: Jr Hi Lock-In, 7pm-7am
Oct 5: Youth Auction (3-9pm)
Weds: Youth Group, 6:30-8:30pm

College Addresses

We want to keep up with your son/daughter as they go off to college. Please call the church office, 335-2826, or email us with their college address: staff@troyfumc.org.

First Place Food Pantry

A ministry of the First United Methodist Church
721 Lincoln Ave, Troy

Hours:

Monday, Wednesday* & Friday
1-3pm

Monday Evening: 5-6:30pm

*2nd Wednesday: 3-5pm

Must bring a photo ID and proof of residency for Troy.

Volunteers always needed!!!

Today's Anthem

"Assurance"

Text: Fanny Crosby Arr. By John Ness Beck

1. Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!
Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.

Refrain

2. This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long;
This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long.
3. Perfect submission, all is at rest,
I in my Savior am happy and blest,
Watching and waiting, looking above,
Filled with His goodness, lost in His love.

Refrain

Chancel Choir Members:

Sopranos: Kathi Dow, Janice Harshman,
Lillian Holmes, Marilee Lake, Joyce Mosher,
Jan Murphy & Nan Conard

Altos: Myrle Briggs, Bonnie Brohard, Pam
Gibellino, Bobbi Kelly, Celeste Lewis, Carol
Marheine, Jan Wise & Janet Wright

Tenors: Jim Braby, Doug Burch, Peter
Dow, Mark Rogers & Nick Tumbleson

Basses: Bob Blythe, Allen Marheine, Joe
Mosher, Bruce Scranton & Stan Shaw

Preaching Schedule

September 21

8:15 & 10:45am Rev. Dave Leckrone

9:30 & 10:45am Rev. Ty Williams

September 28

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9:30 & 10:45am Rev. Ty Williams



The FUMC Health Ministry is doing a Health Needs Survey all this month. Please take time to complete the survey (one per family) and return to the baskets at the church entrances. This is important information that the health ministry program will use to offer better programs that are of interest to you.

TODAY!!!: The FUMC Health Ministry has placed a bookmark in First News for your use and information.

Greeters:

8:15am:

Franklin St Nevin & Donna Elleman
Cherry St Lowell & Mary Davis

10:45am:

Franklin St Judy Johnson & Phyllis Crawford
Cherry Street Ed and Bette Cahill

Usher Captains:

8:15am: Bruce Beeman

10:45am: Steve Johnson

Acolytes: Jackson Hartman & Will Wolke

Summer for Social Justice Update

The summer campaign featuring Make a Stand Lemonade finished with 23 cases sold out of 100. We will be selling the lemonade again at our next Fair Trade Sunday at the end of Sept. You can always call the church office to arrange for pickup during the week or on a Sunday morning. Thank you for your support of Troy FUMC's social justice ministry.

Weekly Calendar

Today: Sept 14 *3rd grade bibles presented*

8:15, 9:30, & 10:45am Worship
8:30-10am Community Breakfast, FP
9:30am Acolyte Training, Sanctuary

Monday: Sept 15

6:30am Men's Life, Bob Evan's
9:00am First Kids Preschool
9:15am Prayer Group
9:30am Staff Meeting
3:00pm Senior Chair Exercises, FP
3:45pm Pilates Class, FP
6:00pm First Kids Board
7:00pm Ch Ed, Evangelism, Nurture & Outreach Committees
7:00pm Let's Go! 2015 Trip meeting, FP

Tuesday: Sept 16

8:30am Miami County Schools, FP
8:30am FK Preschool
9:30am Bell Quartet
9:30am UMW Board, FP
2:00pm Fidelity Health, 321
5:00pm Quilt Club, 321
6:00pm Small group, FP
6:30pm BIBLE Class, 311

Wednesday: Sept 17

9:00am FK Preschool
3:00pm Senior Chair Exercises, FP
3:45pm Pilates Class, FP
6:30pm TFY, FP

Thursday: Sept 18

8:30am FK Preschool

7:00pm Praise Team, FP
7:30pm Chancel Choir
7:30pm Finance Meeting, 311

Friday: Sept 19

9:00am FK Preschool
7:00pm Jr Hi Lock In, FP

Saturday: Sept 20

7:00am: Jr Hi Lock In ends, FP
7:30am Men's Prayer Bfast @ Friendly's
7:30am Men's Life @ Bob Evans

