# WELCOME CROSS & FLAME MINISTRIES

MURPHYSBORO DESOTO UNITED METHODIST CHURCHES

October 30, 2016 24th Sunday after Pentecost







The mission of our church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

#### **Call to Worship**

L: The Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

P: And also with you.

Congregational Chorus: "Fill My Cup, Lord"

Hymnal #641

The Greeting

#### **Sharing of Parish Opportunities and Attendance Ritual**

Please fill out the <u>prayer request cards</u>, if needed, located in the pew Bibles, and hand them to the ushers after the Time of Christian Fellowship and Greeting.

Prelude: 'Finale' from "Hymn" by César Franck

**Light of Christ Enters** 

*Please begin a quiet time of centering for worship* when music begins.

\*\*Hymn of Praise: "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" Hymnal #400

\*\*Invocation Please See Projection

\*\*Time of Christian Fellowship and Greeting

**Collection of Prayer Cards by Ushers** 

Chancel Choir: "Consecration" by John Ness Beck

**Children's Moments** 

As the children come down, please pass the red **Money for Missions** buckets in the pews.

The noisy mission offering in October will go to **Feeder of the Pack.** 

#### **Presentation of Our Tithes and Offerings**

Offertory: "O Perfect Love" by Joseph Barnby, arr. Bob Rollins

\*\*Doxology: "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Hymnal #95

Offering of Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer of Intercession and Blessing

The Lord's Prayer Please See Projection

Children's Church Procession to Room 205

Scripture: I Timothy 6:17-19 and Proverbs 11:24-25

L: The Word of God for the People of God

P: Thanks be to God

**Sermon:** "Defined by Generosity" Pastor Larry A. Gilbert

**Ritual of Holy Communion** 

\*\*Communion Hymn: "One Bread, One Body" Hymnal #620

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Taking the Light of Christ into the World

**Benediction** 

\*\*Postlude: 'Allegro' from Trio in G major by Frederic Handel

<sup>\*\*</sup>Congregation is invited to stand as you are able

# PRAISE SERVICE

Opening Singing
Greeting Each Other
Welcome and Announcements
Giving Our Offerings
Children's Time
Sharing Joys and Concerns
Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer
Songs of Worship

Scripture Reading: I Timothy 6:17-19 and Proverbs 11:24-25

Sermon: "Defined by Generosity" Pastor Larry A. Gilbert

11:15AM

Communion Sending Forth

TODAY'S WORSHIP	TRADITIONAL SERVICE	MUMC PRAISE SERVICE	DESOTO PRAISE SERVICE
Music Leader	Joseph Ryker	Dennis Goforth	
Organist/Pianist	Jenny Kirby		
Worship Leader	Rick Runge mumcministries@ gmail.com	Ed O'Donnell mumcministries@ gmail.com	
Acolytes	Megan McNitt and Brianna Carnes		
Liturgist	Bill Slider		
Prayer Request Reader	Gaye Auxier	Ed O'Donnell	
Welcome Hostesses	Sharon Graff and Janis Crews		
Ushers	Todd Lirely, Scott Ballard, Sandy Herring, Ralph Bastien, Dick Graff and Vanessa Lirely	Ricky Pierson and Brant Wingerter	
Children's Church Volunteers	Diane Schingel	Patty Thrailkill	
Nursery Attendant	Caitlyn Boyd	Megan Gale	
The M	lemory Book is open to the	page honoring: Mrs. Birdie	Ward

# STEWARDSHIP AND ATTENDANCE OCTOBER 23, 2016

Traditional Service: 151; Praise Service: 46; Sunday School: 52

Offering: \$4,053.00

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

\*INDICATES SIGNUP ON ATTENDANCE SHEET

- A BUILDING SECURITY TRAINING SESSION led by Ron Moutardier and Pastor Larry is scheduled for all who have committed to help with the security of our building during worship services. This session will take place THIS MORNING IMMEDIATELY AFTER TRADITIONAL WORSHIP in Room 202 which is just outside the north sanctuary.
- **OUR NEIGHBOR'S TABLE** team is hosting their monthly community luncheon **TODAY** at noon in our Fellowship Hall Rm 104. The luncheon is free and offers opportunities for us to share the love of Jesus to a broader community.

