

First United Methodist Church

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February 9, 2025 — February 15, 2025

"Fifth Sunday After Epiphany"

Usher/Greeter: Sharon Feichtenbinder Pianist/Organist: Cynthia Burgin
Liturgist: Connie Kelsey Children's Worship: Natalie G./Mary W.
Altar Flowers: Needed Fellowship: Char Crosby
Monthly Mission Noisy Offering: Manistique Public Schools Helpful Hotspot

Monday (2/10) Bible Study 11 AM / Prayer Group 12 PM / Church Dialogue 4:30 PM
Tuesday (2/11)
Wednesday (2/12) Pasty Prep 7:30 AM / Sales 10 AM-1 PM
Thursday (2/13) Pasty Prep 7:30 AM / Sales 10 AM-1 PM
Friday (2/14)
Saturday (2/15)

February 16, 2025 — February 22, 2025

"Sixth Sunday after Epiphany"

Usher/Greeter: Bette Jahn Pianist/Organist: Cynthia Burgin
Liturgist: Sharon Feichtenbinder Children's Worship: Natalie G./Needed
Altar Flowers: Bette Jahn Fellowship: Bette Jahn
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Monday (2/17) Bible Study 11 AM / Prayer Group 12 PM
Tuesday (2/18)
Wednesday (2/19)
Thursday (2/20)
Friday (2/21)
Saturday (2/22)

Lectionary Calendar—Bible Study

2/9/25 Isa 6:1-8, 9-13; Ps 138 (UMH 853); 1 Cor 15:1-11; Luke 5:1-11

2/16/25 Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1 (UMH 738); 1 Cor 15:12-20; Luke 6:17-26

Let us please keep the following people in our prayers: Char Crosby, Penny Tracy, Jean Smith, Carol Weinert, Martha Weeks, Barbara Schneider, Phyllis Burge, Curt & Celie Norton, Ted Burson, Mary Prater, Lynn LaRose, Katie Putnam, Sharon V. & Celie N.'s brother, Kerry Billings family concerns, Michael Haynes, Connie Meade, Jo Nell Rubick, Joel Prater, Connie Whitsitt, Sandi Kolder, Bill Tracy's family, Jesse Baker, and unspoken requests.

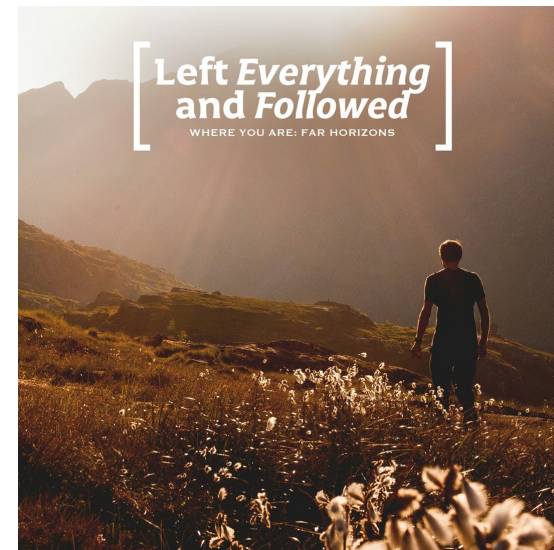


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February 9, 2025



**"WE EXIST TO JOYFULLY SHARE GOD'S LOVE,
PREACH THE GOOD NEWS AND MAKE DISCIPLES."**



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February 9, 2025
“Fifth Sunday After Epiphany”



WORSHIP 11AM

PRELUDE: In Quiet Reverence by Stewart Landon

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER—INVOCATION

PSALM 138

***PRAISE CHORUS:** FWS 2036 Give Thanks

***CALL TO WORSHIP:**

L: Rejoice, for Jesus has come for us and for all!

P: Thank You, O God, for sending Jesus to us, and to all!

L: Rejoice, but also remember that Jesus gives us work to do, for we are to share the Good News with others!

P: O God, give us the physical strength to do the work You would have us do, and the spiritual strength to continue in this work, even when we are tired, or feeling discouraged because we see no results from our labors.

L: Remember, we are responsible for sharing the Good News with others, but those who hear the Good News are responsible for their responses to it. Keep on sharing the Good News, not just through what we say but more importantly, through how we live our lives. Set the example, pray always, and keep on keeping on!

P: O God, give us the spiritual strength to share the Good News with all who will listen, and help us to never become discouraged when others ridicule us, ignore us, or scorn us! Remind us that it is our job to inform and invite. We have no responsibility for the responses of others to Your message!

***OPENING HYMN:** UMH 64 Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty

***APOSTLES’ CREED:** UMH 881

***SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

CHILDREN’S TIME

***HYMN OF PREPARATION:** UMH 398 Jesus Calls Us

***GOSPEL READING** Luke 5:1-11

SERMON: Left Everything and Followed

PRAYER TIME Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

PRAYER HYMN: FWS 2193 Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY: Tis’ the Hour of Prayer arr. by Roger G. Wilson

***DOXOLOGY:** UMH 95 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

***OFFERTORY PRAYER**

FAVORITE HYMN (Red Hymnal) Congregation’s Choice

***CLOSING HYMN:** UMH 338 Where He Leads Me

***BENEDICTION**

***PARTING HYMN:** (front cover of hymnal) Go Now In Peace

POSTLUDE: God of Glory by Gertrude H. Richolson

The Altar Rail is always open to all.

February Mission Noisy Offering—Helpful Hotspot
 This noisy offering is provides basic needs to Elementary, Middle and High School students who attend Manistique Public School.
 God is working through us. Thank you for your support!

* DENOTES CONGREGATION STANDING (AS ABLE)

* PLEASE BE SURE TO SILENCE ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES DURING THE WORSHIP SERVICE