



# The Soo Chimes

First United Presbyterian Church



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## Pastor's Message

In 2 Kings 22 we have a very interesting story. A book of the Law is found in the temple during restoration work 2 Kings 22: 4-10, "Go up to Hilkiah the high priest and have him get ready the money that has been brought into the temple of the Lord, which the doorkeepers have collected from the people. <sup>5</sup>Have them entrust it to the men appointed to supervise the work on the temple. And have these men pay the workers who repair the temple of the Lord— <sup>6</sup>the carpenters, the builders and the masons. Also have them purchase timber and dressed stone to repair the temple. <sup>7</sup>.....<sup>8</sup>Hilkiah the high priest said to Shaphan the secretary, "I have found the Book of the Law in the temple of the Lord." He gave it to Shaphan, who read it. <sup>9</sup>Then Shaphan the secretary went to the king and reported to him: "Your officials have paid out the money that was in the temple of the Lord and have entrusted it to the workers and supervisors at the temple." <sup>10</sup> Then Shaphan the secretary informed the king, "Hilkiah the priest has given me a book." And Shaphan read from it in the presence of the king."

Upon hearing the words King Josiah was grieved as he began to realize how Israel had not kept faith with God over the years. Josiah, his reaction and what he did in

response to hearing the book of the Law is usually the focus of the passage. Buried within this great story, there are some interesting elements. A Temple restoration project is the backdrop of the story. Why did the Temple need to be repaired? By King Josiah's day the temple had stood for about 300 years. Wow, think about that. Our nation is still 60 years younger than the Temple was in Josiah's day. Obviously there was a need from time to time to restore the Temple.

The church is, of course, more than a building. It is a community. It is a body of believers. Even so, the reality is just like a building it needs work. Our particular church is no different. It takes individuals who give of their time, talents, ideas, enthusiasm and money to make sure our church continues to be what it has in the past. It is what we are called to do; it is how we make Jesus' church useful in the world. It is how we please God.

Peace in Christ,

Mark

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**The Purpose of the First United Presbyterian Church is to:**  
*Invite people to know and glorify God*  
*Grow together as followers of Christ*  
*Serve others through the power of the Holy Spirit*

*Receive your newsletter by email and in color, too. Call the office to find out how!*



Owen Nicholls, Shane Miller, Gina Gough,  
 Alex McCready, Andrea Klier, Della Porter,  
 Dorothy Smart, Kevin Tastor, Pat Whyte,  
 Jim Schmidt, Jane Kellan, Joyce Cross, William Kellan, Lillian Donelson,  
 Tom and Ellen Woodgate, Christine Mickelson, Tara Jean Brody,  
 Geraldine Carnahan, Wendy (Menard) James, Margaret Vonderwerth &  
 her family, and all members of missionaries and  
 the U.S. Armed Forces.

**Please keep us up to date on your prayer requests.**



*In memory of ...*

Marilyn Schilling  
 08/19/17



**Our Sunday  
 Worship Service  
 starts at 10:00 a.m.  
 We hope to see you  
 on Sunday!**



**Deacon's  
 Corner**

The next Deacon's  
 Meeting will be held on  
 October 15th.



**SUNDAY,  
 OCTOBER 15TH  
 2:00 PM  
 CATHY AKRE**



Call Office



**McKinley Manor  
 2023 West 4th Avenue**

Jane Kellan  
 Vera Steffens

**Tendercare- Sault Ste Marie**

**1011 Meridian**

Jim Schmidt  
 Jean Smith

**WMH Long Term Care  
 500 Osborn Boulevard**

Robert Ferguson  
 Lois Myers

**Freighter View Assisted Living  
 605 West Portage Avenue**

Virginia Blair  
 Audrey Bush  
 Emily Hamilton  
 Delores Swick

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 Kalamazoo, MI 49009

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 Petoskey, MI 49770

Dorothy Smart  
 1696 S. Kathleen Drive  
 Lake City, MI 49651-8681



**Deacon**



Barb  
 Kenn

If you or someone you  
 know are in the hospital  
 and would like a visit  
 from the Deacon's  
 please contact the  
 church office or one of  
 the Deacons



# CONTACT information



Please keep the church office informed of new addresses, phone numbers and email addresses.