Next Sunday: Sept 21

8:15, 9:30, & 10:45am Worship
8:30-10am Community Breakfast, FP

Upcoming Events

Today: 3rd Grade Bibles

Sept 24: Let's Go! LaComedia
Sept 28: Flowers 4 our Special Folks
Oct 5: World Communion Sunday
Oct 5: Youth Auction & All Church Dinner @ Baird's
Oct 7-9: Rummage Sale Drop off, FP, 9am-4pm
Oct 10 & 11: UMW Rummage Sale, FP
Oct 15: ROCK & ROCK meals begin
Oct 20-23: Let's Go! Lancaster/Amishlands
Oct 26: Trunk n Treat, 5:30pm
Nov 2: All Saints Sunday
Nov 9: Pajama Sunday
Nov 23: Hanging of the Greens
Nov 27 & 28: Office Closed
Nov 30: UM Student Sunday
Nov 30: 1st Sunday of Advent
Nov 30: All Church Christmas Party, 5pm
Dec 5: Let's Go! Lights under Louisville
Dec 6: UMW Cookie Walk
Dec 7: Christmas Caroling, 3pm
Dec 8-12: Let's Go! Chicago at Christmas Time
Dec 24: Services @ 5, 6, 7, 8 & 9pm
Jan 1: World Race for Hope, 10am, FP



Friday, September 26, 2014, 7pm @ RiverScape MetroPark, Dayton. Check-in & registration begins @ 5:30pm. Registration forms available in the Gathering room & @ First Place.

Thank You!!!

"Dear Congregation, On behalf of the Board of Education of the Troy City Schools, I want to thank you for generous donation of assorted school supplies to be distributed as needed to the students of Kyle Elementary School. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. It is with the help of organizations such as you that the Troy School District is able to provide a quality education for the young people of this district. We are always pleased to receive this type of assistance and thank you for your consideration."

Sincerely, Eric Herman, Superintendent

"Dear Friends, thank you for your generous donation to the Giving Tree. Once again Troy Church communities and citizens have supported more Troy school children than any other year. May God bless you in your good works. We know the children of Troy

whom we support will remember your kindness and offer their friendship in years to come."

Sincerely,

Jane Johnson

First Presbyterian Church

"Thank you so much for the beautiful flowers and to Mary and Lowell Davis for delivering them. We so appreciate and enjoy them. It is indeed a blessing to have such a wonderful church family."

The Longs

We extend a warm welcome to all our visitors today!

Nursery Care: Room 202

See Usher for assistance.

Childcare Staff Person(s):

Sandra Makemson and Barbara Warner

We Welcome Children in Worship. The following items are available to assist you in the sanctuary: quiet bags, children's bulletins, a child-sized table and rocking chairs are available. If you need assistance see an Usher.

Special Needs:

Large print bulletins are available from an Usher.

Stewardship Report

General Operating Pledged/Unpledged Giving

Week 35 of 52

| 9/7/14 | 9/8/13 | Change | % Change |
|---------------|---------------|--------------|----------|
| \$11,112.81 | \$15,056.80 | (\$3,943.99) | -26.2% |
| <hr/> | | | |
| 1/1/14-9/7/14 | 1/1/13-9/8/13 | Change | % Change |
| \$377,821.75 | \$377,678.03 | \$143.72 | +0.04% |

Notes

- 1) The 2014 General Operating Budget is \$662,134 (\$12,733 per week/\$55,178 per month). This year's budget is 0.55% lower than the 2013 budget.
- 2) We have received 57.1% of our 2014 income budget year to date.
- 3) Online giving for all funds is \$72,044.00 through 8/31.

