

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

*CALL to WORSHIP

As a shepherd seeks a lost sheep,

So God seeks the lost.

Like a woman who searches for a lost coin until it is found,

So God rejoices over one life restored to wholeness.

As a father receives a returning wayward son,

So God welcomes us, and lets the past be the past.

Therefore let us praise God in thanksgiving that we are received,

Let us receive and welcome and rejoice over one another in the name of Jesus!

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

*HYMN UMH #147

“All Things Bright and Beautiful”

*UNISON PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Almighty and everlasting God, in whom we live and move and have our being, you created us for yourself, so that our hearts are restless until they find rest in you. Grant to us such piety of heart and strength of purpose that no selfish passion may hinder us from knowing your will, and no weakness from doing it. In your light may we see life clearly and in your service find perfect freedom. Amen

SHARING of JOYS, CONCERNS and GOD MOMENTS

SILENT PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OUR 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

*HYMN UMH #175

“Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee”

SCRIPTURE Corinthians 4:13-18
Matthew 6:25-34

MEDATATION “Can’t Stop the Feeling”

THE RECEIVING of our TITHES and OFFERINGS

*DOXOLOGY *“Give Thanks”* TFWS 2036

Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy One, give thanks, because God’s given Jesus Christ, the Son.

And now, let the weak say, “I am strong”; Let the poor say, “I am rich because of what the Lord has done for us.” Give thanks!

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

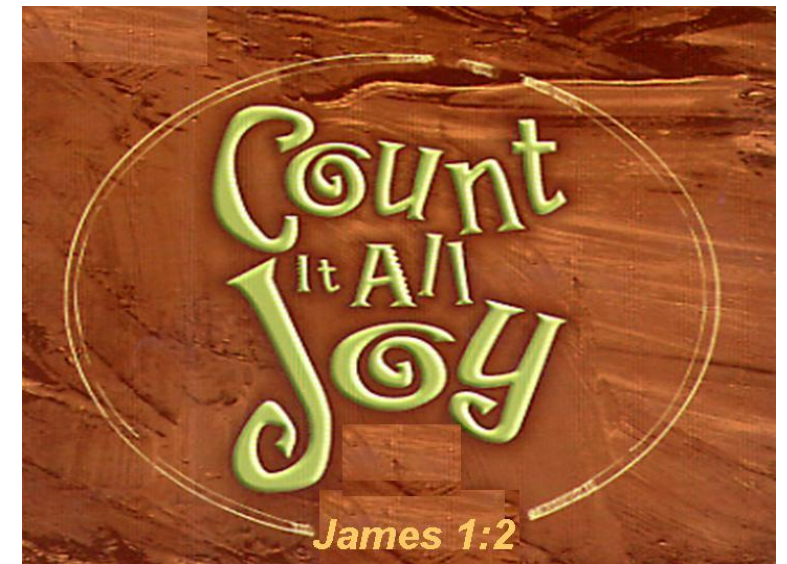
O God, most merciful and gracious, of whose bounty we have all received, accept this offering of your people. Remember in your love those who have brought it and those for whom it is given, and so follow it with your blessing that it may promote peace and goodwill among all peoples, and advance your preferred will throughout the world.

*CLOSING HYMN UMH #163

“Ask Ye What Great Thing I Know”

*THE BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE



FLOWERS

The rose on the altar today is in memory of Arlynn Bestor on his 90th birthday from his wife Arlene & Family.

50TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Everyone is invited to a 50th Wedding Anniversary party for four local couples on July 23 from 4-8 p.m. at the Spring Valley Community Center. Your presence is our present. Stu & Carol Gross, John & Darlene Vrieze, Joe & Rita Bezdicek and Bruce & Rita Hartert.

OUR SCHEDULE

7/12 10:00 a.m. Spring Valley Area Ministerial Meeting at First English
7:00 p.m. Trustee Meeting at Faith

7/13 7:00 p.m. Cherry Grove UMC Council

7/15 6:30 p.m. Rehearsal at Cherry Grove

7/16 2:00 p.m. Wedding at Cherry Grove

7/17 8:30 a.m. Fountain Worship
9:00 a.m. Faith Worship
10:00 a.m. Cherry Grove Worship

7/20 9:30 a.m. Rachel Circle

7/21 1:30 p.m. Ruth Circle
6:30 p.m. Finance Committee Meeting
7:00 p.m. Faith UMC Church Council

7/23 4:00 p.m. 50th Anniversary at SVC Center

7/24 8:30 a.m. Fountain Worship
9:00 a.m. Faith Worship
10:00 a.m. Cherry Grove Worship

7/31 9:00 a.m. Faith Worship
10:30 a.m. Combined Worship at Fountain City Park followed by potluck

FAITH FAMILY FINANCES

Year to date budget	\$94,782.28
Year to date giving	\$84,323.91
Amount budgeted each week	\$ 3,837.78
07/03 Offering	\$ 6,473.00
07/03 Attendance	53
Loan Balance	\$ 7,176.90
Apportionment Balance	\$16,935.00

ONLINE GIVING

Would you find it helpful to have your offerings debited directly from your bank account as you probably do with other obligations?

If you have plans to travel this summer, electronic giving gives you a convenient way to keep up with your intended offerings. Gifts may be given electronically by going to our website at www.faithsv.net.

Giving online is easy and allows you to set up automatic recurring contributions and view your complete online giving history from anywhere you have access to the Internet.

Simply follow these easy steps:

- 1) Click on the [Give Now] button
- 2) Click on the Create Profile button, then
- 3) Follow the onscreen instructions to create an online profile and to schedule your recurring contributions.

FAITH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

8th Sunday after Pentecost
July 10, 2016



Rev. David Lieder & Rev. Deanna Woodward
In Ministry Together With The People Of
Fountain, Cherry Grove and Spring Valley