If you are leaving for an extended time period please let us know your winter address and approximate dates of your departure and return. We would gladly send any mailings to you while you are away.

Thank you.



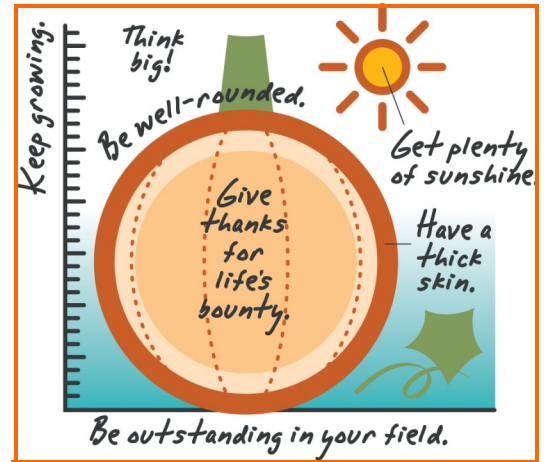
**Dish Cloths For Sale**

## Dish Cloths!

Colors to match every kitchen Only \$1.00 each Available in the church office.

Brought to you by the Presbyterian Women

**"Create in me a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within me."**  
Psalm 51:10



## Advice from a pumpkin

Be well-rounded.  
Get plenty of sunshine.  
Give thanks for life's bounty.  
Have a thick skin.  
Keep growing.  
Be outstanding in your field.  
Think big!

—Ilan Shamir

## PASSAGES

Bereavement Support Group

Mondays

Until October 16

6:30 - 8:00 PM

Hospice House of the E.U.P.

Grief Support Room

308 W 12th Avenue

For all adult members of the community, free of charge. Passages is designed both for those who have experienced a recent loss and those struggling with unresolved grief from long ago. The group can become a source of emotional support and help through education and sharing.

To register or for more information:

Please call the Hospice House at: 259-0222



**Stewardship Sunday**  
**November 5th.**

## Bazaar

Salad Buffet

Bake Sale

Saturday, October 14th

11:30 AM—1:30 PM

Donation \$6.00

Faith Lutheran Church

1600 Park Street

Sault Ste Marie, MI





Lois and Vic Hillock	10/05
Paul and Margo Sabourin	10/08
James and Ann Bourque	10/09
Karen and Al Dennis	10/09
Michael and Jo Anne Lussier	10/12
John and Samantha Goldberg Jr.	10/13
Brenda and Dee Ransom	10/22



ANCHOR HOUSE will be participating in our service on October 29th. A special offering will be taken during the service to help support the Anchor House Ministry at LSSU.

Anyone wanting more information on Anchor House and their ministry can call Reverend Gabbard or Marty Feldhake at 632-6279.



*Birthdays*  
to  
*Celebrate*

Emily Hamilton  
Diane McMeeken  
Delores Leuvoy  
Evalyn Jacobson  
Pat Lehman



Sandra Robbins	10/01
Robert Agar	10/02
Emily Hamilton	10/03
Diane McMeeken	10/04
Leanne Deuman	10/07
Dolores LeuVoy	10/10
Garrett Gorsuch	10/11
Evalyn Jacobson	10/13
Jennifer Reattoir	10/13
Pat Lehman	10/14
Kyler Lawson	10/16

Patricia Gorsuch	10/18
Brooklynn Mackin	10/18
Karen Dennis	10/20
William Justin	10/21
Nicholas Rath	10/21
Addison Hill	10/22
Isabella Stratton	10/22
Tiffeney Stratton	10/22
Kaye Vining	10/22
Roger Roe	10/24
Alan Dunbar	10/25
Hannah Gabbard	10/25
James Huskey	10/29
Beverly Ward	10/31





# Faith



Back in 1864 one of the worst battles in Civil War history was fought as 2800 Confederates squared off against 4500 Union soldiers.

As the day continues shots were heard during the night.

