

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE Bell Choir  
"Jesus Walked This Lonesome Valley"

**\*CALL to WORSHIP**

I greet you in the name of the One who walked over the fair hills at Galilee and along the dusty roads of the countryside!

**We greet each other in the name of the One who released God's power through healing, teaching and caring for all people.**

**Today, God, with us as your hands and feet, walk through our towns and through our lives. Help us send a message... a joyful, colorful message, that tells the world who you are and what you mean to us. Let us now worship together!**

**\*PASSING OF THE PEACE**

**\*HYMN UMH #577**  
"God of Grace and God of Glory"

**\*PRAYER OF INVOCATION**

**Lord, make us free... free with eyes not focused upon ourselves; free with ears open to hearing Your Word; free with hands reaching out; free with hearts no longer chained by what we possess, but bound, instead, by what we can share. Yes, Lord, make us free... free to worship; free to be extravagant with thankfulness; free to love as love really is, in Jesus' name. Amen**

A MOMENT for CHILDREN AND YOUTH

SPECIAL MUSIC Bell Choir  
"On Eagle's Wings"

SHARING of JOYS, CONCERNS  
and GOD MOMENTS

SILENT PRAYER

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 "Lord, Speak to Me" UMH #463**

GOSPEL READING Luke 17:11-19

MESSAGE "In-Gratitude"

THE RECEIVING of OUR GIFTS

**\*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**

**Receive these gifts we bring, O Lord. We wrap them in our praise to you. Enlarge our hearts to reach out with love and hope to a world that so needs these things. May we give ourselves to you in a way that your Holy Spirit can make of us, an outpost of your kingdom's love. Amen.**

**\*HYMN "O Jesus, I Have Promised" UMH #396**

BENEDICTION



## FAITH FAMILY FINANCES

Year to date budget	\$153,511.20
Year to date giving	\$133,097.52
Amount budgeted each week	\$ 3,837.78
10/02 Offering	\$ 4,304.00
10/02 Attendance	66
Loan Balance	\$ 1,618.76
Apportionment Balance	\$ 14,935.00

## THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

10/10 6:30 pm	Handbell Choir Rehearsal
10/11 6:00 pm	Nominating Committee Meeting
7:00 pm	Trustee Meeting
10/12 9:00 am	UMW Thank Offering
10/13 6:00 pm	SPRC Meeting
10/14 8:00 am	Parking lot sealed
10/15 7:45 am	Vocal Choir Rehearsal
9:00 am	Worship – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Gr Bibles, Singing Vocal Choir Sings
10:00 am	Sunday School Coffee & Fellowship

## YOUTH EVENT

Today, October 9, 6 - 8 p.m. Ages: 5th Grade and Older, Small/medium sized pumpkins are provided. If you want to bring your own, you may do so.

## UNITED METHODIST WOMEN MEETING

The United Methodist Women will meet on Wednesday, October 12<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 a.m. for Thank Offering.

Rachel Circle meeting at 9:30 a.m. on October 19.

Ruth Circle meeting at 1:30 p.m. on October 20.

## TRUNK or TREAT- October 30<sup>th</sup> at 10 am.

It is time once again for our annual Trunk or Treat! Everyone is invited to decorate their cars, trucks, vans, or wagons and line up in the church parking lot after the service to see our trick or treaters all dressed up for the occasion. Last year was a great success and we had many wonderful entries. Hopefully we can make this year even better! Hope to see you there!

## FOOD SHELF

The Spring Valley Area Food Shelf could greatly benefit from the following donations: toilet paper, dish soap, laundry detergent (small-medium size), shampoo, peanut butter, soups, Jell-O, cereal, and ketchup. Garden produce such as potatoes, squash, and onions are still being accepted also.

## ROAST PORK DINNER

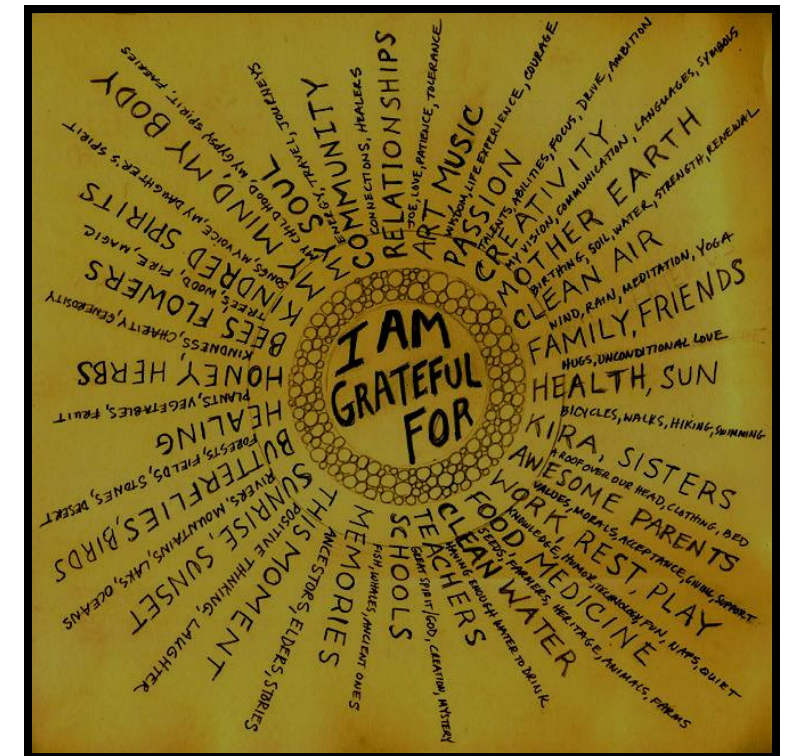
The Cherry Grove UMC Annual Roast Pork Dinner will be held on October 30<sup>th</sup> from 11-1:30 p.m. featuring delicious roast pork, potatoes and gravy, calico beans, apple sauce, rolls, pie, ice cream, and beverage. The cost is \$10 for adults, \$5 for children and preschool free.

## MINI MARKET

Faith UMC Mini Market November 5 from 10-1 pm. Crafts and baked goods. Meal of Sloppy Joes, baked beans, assorted salads, pie & beverage for \$7.00 adults, children 5-8 \$3.50 and children under 5 free.

# FAITH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

21<sup>st</sup> Sunday after Pentecost  
October 9, 2016



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