#### **NEW STUDY IN PATHFINDERS CLASS BEGINS NOVEMBER 6th**

What does it mean to be a Christian? Ask 100 people that question, and you are likely to get 100 different answers. In *Christian: It's Not What You Think*, an eight-session DVD Bible study, pastor and bestselling author Andy Stanley explores the one word that Jesus gave his followers that should define them. This study will be led by Angie and Matt Baughman and will take place in Rm 107.

- \*YOUNG AT HEART will enjoy a Thanksgiving meal on Tuesday, November 8th at NOON in the Fellowship Hall. Menu: turkey and dressing, mashed potatoes, broccoli with cheese, cranberry salad, rolls, and pumpkin dessert. Meals are \$5 a plate. Rosie Wece will talk about the 4-H program.
- \*UNITED METHODIST MEN are hosting their next monthly breakfast meeting on Saturday, November 12th, in the Fellowship Hall at 7:30 am. Please contact Jay Graff at 618-967-9848 if you have any questions. All men of the church are invited to attend.
- **CACHE RIVER DISTRICT RALLY** is scheduled for Sunday, November 13th, 6 pm at the Aldersgate UMC in Marion. The Speaker will be Rev. Shane Bishop, Pastor of Christ Church in Fairview Heights. Special music by the Men's Choir of St. Matthew's UMC in Belleville.

#### **CROSS & FLAME T-SHIRT ORDER**

Our ministries are expanding, and t-shirts and sweatshirts are now available with the new Cross & Flame Ministries family name and logo. Order forms are located on the bulletin board outside the sanctuary. You may place your order in the offering plate or give to Chris Nolan, Financial Secretary, no later than Friday, November 4th. All funds raised will be designated for the DeSoto community outreach.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS (cont.) \*INDICATES SIGNUP ON ATTENDANCE SHEET

SPECIAL GIVING ENVELOPES for Thanksgiving will be included in the November COMPASS mailing. Those who receive the COMPASS by email will receive a newsletter by mail in November. Giving envelopes will also be available beginning in November at the north entrance to sanctuary and the entrance at 15th and Pine. Thanksgiving gifts will be designated for Africa University. We will follow the same procedure for Christmas.

#### YOUTH GROUP EVENTS

Nov 5 Junior High Youth Group Outing to Z Factor
REMINDER to all who signed up for outing to Z Factor, a trampoline park in
Harrisburg, followed by dinner at Italian Village. The bus departs at 5 p.m. and
will return at 9:30 p.m.

Nov 13 Youth Group Meetings 5:00—6:30 pm

Nov 27 No Youth Group Meetings - Thanksgiving weekend

CYF: Children's Youth Fellowship (3rd - 5th grade)
JYF: Junior Youth Fellowship (6th - 8th grade)
SYF Senior High Youth Fellowship (9th - 12 grade)

**THANKSGIVING PRAYER SERVICE** sponsored by the Murphysboro Ministerial Alliance will take place on Tues., Nov. 22, 7:00 p.m. at Berean Christian Church. Reflection by Brother Charlie Allen.

**DON'T FORGET TO SET YOUR CLOCKS BACK ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5th** before going to bed - enjoy that extra hour of sleep before coming to worship!

# OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

The MUMC youth group will be participating in Operation Christmas Child this year. Operation

Christmas Child is an outreach of Samaritan's Purse. This initiative



provides church leaders living in regions around the world that are affected by war, poverty, natural disaster, famine and disease, with shoe boxes filled with small toys, hygiene items, and school supplies as a means to reaching out to children in their own communities with the Good News of Jesus Christ. Please consider donating a shoe box, small toys, non-liquid hygiene items, school supplies and a note of encouragement by November 13th. Monetary donations will be accepted as each box costs \$7 to mail.