One would expect that the battle was fought for a special reason. The real reason the battle was fought was not over gold, or silver but over another mineral, salt. More wars have been fought over this mineral than any other, world wide. Yes salt was the item from Saltville, Virginia, but it was the item being supplied to the Confederate Army.

There was another battle going on in the year 1982. It was a battle one mild afternoon taking place in Badger Stadium in Madison, Wisconsin with 60,000 fans

routing for the University of Wisconsin, in football. Michigan State was giving U of W a beating. What was so strange was when the score was so lopsided, bursts of cheers and applause would ring out as the St. Louis Cardinals and the Milwaukee Brewers were playing one another, just seventy miles away and those who had portable radios in Badger Stadium, would yell and cheer for their Brewers, in the professional baseball World Series.

While these two events happened almost 100 years apart in October, it is in many ways what the Christian life is all about. We can be in the midst of horrible circumstances in this world and yet have something to cheer about, because through faith we have ours in Christ Jesus.

Don Myers, CRE



Faith is not about  
everything turning  
out okay

Faith is about being  
okay no matter how  
things turn out




# Puzzle!

Find these words — all from the book of Acts — forward, backward or diagonally in either direction.

H	N	A	I	P	O	I	H	T	E	E	Q	S	D	L
O	J	E	R	U	S	A	L	E	M	A	Z	A	G	N
L	P	G	I	Z	T	A	G	E	J	S	M	C	B	E
Y	R	E	C	R	O	S	I	P	Y	A	Q	R	S	H
S	A	N	H	E	D	R	I	N	S	B	V	O	A	P
P	Y	T	H	G	I	L	A	C	A	A	V	D	Z	E
I	E	I	C	T	I	G	U	S	E	N	O	T	S	T
R	R	L	J	H	O	S	K	A	I	R	A	M	A	S
I	W	E	P	G	A	E	P	L	Y	A	O	H	U	C
T	E	S	U	I	T	R	R	X	A	B	P	S	L	R
B	N	E	B	A	P	T	I	Z	E	K	E	P	O	S
C	C	H	U	R	C	H	S	O	K	J	T	A	O	H
K	E	T	M	T	T	G	O	R	T	H	E	U	I	J
N	O	M	I	S	G	C	N	N	P	B	R	L	J	U

Ananias	light
baptize	Paul
Barnabas	Peter
basket	Philip
chariot	prayer
church	prison
Damascus	Samaria
Dorcas	Sanhedrin
Ethiopian	Saul
Gaza	Simon
Gentiles	sorcery
Holy Spirit	Stephen
Jerusalem	stones
Jesus	Straight
Joppa	synagogue



if my people  
 who are called by my name  
 humble themselves,  
 pray, seek, my face,  
 and turn from their  
 wicked ways,  
 then I will hear  
 from heaven,  
 and will forgive their sin  
 and heal their land.

*2 Chronicles 7:14 (NRSV)*



**GIVE:**

Support Presbyterian Disaster Assistance's emergency response and long-term recovery work in the areas affected by Hurricane Harvey.

Designate gifts to [DR000169-Harvey](#).

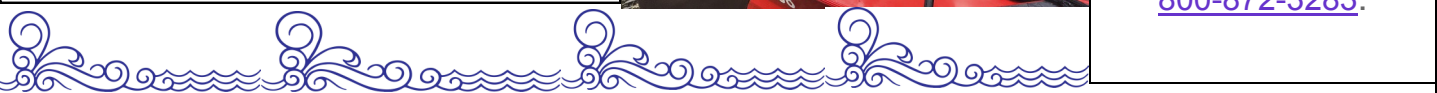
**GIVE:**

Support Presbyterian Disaster Assistance's emergency response and long-term recovery work in the areas affected by Hurricane Irma

Designate gifts to [DR000194-Irma](#).



You can also give with a credit card by visiting [presbyterianmission.org/GIVE-HARVEY](http://presbyterianmission.org/GIVE-HARVEY) or by phone at [800-872-3283](tel:800-872-3283).





