

WELCOME

CROSS & FLAME MINISTRIES

MURPHYSBORO • DESOTO

UNITED METHODIST CHURCHES

October 9, 2016 • Pastor Appreciation Sunday



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

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

9:00AM

Call to Worship

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

P: And also with you.

Congregational Chorus: "Seek Ye First"

Hymnal #405

The Greeting

Sharing of Parish Opportunities and Attendance Ritual

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

Prelude by Chancel Choir: "Here I Am, Lord" by Dan Schutte

Light of Christ Enters

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

****Hymn of Praise:** "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" (vs 1,2,3)

Hymnal #89

****Invocation**

Please See Projection

****Time of Christian Fellowship and Greeting**

Collection of Prayer Cards by Ushers

Pastor Appreciation Recognition

Chancel Choir: "Give Me A Song" by Pepper Choplin

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: "But the Lord is Mindful of His Own" by Felix Mendelssohn, arr. Bob Rollins

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

Hymnal #95

Bell Choir: "Canon" by Johann Pachelbel, arr. by Hal H. Hopson

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: Ecclesiastes 5:10 and Matthew 16:26

L: The Word of God for the People of God

P: Thanks be to God

Sermon: "When Enough Is Not Enough"

Pastor Larry A. Gilbert

****Commitment Hymn:** "I Want A Principle Within" (vs 1,3)

Hymnal #410

Taking the Light of Christ into the World

Benediction and Choral Response

****Postlude:** 'Alla breve' from Trio in E-flat major by Frederic Handel

****Congregation is invited to stand as you are able**

PRAISE SERVICE

11:15AM

Opening Singing
 Greeting Each Other
 Welcome and Announcements
 Giving Our Offerings
 Children's Time
 Sharing Joys and Concerns
 Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer
 Pastor Appreciation Recognition
 Songs of Worship
 Scripture Reading: Ecclesiastes 5:10 and Matthew 16:26
 Sermon: "When Enough Is Not Enough"
 Closing Song
 Sending Forth

Pastor Larry A. Gilbert

TODAY'S WORSHIP	TRADITIONAL SERVICE	MUMC PRAISE SERVICE	DESOTO PRAISE SERVICE
Liturgist	Barb Hughes		
Organist/Pianist	Jenny Kirby		
Worship Leader	Rick Runge mumcministries@gmail.com	Ed O'Donnell mumcministries@gmail.com	
Music Leader	Joseph Ryker	Lacey Brown	
Prayer Request Reader	Nancy Fager	Ed O'Donnell	
Acolytes	Ben Barringer and Wesley Graham		
Welcome Hostesses	Arlene Bitner and Nancy Tillett		
Ushers	Todd Lirely, Scott Ballard, Sandy Herring, Ralph Bastien, Dick Graff and Vanessa Lirely	Ricky Pierson and Brant Wingerter	
Children's Church Volunteers	Jennifer O'Donnell	Katie Steward and Julie Wachtel	
Nursery Attendant	Caitlyn Boyd	Megan Gale	
The Memory Book is open to the page honoring: Sherry Lynn Watkins			

STEWARDSHIP AND ATTENDANCE OCTOBER 2, 2016

Traditional Service: 155; Praise Service: 73; Sunday School: 121
Offering: \$8,913.00

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*INDICATES SIGNUP ON ATTENDANCE SHEET

***YOUNG AT HEART** Ghostly Luncheon is scheduled for Tuesday, October 11th at noon in the Fellowship Hall, Rm 104. Menu: potato bar w/fixings, chili with crackers, and brownies (no nuts). Meals are \$5 a plate. Bob Hall and the award winning Key Club will come and share.

MOM'S GROUP will be meeting in Rm 204 on Wednesday evenings 6:15 pm—8:15 pm beginning October 12th through November 16th. Jennie Synder will be leading discussion on a book about intimacy. Childcare will be available.

SATURDAY MORNING BOOK CLUB will gather on October 15th at 10:15 am in the Church Library, Rm 110, to discuss *The Underground Railroad* by Colson Whitehead. Anyone wishing to read ahead for November, the book selection is *The Lost Continent: Travels in Small Town America* by Bill Bryson.