### **HOW DO I CONNECT?**

#### **ADULT MINISTRIES**

- Saturday Morning Book Club/Emily Hargraves, 559.0329, ehargraves88@gmail.com
- United Methodist Men/Jay Graff, 967.9848, jgraff4@yahoo.com
- Women's Ministry/Rosie Wece, 559-8167, rwece50@gmail.com
- Young at Heart/Michelle Parker-Clark, 922.3587, mpclark@siu.edu

#### YOUTH AND CHILDREN MINISTRY

- Children's Church/Emily Hargraves, 559.0329, ehargraves88@gmail.com
- Nursery/Brooke Guthman, 534.1615, bguthman28@gmail.com
- Children's Youth Fellowship: 3rd-5th grades; Junior Youth Fellowship: 6th—8th grades; and Senior High Youth Fellowship: 9th-12th grades/Lacey Brown, 687.2317, mumcministries@gmail.com or Jennifer O'Donnell, 687-2317, mumcchildrenyouth@gmail.com

#### **MUSIC MINISTRY**

- Chancel Choir/Joseph Ryker, 618-925-4393, jrykerbsn.77@gmail.com
- Hand Bell Choir/Randy Auxier, 565-1238
- Praise Team/Angie Baughman, 201-0139, angie\_baughman@hotmail.com

**OUR NEIGHBOR'S TABLE/**Jennifer O'Donnell, 534-3822 or Rindy Eisenhauer, 967.1380

#### PRAYER MINISTRY

MUMC Prayer Chain email, Praying Over the Pews, Praying for the Pastor, and Prayer Room/Candy Watt, 559-3332, watt2c2@yahoo.com

The above ministries are just a sampling of the scores of ministries offered at MUMC. For a complete listing of ministries and ways to connect with those ministries, please pick up a 2016 Ministry Guide from the Welcome Center, the foyer at 15th and Pine, wall racks throughout the church, or the church office.

"... like good stewards of the manifold grace of God, serve one another with whatever gift each of you has received."

1 Peter 4:10





#### SERVICES OF REMEMBRANCE

# Sunday, November 6th

Next Sunday we will celebrate All Saints' Day during both of our morning worship services. We will be remembering those loved ones who passed away between November 2015 and now through the lighting of candles and the ringing of a bell.

### PRAYER LIST

Lee and Alberta Sullivan Barb Zimmerman Sandie Schwebel Marie Quigley Prince Alexander Bill Quigley

- Mike Snyder, cousin of Katherine Twenhafel, for treatment of cancer.
- If you would like to place or remove someone on the prayer list, please call the church office at 687-2317 or send an email to <u>murphysboroumc@gmail.com</u>
- Names will be published in the bulletin for 4 weeks. Please contact the office if you want a name to run longer.

Prayer Emphasis for October is Feeder of the Pack Prayer Emphasis for November is MHS Key Club Please include these emphases in your daily prayers.

#### **NEW HERE?**

**WELCOME** to Murphysboro United Methodist Church! We're so glad you came to worship with us and want to do all we can to help you feel at home.

#### VISITING FOR THE FIRST TIME? Help us get to know you!

- Please fill out the visitor card located in the card holder in the pew in front of you.
- Stop by the Welcome Center following service today. The Welcome Center is located just outside the north sanctuary doors. We have a "sweet" gift for you, and we would love to meet you!

#### **ATTENTION PARENTS**

Children of all ages are welcome in our worship service. If you prefer, a nursery for children (suggested ages infant through three years old) is available during both the worship and Sunday School hours. The Nursery is located in Room 201, just outside the north sanctuary doors. Children who desire, ages 3 through grade 3 (suggested), will be dismissed for Children's Church in Room 205 prior to the pastor's message. Also see our "Helping Children Experience Worship" cards in front of the pew Bibles.

**LOOKING TO BECOME A MEMBER?** Approximately once per quarter, Pastor Larry offers an informational meeting for those interested in learning more about the process to become a member of MUMC. Watch the bulletin for dates and times.

# CONTACT INFO, MEDIA & OTHER RESOURCES

CONTACT US: 618.687.2317 ADDRESS: 1500 Pine Street, Murphysboro, IL 62966

OFFICE HOURS: M-Th 9:-00 am—2:00 pm; F 9:00 am—noon

EMAIL: murphysboroumc@gmail.com

PASTOR GILBERT'S CELL PHONE: 618.201.2658

PASTOR & TERESA GILBERT'S MAILING ADDRESS: 2575 Edgewood Lane Carbondale, IL 62901

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SERMON BROADCAST on You Tube or find link at www.murphysboroumc.com

CHURCH LIBRARY: Room 110

LITTLE FREE LIBRARY: 16th St. N of parking lot exit