The time has come to start a new year of youth group. High school is such an exciting and fun time in all of your lives. We hope you come to find that youth group is a safe and fun environment for you to grow in your faith, and the relationships with others. We look forward to seeing all of you this year!

Youth Group is held every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of each month from 6:30-8 PM at First United Presbyterian

Oct 8 Oct 22, Nov 5, Nov 26, Dec 10 (Christmas Party), Jan 14, Jan 28, Feb 11, Feb 25, March 11,  
Spring break no YG, April 8, April 29, May 13, May 27 Senior Recognition AM

~ Mark & Melissa Gabbard Chad & Denise Folkersma



Join us on  
October 1st  
as we celebrate World  
Communion Day!



The Ultimate Cloth Great for  
your Cleaning projects!  
Get yours at the church office  
\$6.00 each or 5 for \$25.00



## Grace

*Ephesians 2:8 (CSB) "For you are saved by grace through faith."*



*This text was my father's favorite verse in the Bible. Being the strict Calvinist he was, he was always teaching us about faith, grace and the do's and don'ts of the faith. I still believe what he taught me because they were the ethical and moral teachings of the Bible. My mother gave me permission to preach on this text at his funeral in January, 1994. My father was truly a son of the Reformation. I still hold fast to the truths of the Reformation and make no attempt to change them. This is my faith which I sincerely believe. What my father taught me is true.*

*There are three basic truths which summarizes the Reformation: 1. Sola Scriptura, 2. Sola fidei, 3. Sola gratia (sola means 'only by'). Why bring up the Reformation? On October 31, 2017, we will remember and celebrate the 500th anniversary of the beginning of the Reformation. 500 years ago Martin Luther nailed his 95 these to Wittenberg, Germany church door. Thus, the debate began for five centuries.*

*Too many people, October 31 is called 'Halloween', but not to those of the Presbyterian, Reformed faith. It is properly called 'Reformation Day'. I was never allowed to 'trick or treat,' Instead, we went to church for a full worship service to give thanks and praise to our magnificent God for His gift of the Reformation.*

*Remember: by grace, by faith, by Scriptures. This is the essence of our faith resulting from the reformation!*

*Rev. Dennis J. Boogerd*





Top Left: Pre K—Kindergarten  
 Teachers Sydney Kuenzer & Amie Lawson

Middle Left: 3rd - 5th Graders  
 Teachers Kristeen & Lee Mason

Right Bottom: Trustees  
 Back Row: Leanne, Sandy, & Mike  
 Front Row: Ann & Terri



Top Right: 1st - 2nd Graders  
 Teachers Victoria Vining & Melissa Gabbard

Middle Right: Jr High  
 Teacher: Jeanne Shibley

Thanks to all the teachers and the Trustees for preparing the Rally Sunday Meal!





## Children's Sermon & Backpack Blessing!!



Teacher  
Installation





# Halloween



## Light the Night

Halloween will be here before we know it! On Tuesday, October 31st we will host our annual Light the Night! Candy and volunteers are needed. We will be handing out candy and serving popcorn and hot dogs. We do encourage costumes! If you would like to join us, please see Brenda or Melissa. Any candy donations can be turned in to the office. Thank you in advance for supporting us!



## Memorial Committee October 15th



## Christmas Cantata Rehearsal

Practice will begin on Wednesday, October 4th, at 8:00 p.m. We encourage and welcome new and returning voices to come and join this musical celebration of Christ's birth.

The Cantata performance will be on Sunday, December 17th.

*Come join the choir for this celebration!*



## THURSDAY TEXTILE SOCIAL

Thursdays from 10 am to 2 pm in the Social Hall. You are invited to bring your textile project and a sack lunch and share time with others with similar interests.

Call Ruth Wilson at 632-9355 or Anita Weinrick at 632-3207 with any questions.



## It's Time for Operation Christmas Child 2017!

Each year, the Samaritan's Purse organization collects shoe boxes filled with gifts to distribute to needy children around the world. You can help by filling a box for a boy or girl, in the age categories 2-4, 5-9, or 10-14. Boxes will be available on the table in the narthex mid October and will be collected here at the church by Sunday, November 12th to be blessed. For more information, please contact Dee Musgrave, at 635-0940, or call the office.

