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LECTIONARY FOR THE WEEK OF:

July 9

Genesis 24:34-38, 42-49, 58-67

Psalm 45:10-17

Romans 7:15-25a

Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30



The chancel flowers are presented today
in celebration of the retirement of Roy Dorris
by Bev. Dorris.



Old North United Methodist Church

“Making Disciples of Jesus Christ for the Transformation of the World”

JULY 2, 2023



Are you a guest today?

We welcome you and we are glad you have chosen to join us for worship. We would like for you to feel at home and offer the following:

- ◆ Receivers for the **hearing impaired** are available from the ushers.
- ◆ **Children 3 years of age to the 5th grade** begin worship in the sanctuary with their families and are invited to Sunday School after the Children’s Message.
- ◆ Please join us for **coffee and donuts** in the Fellowship Hall following worship so that we can welcome you more personally.

Welcome to Worship

Welcome to Old North, home to the historic 1832 Chapel

We ask you to sign the attendance pads located at the center aisle of each pew.

Sunday, July 2, 2023

Prelude *"Prelude in D"* Daniel Gottlob Turk

Call to Worship Psalm 89:1-4 UMH 807

**** Hymn** *"Draw Us in the Spirit's Tether"* UMH 632

Call to Prayer Rev. Dan Ashton

Pastoral Prayer

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.

Children's Moment Brad Salmon

Please join in singing "Jesus Loves Me" as the children come forward and "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" as the boys and girls exit the service.

Gospel Matthew 10:40-42 (page 10) Eileen Sumwalt

Anthem "A Place at the Table" Lori Tru
The congregation is asked to turn to WS 3149 and sing the chorus and last verse when indicated.

Offering *"Sonatina in A Minor"* Cornelius Gurlitt

**** Doxology** UMH 94

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

Hymn of Faith *"What Feast of Love"* WS 3170

Sermon Romans 6:12-23 (page 146) Rev. Dan Ashton

Communion UMH 12

**** Hymn of Response** *"Christ, We Are Blest"* WS 3174

Benediction

Postlude *"Toccata"* Gordon Young

**** Please stand as you are able**



MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

It's time for a pot luck luncheon! Join us Sunday, July 9, following the worship service. We are changing things up a bit - bring your favorite casserole and a salad to share. Desserts are also welcomed. If you have questions contact Julie Allen at 812-483-3898.



As you have noticed, there are two new pulpit chairs in the chancel area. These were custom made by Rugal Church Furniture in Jefferson, Tennessee.

They are made from red oak and fabric that, after considering numerous colors and fabric designs, were chosen by a team of ladies from Old North.

The chairs were sponsored by the Designated Choir Fund through generous donations. This gift is in loving memory of Lee Thomas.



UNITED WOMEN IN FAITH CLIMATE JUSTICE PRESENTATION

All are invited to the United Women in Faith meeting on Tuesday, July 11th at 7 in the third floor classroom to hear Margo English, social action representative on the UWF Southwest District Board. She will be talking to us about climate Justice. Please join us as we consider a Christian response to those around the globe who suffer disproportionately from climate change.

OLD NORTH LANTERN



The Pastor's Pen

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path. – Psalm 119.105

In the midst of transition and change, when darkness covers us and confusion seems to reign, the psalmist reassures us that God's Spirit remains with us, guiding us and prompting us to move forward. The Word in this case doesn't refer to The Bible because The Bible didn't yet exist in its current form. Rather, think back to the very beginning when God's creative spirit moved across the face of the deep, and light was brought into existence by the mere word of God.

Creativity and newness are caused to spring into existence by a word, and this word is a lamp unto our feet. God's word – that inspirational and reassuring strength – urge us forward along the path.

Old North UMC has a long and proud history of service to this community, but we also have a long and proud future ahead of us. Our church is a beacon shining brightly in a dark corner of the world. Like the lanterns in the steeple of the Old North Church in Boston informed Paul Revere, this monthly newsletter, The Lantern, is a way to inform us in our continued service.

And may peace abide among you.