Last Week's Offering

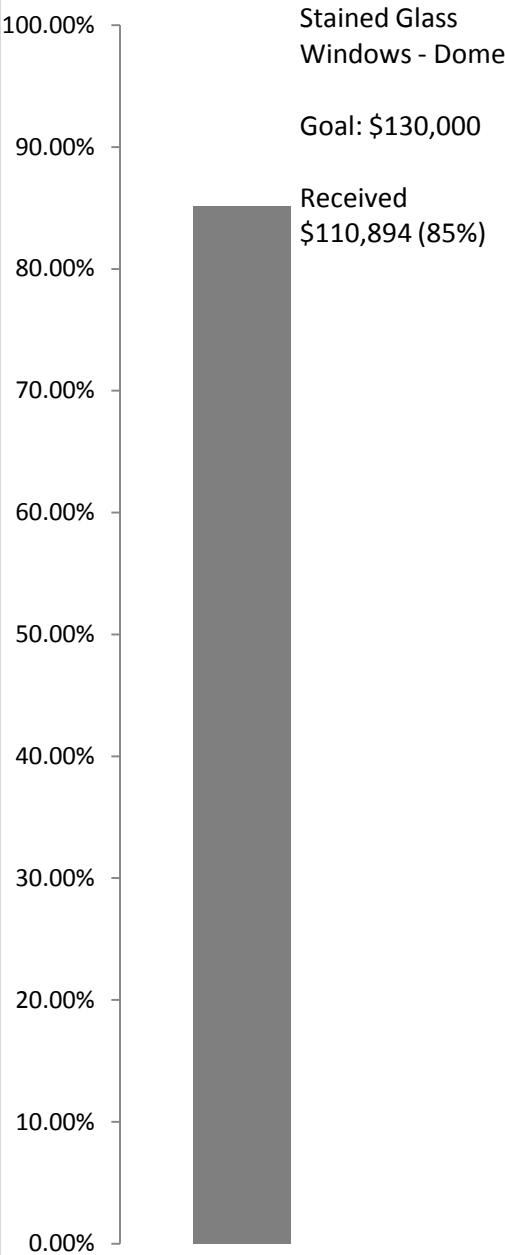
Money Received for the General Operating Fund

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| General Pledged/Unpledged Tithes & Offerings | \$11,112.81 |
| Loose Plate | 170.94 |
| Sunday School | 31.10 |
| Coffee | 7 |
| Upper Room | 9 |
| Youth | 0 |
| Breakfast | 35.85 |

Money Received & Designated to Special Projects & Other Funds **Not Included** in General Operating. These are designated gifts, contributions and other income received by the church from church members and constituents. These amounts do not represent any financial support from the general operating fund to these special projects and funds.

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| Missions 50 | Food Pantry 345 | First Kids Donation 20 |
| BHoH 60 | First Kids Tuition 8792 | Let's Go! 2305 |
| Team Grace 428.50 | | |

Special Campaigns



Third Floor Ceiling Project

Total Spent: \$48,248

Total Contributions Received: \$18,653

Deficit: \$29,595

“Kids’ Korner” **Congratulations to:**

*Call the Church office (335-2826) or e-mail:
staff@troyfumc.org with special things your children have
accomplished, so we can celebrate with you.*

Another Little Sleep Quiz-Multiple Choice



1. Which of the following is a symptom of insomnia?
 - A. Waking up tired.
 - B. Dreaming every night.
 - C. Sleeping through the night.
2. Short term insomnia may be caused by which of the following?
 - A. Grieving after losing a spouse or loved one.
 - B. Moving to a new area.
 - C. Being in the hospital.
 - D. All of the above.
3. What is the most common reason for older people to wake up at night?
 - A. They hear a strange noise.
 - B. They have to go to the bathroom.
 - C. They are in pain.

And the Answers Are

1. Other symptoms include: Waking up many times each night. Waking up early and being unable to get back to sleep. Taking a long time -more than 30 to 45 minutes-to fall asleep.
2. Short term insomnia, lasting less than one month, may result after a medical or psychiatric condition. Or it may occur after a change in personal circumstances like losing a loved one. If insomnia lasts longer than a month, it is considered chronic, even if the original cause has been resolved.
3. However, disorders that cause pain or discomfort during the night like cancer, arthritis, menopause, or heartburn can also cause older adults to lose sleep. Heart failure and lung disease may make it more difficult to sleep through the night too.



1814—2014 200th year

Celebration Parade



Join the Celebration Parade

Carry one of 200 Flags

Saturday, Sept. 20, 3:45 PM, **One Call Now**

The Troy Noon Optimist club is providing their flags for the 1814-2014, 200th Year Celebration Parade

Bring your family, a church group, your club or Organization a baseball team or golf foursome.

Just picture a parade of 200 Flags and you are part of the history making event..

CALL, CALL CALL to be a part of History!

(937) 339-0511

Leave a name and the number of people that will carry a flag with you.

Youth Auction & All Church Picnic

Sunday, October 5

**@ The Baird Farm
2006 Troy Urbana Rd., Troy**

Games, face painting & hayrides

4:30pm: Silent Auction begins

5pm: Church Carry In dinner

*Please bring a covered dish to share
(drinks & tableware provided)*

6pm: Live Auction Begins

***The auction supports our
Youth program for 2014-15.***