*Thank you for helping to spread God's love  
Through the Power of a simple Gift!*

*The Memorial Committee invites you to the  
Annual Memorial and Dedication Service*

*Sunday, October 15, 2017*

*During the 10:00 a.m. Worship Service.*

*Candles will be lit in memory of church members  
and friends who have passed away during the past year.*

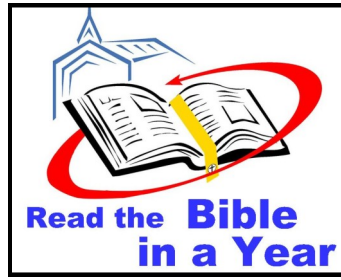
*We will also dedicate new purchases from the Memorial Fund.*

*Please call the church office, if you have any questions.*

*Coffee hour will follow the service.*

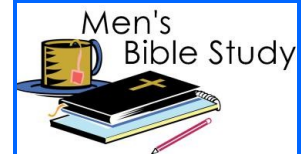


# October

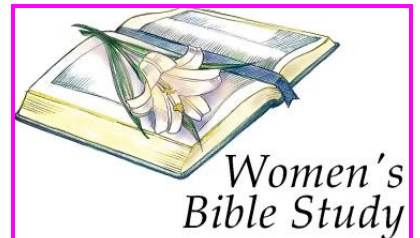
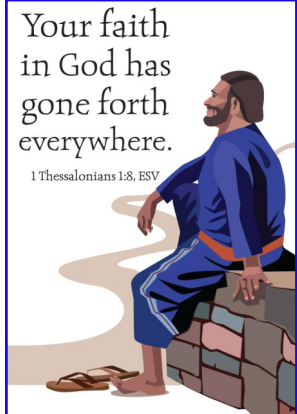


*Sue Trombley*  
and  
*Barb Kenn*

1	John 9:1-23	2 Chronicles 6	Malachi 2:17-3:18
2	John 9:24-41	2 Chronicles 7	Malachi 4
3	John 10:1-21	2 Chronicles 8	Psalm 73
4	John 10:22-42	2 Chronicles 9	Psalm 74
5	John 11:1-27	2 Chronicles 10-11	Psalm 75
6	John 11:28-57	2 Chronicles 12-13	Psalm 76
7	John 12:1-26	2 Chronicles 14-15	Psalm 77
8	John 12:27-50	2 Chronicles 16-17	Psalm 78:1-20
9	John 13:1-20	2 Chronicles 18	Psalm 78:21-37
10	John 13:21-38	2 Chronicles 19	Psalm 78:38-55
11	John 14:1-14	2 Chronicles 20:1-21:1	Psalm 78:56-72
12	John 14:15-31	2 Chronicles 21:2-22:12	Psalm 79
13	John 15:1-16:4a	2 Chronicles 23	Psalm 80
14	John 16:4b-33	2 Chronicles 24	Psalm 81
15	John 17	2 Chronicles 25	Psalm 82
16	John 18:1-18	2 Chronicles 26	Psalm 83
17	John 18:19-38	2 Chronicles 27-28	Psalm 84
18	John 18:38b-19:16	2 Chronicles 29	Psalm 85
19	John 19:16-42	2 Chronicles 30	Psalm 86
20	John 20:1-18	2 Chronicles 31	Psalm 87
21	John 20:19-31	2 Chronicles 32	Psalm 88
22	John 21	2 Chronicles 33	Psalm 89:1-18
23	1 John 1	2 Chronicles 34	Psalm 89:19-37
24	1 John 2	2 Chronicles 35	Psalm 89:38-52
25	1 John 3	2 Chronicles 36	Psalm 90
26	1 John 4	Ezra 1-2	Psalm 91
27	1 John 5	Ezra 3-4	Psalm 92
28	2 John	Ezra 5-6	Psalm 93
29	3 John	Ezra 7-8	Psalm 94
30	Jude	Ezra 9-10	Psalm 95



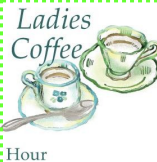
Men's Bible Study every  
Friday morning at 9:00 am.  
All men are welcome  
to join us!