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Prayer Requests

Frenchie Ashby
Jo Ann Effinger
Jerry Feltman
Connie French
David French
Julie Hale
Pat & Marlan Maidlow
Jeanine Minor
Tom Smock
Adriana Toribio
Juanita Working
Veterans and families

Homebound Prayer Requests

The Village at Holiday Health Care

Phyllis Grimm - Apt. 218
Barb Schaefer - Apt. 101
Janette Prickett - Apt. 250
Gloria Speer - Apt. 207

Holiday Willow Park

Leslie Schoenbaechler - Apt. 238

Those in Uniform

Cameron Dunville
Jason Lewis
Grant Nickens
Malorie Hobbs

Unspoken - 10

FAIR TRADE CORNER

Fair Trade Market open Saturdays

10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Sundays

10:30 - 11:00 a.m.



Every woman would love a special journal and some jewelry for any (or no) occasion! The "Gratitude" journal is made in India and is full of blank pages to write memories or notes. The Starfish necklace and gift basket are also Fair Trade!

Would you like to join our team of volunteers to help in the Fair Trade Market? Contact Anne Wright or Jerrienne Bonenberger for more information.

STUDY GROUPS

INTENTIONAL FAITH DEVELOPMENT NEW SERIES BEGINS TODAY!!

Join us in the third floor meeting room today and each Sunday in July as Rev. Dan Ashton leads a series on the Babylonian exile. Help us welcome Pastor Dan as he facilitates this always-interesting class!

COMING SOON TO THE INTENTIONAL FAITH DEVELOPMENT CLASS!!

For our special summer series this year, we are welcoming stories about Heroes". These can be heroes that you know personally, heroes you've heard about or read about, heroes from near or far. You can report on your chosen hero yourself, show a video about your hero, or the hero or his/her representative can attend class (or Zoom) in person.

So far, we have 5 heroes on the docket - one in-person on the first date of the series, August 13. Presentations can take 15 minutes or up to an hour. Contact Jeannette Oakley (jltoakley@gmail.com) or Raaf Stevens (rfsnas@yahoo.com) if you have a hero in mind. Help is available, if needed. We plan to devote at least three Sundays to this series - more if we have a lot of heroes!

THURSDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY

Join us on Thursday evenings from 5:45 until 7:00 p.m. for Bible study and a shared meal. Our current study is entitled "Growing Older and Wiser".

This study will address many of the topics that we deal with as we grow older. The study includes scripture reading from the Old and New Testaments, discussion questions, and music. Zoom invitations are sent at the beginning of each week for those who prefer to attend from home. We hope you will join us for this Bible study.

THURSDAY MORNING GROUP 11:30 a.m.

The Thursday Morning Group is now on a LUNCH ONLY schedule until school resumes.

Contact Diane Arneson at (812) 423-4333 (no texting on this number) or dianearneson2@gmail.com to find out where the 11:30 lunch meeting will be the next Thursday.



JULY 2023

PLANNED WEEKLY SCHEDULE UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE

SUNDAYS	9:30 a.m. 10:30-11:00 a.m. 10:45 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Worship Service Fair Trade Market open Coffee and donuts - Fellowship Hall Intentional Faith Development—3rd floor
WEDNESDAYS	6:30 p.m.	Overeaters Anonymous-Fellowship Hall
THURSDAYS	11:00 a.m. 5:45 p.m.	Thursday Morning Luncheon-TBD Bible Study-The Upper Room
FRIDAYS	9:00 –10:00 a.m.	Yoga-Fellowship Hall
SATURDAYS	10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.	Fair Trade Market open

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2	3 CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	4	5	6	7	8		
9 10:45 Pot Luck luncheon	10 6:00 p.m. 4-H	11 Church office closed	12 7:00 p.m. Trustee meeting	13	14	15		
		16 10:45 a.m. Children & Youth team meeting	17	18 3:00 p.m. United Caring Services	19 6:00 p.m. Worship Committee	20	21	22
23	24	2	26	27	28	29		
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- 1st** Tom Nicksch
Dan Temme
- 3rd** Mike Peden
- 4th** Lynn Penland
Stephanie Bonenberger
- 7th** Jim McCune
- 10th** David French
Brad Salmon
- 12th** Kim Salmon
Ellie Hand
- 14th** Carol Mangold
- 18th** Jonathan Yeager
- 21st** Debby Rothert
- 22nd** Glenda Gilham
Ann Austin
- 26th** Barbara Hart
- 30th** Kyle Puckett



- 6th** Merna & Mike Peden
- 22nd** Margaret & Wayne Barron
- 23rd** Kathy & Jack Schernekau
- 25th** Kim & Brad Salmon
- 30th** Leslie & Jon Townsend