MEN'S BANQUET sponsored by UMM will be NEXT SUNDAY at 6:00 pm in our Fellowship Hall, Rm 104. The guest speaker is SIU Athletic Director, Tommy Bell. Catered by Pat's BBQ. \$10 tickets will be sold outside the west door before and after worship services today or contact Jay Graff (967-9848 or jgraff4@yahoo.com) by tomorrow's deadline. All men and boys are invited. Bring a friend!

THE DEADLINE FOR NOVEMBER COMPASS SUBMISSIONS is Monday, October 17th.

MUMC AND DESOTO TRUNK-OR-TREAT EVENTS:

On October 31st, we will be hosting Trunk-or-Treats at our Murphysboro and DeSoto locations. Vehicles with open trunks full of candy and treats will set up at each location's parking lot. Hot dogs will be served free of charge at both sites. Participants may dress up in costume, if they like, but it is not required. If you wish to host a trunk or help in any way, please fill out a Trunk-or-Treat volunteer card, located on the Youth Bulletin Board, and drop it in the Youth Mail Box. MUMC Trunk-or-Treat is from 5-8 pm, trunks need to be in place by 4:30 pm. DeSoto Trunk-or-Treat is from 6-8 pm, trunks need to be in place by 5:30 pm.

FELLOWSHIP WITH BISHOP FRANK BEARD on Thursday, October 20th, 7:00 pm at Aldersgate UMC in Marion. This casual gathering is for pastors and laity in our churches. Beverages will be provided. Please bring finger foods to share.

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BUILDING SECURITY CHANGE: Starting TODAY, we will not unlock the doors at the North Entrance or at the East Entrance (15th Street) on Sunday mornings. We will also lock the Southeast and West doors when both worship services begin. The West door will be monitored so worshipers can be admitted.

YOUTH GROUP EVENTS

TODAY Youth Group Meetings 5:00—6:30 pm

Oct 23 Youth Group Meetings 5:00—6:30 pm

CYF: Children's Youth Fellowship (3rd - 5th grade)

JYF: Junior Youth Fellowship (6th - 8th grade)

SYF Senior High Youth Fellowship (9th - 12 grade)

POSITION OPENING

CROSS & FLAME MINISTRIES/DESOTO UMC SITE—MUSIC LEADER. Successful candidate will provide overall leadership to the music ministries of the DeSoto Church, including vocal and instrumental leadership for regular and special worship services. Resumes can be emailed to pathways@teresagilbert.com or mailed to Teresa Gilbert, United Methodist Church, 1500 Pine Street, Murphysboro, IL 62966. For a complete job description and qualifications, visit www.murphysboroumc.com or call the church office at 618-687-2317.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

MARCH TO THE MANGER HELP WANTED. Pastor Larry and Joseph Ryker have some new ideas for this year's March to the Manger. They are looking for a few people to work with them on this project. The March to the Manger will be a part of worship in both services on Sunday, December 18th. If you are interested in helping, please contact Angie Baughman at 618-201-0139 or angie_baughman@hotmail.com.

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.



OCTOBER IS *Pastor* **APPRECIATION MONTH**

Pastor Appreciation Month (also known as Clergy Appreciation Month) is a special time that congregations set aside each year to honor their pastors and pastoral families for the hard work, sacrificial dedication and multiple blessings provided by these special people. World-wide greeting card producer, Hallmark, shares on its website that this celebration was established in 1992 with a mission of uplifting and encouraging pastors, missionaries and religious workers. They printed their first Pastor Appreciation cards in 2002. Pastor Appreciation Day is celebrated nationwide on the second Sunday in October.



The nature of the service provided by pastors and their families is unique. God has entrusted to them one of the most precious of assignments — the spiritual well-being of His flock.

Let's remember that appreciation, affirmation and prayer in support of our spiritual leaders are appropriate throughout the entire year. **GOD BLESS THE GILBERT FAMILY!**

PRAYER LIST

Lee and Alberta Sullivan
Barb Zimmerman

Sandie Schwebel
Marie Quigley

Prince Alexander
Brenda Smith

◆ Bill Quigley, for health concerns.

- ~ 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 murphysboroumc@gmail.com
- ~ 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

Please include this emphasis 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

WEBSITE: www.murphysboroumc.com  facebook.com/murphysboroumc

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

CHURCH LIBRARY: Room 110

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