Woman's Bible Study  
Wednesday Mornings,  
at 9 AM.  
We look forward to seeing  
everyone again!!



# PW NOTES



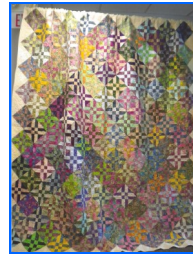
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## WOMEN'S COFFEE

Tuesday , October 17th  
at 9:30 AM

Please join us for fellowship  
and treats.

**All Ladies welcome!**



### Get Your Tickets!

## Quilt Raffle

This year the PW will be raffling another beautiful hand made king size quilt by Carolyn Shaw.

Tickets are available .

The drawing will be held  
**November 4, 2017 at 4:00 pm.**



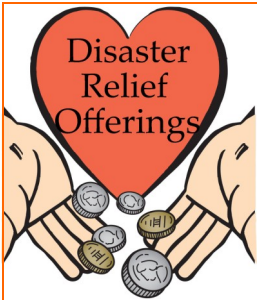
Circle 3  
Meeting

Circle 3  
Meetings  
Thursday,  
October 12th

Soup n'  
Sandwich



## FUPC PW October 1st



P.W. will be serving Sunday soup and sandwich lunch October 1st. Table monetary donations will go to the Presbyterian disaster assistance mission.



Year-to 09/30/17 offerings	\$123,912
Year to 09/30/17 expenses	\$129,315



Congratulations to our PW Honorary Life Membership Award recipients. The award has been presented to four individuals this year. Congratulations to Lois Hillock, Fred Michels, Sue Michels, and Kaye Vining.



*Sue Michels, Diane McMeeken, & Fred Michels*



*Lois Hillock & Kaye Vining*



# 2017 Annual Tea & Bazaar

**SATURDAY**  
**NOVEMBER 4, 2017**  
**1:00 – 4:00 P.M.**  
**\$7.00 PER TICKET**

*Plans are in place for our annual event. We again would like to have our social hall decorated for the season. If you have a special tree or decoration that would enhance this area, please let on of our committee members know, they can be of any color or theme. There are trees and some decorations available for decorating and we can start the week before Saturday, October 28th.*

## Committees

- Chairman:** Coordinating Team
- Decorations:** Ann Bourque, Rose Mackin  
Alegra Soorus, and Leanne Deuman
- Dining Room:** Joan Hill
- Kitchen:** Jan Jobs
- Publicity:** Jeanne Shibley and Diane McMeeken



**BAKE BOOTH:** *Doreen Gordon and Circle 5*

We would appreciate cakes, loaves, preserves, pies, pickles, and candy. Please be thinking of anything you might be able to send for this. We will be calling to remind you.

**GRAMMA’S ATTIC:** *Connie Lawrence*

We would like one or two special items from our Church families. These can be clean and gently used household items, personal accessories (jewelry or scarves), Christmas items and books.

**KNIT-KRAFT-KITCHEN:** *Sara Jones and Circle 3*

Please help to fill our tables with your creative works of knitting, crocheting, crafts, sewing, and crafts. These can be mittens, hats, towels, doilies, sweaters, and any type of craft.

**RAFFLE TABLE:** *Amie Lawson, Joanne Lussier and Circle 1*

Please consider donating an item to our table. In the past we have received many beautiful handmade articles as well as items ranging from brand new to gently used and unique.

**DROP OFF TIMES:**

Thursday November 2nd & Friday Nov. 3rd from 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

Please specify when dropping off where they are to go, i.e. bake booth or tea & Gramma’s Attic or Raffle Table.





# Sign of grace

Make this sign to hang on your wall as a daily reminder of God's amazing gift of grace.

### What you need:

- White poster board
- Large wooden letters that spell GRACE
- Painter's tape
- Tempura paint
- Paper plates
- Paintbrushes
- Colored pens or markers



### What you do:

1. Place the poster board on the ground (outside, if possible).
2. Put tape on the back of the letters and secure them to the board. No tape should be visible.
3. Paint and draw all over the poster board. Be creative with splatters, handprints and so on.
4. When paint is dry, remove the letters and hang up the poster.



# The gift of grace

God's grace is a free gift, not something we can earn on our own. How do we have this gift?



*Directions: Complete the Bible verse by placing the capital letters from the gifts on the blanks below.*

F	u	O	R	L	t	A	s	W	v	w	G
I	x	V	p	E	N	M	q	O	S	a	r
E	r	S	e	G	R	m	A	C	E	d	T
R	U	n	T	H	T	H	R	k	O	U	G
H	j	J	E	S	f	U	S	u	C	o	H
R	b	I	y	p	S	T	J	O	i	H	N

" \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ was \_\_\_\_\_  
 through \_\_\_\_\_ ; \_\_\_\_\_ and  
 \_\_\_\_\_ came \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ ."  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 1:17, NIV

Answer: "For the law was given through Moses; grace and truth came through Jesus Christ." John 1:17, NIV



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>1 World Communion Day</b> 9:00a Early Social Hour (WR)] 10:00a Worship/Communion 10:00a Sunday School 11:00a Soup N' Sandwich (SH) 12:00p Soup Kitchen	<b>2</b> 7:00p ACT Study Grp 7:00p Boy Scout Meeting	<b>3</b> 12:00p AA Meeting (Lib)	<b>4</b> 9:00a Women's Bible Study 6:30p Choir Rehearsal 8:00p Cantata Rehearsal	<b>5</b> 10:00a Textile Social 12:00p AA Meeting (Lib)	<b>6</b> 9:00a Men's Study Grp	<b>7</b> 9:00a N.A. 7:00p A.A.
<b>8</b> 9:00a Early Social Hour (WR)] 10:00a Worship Service 10:00a Sunday School 11:30a Christian Ed Meeting 12:00p Soup Kitchen 6:30p H.S Youth Group	<b>9 Columbus Day</b> 7:00p ACT Study Grp 7:00p Boy Scout Meeting 	<b>10</b> 12:00p AA Meeting (Lib) 4:00p Food Pantry	<b>11</b> 9:00a Women's Bible Study 6:30p Choir Rehearsal 8:00p Cantata Rehearsal	<b>12</b> 9:30a Circle 3 Meeting (WR) 10:00a Textile Social 12:00p AA Meeting (Lib)	<b>13</b> 9:00a Men's Study Grp	<b>14</b> 9:00a N.A. 9:00a PW Meeting 7:00p A.A.
<b>15 Memorial Service</b> 9:00a Early Social Hour (WR) 10:00a Worship Service 10:00a Sunday School 11:00a Coffee & Cookies (SH) 11:15a Deacon's Meeting (Lib) 12:00p Soup Kitchen 2:00p Freighter View Service	<b>16</b> 5:30p Session Mtg (WR) 5:30p Trustee's Mtg (Lib) 7:00p ACT Study Grp 7:00p Boy Scout Meeting	<b>17</b> 9:30a Ladies Coffee (WR) 12:00p AA Meeting (Lib)	<b>18</b> 9:00a Women's Bible Study 6:30p Choir Rehearsal 8:00p Cantata Rehearsal	<b>19</b> 10:00a Textile Social 12:00p AA Meeting (Lib)	<b>20</b> 9:00a Men's Study Grp	<b>21</b> 9:00a N.A. 7:00p A.A.
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**Sunday Worship Schedule**

Adult Sunday School 9:00 a.m.

Worship Service 10:00 a.m.

Sunday School (all grades) 10:00 a.m.

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**Deadline for November issue:  
October 18th**



**Memorial/  
Dedication  
Service**

***Annual Memorial and Dedication Service***

***Sunday, October 15, 2017***

***During 10:00 a.m. Worship Service***

*We will remember our loved ones by  
Lighting a candle for them.*

*We will also dedicate recent purchases  
From the Memorial Fund.*

*Coffee Hour will follow the service.*