

LONG TERM OR SHORT TERM  
**SMALL GROUP LEADERS NEEDED!**

WOULD YOU LIKE TO TEACH OR FACILITATE A BIBLE STUDY OR A SMALL GROUP? IF SO WE WOULD LIKE TO MEET WITH YOU ON **WEDNESDAY, JULY 25, 2018 AT 4:30PM.**

For more information please contact the church office by phone or email (850) 785-1564 | office@sa-umc.com



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AT THE BAY COUNCIL ON AGING  
**RESPIRE CENTER**  
4<sup>th</sup> THURSDAYS OF EACH MONTH  
STARTING JULY 26 at 10:00AM  
SIGNUP SHEET AVAILABLE ON BULLETIN BOARD  
A MINISTRY OF ST. ANDREW UNITED METHODIST CHURCH.

**FIFTH SUNDAY LUNCHEON**

We will have a Fifth Sunday Luncheon on July 29th following the worship service. The church will provide the meat. Please bring a covered dish to share.

**UMW UNIT MEETING**

The UMW Unit Meeting will be on Tuesday, July 24th at 6:00 p.m. We will meet in the Youth building.

CHURCH  
REJUVENATION

MOVING FORWARD INTO A  
FRUITFUL TOMORROW

JESUS SAID, "THOSE WHO ABIDE IN ME AND I IN THEM BEAR MUCH FRUIT" (JOHN 15:5)

DESIGNATE GIVING TO:  
REJUVENATION FUND



**OUR STAFF**

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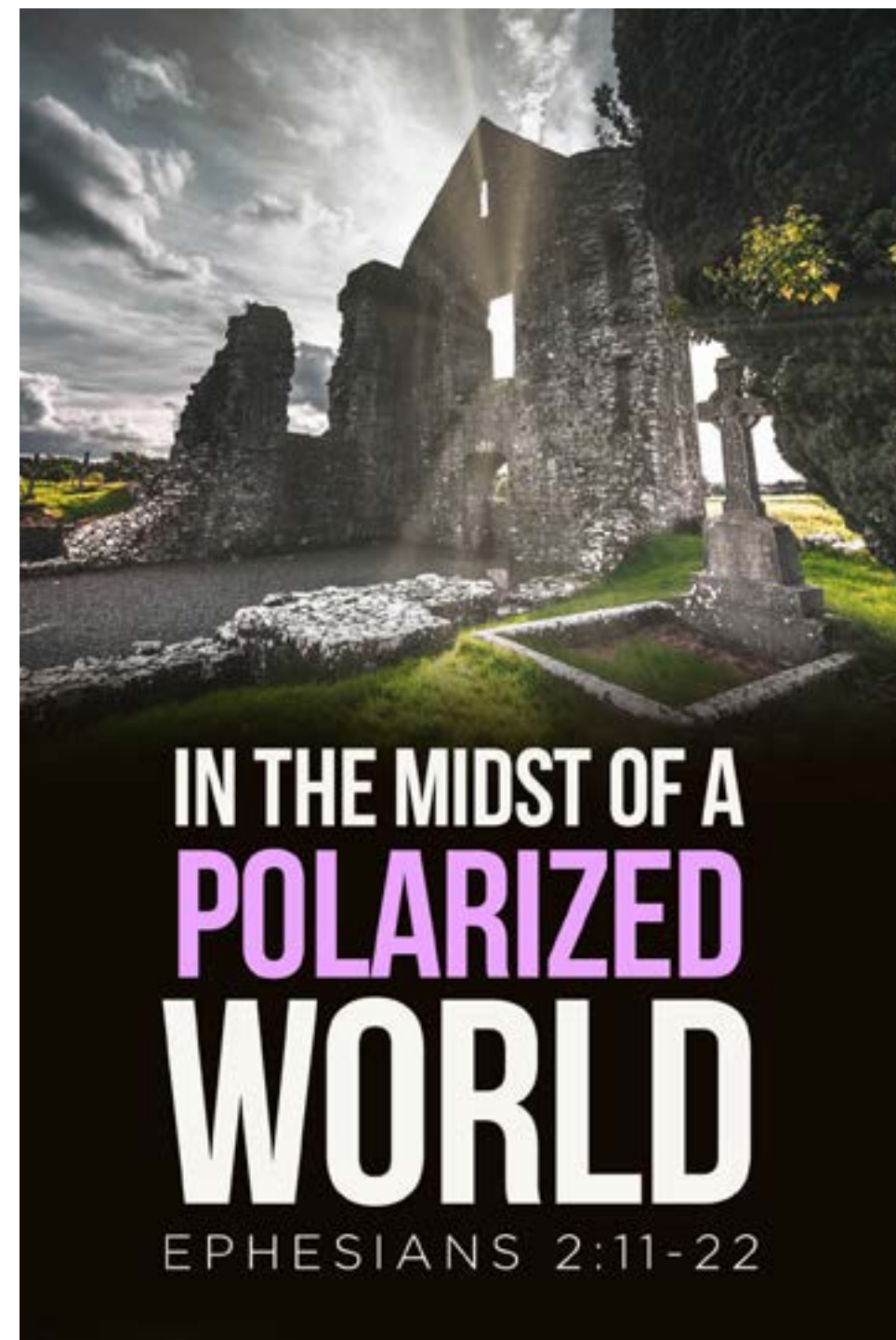
**Custodian: Jack Cunningham**

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**9th Sunday after Pentecost**  
**Sunday, July 22, 2018**  
**10:30 AM**  
**Reverend John O. Blount, Pastor**

# THE MORNING ORDER OF WORSHIP

## 9TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

### JULY 22, 2018

**GREETING**

**PRELUDE** *When We All Get to Heaven* Organist  
arr. Leatherman

**\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN** *How Firm a Foundation* 529

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP** Kadine Christie  
Come into the presence of the Most High God with songs of praise and shouts of thanksgiving. For our Savior frees us from slavery; our Savior heals our diseases; our Savior is our peace. You are a holy temple in the Lord Jesus Christ. Come, let us worship God.

**\*OPENING PRAYER**  
**O Trinity, fill our weakness with your strength; bind up our brokenness with your unity; calm our fears and our dread of dying with your peace. Let us be about the tasks of your love. Use us to build a holy place where healing and caring and joy blend in the tones of worship to the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** *The Apostles Creed* 881  
**I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

**\*GLORIA PATRI** *Glory be to The Father* 70  
*Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.*

**CHORAL ANTHEM** *At The Name of Jesus* Choir  
arr. Cindy Berry

**CONCERNS OF A CARING CONGREGATION**

**CALL TO PRAYER** *On Eagle's Wings* Choir

**PASTORAL PRAYER** Ontario Christie  
Minister of Nurture and Outreach

**LORD'S PRAYER**

**OFFERTORY** *Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart* Pianist  
*Frederick C. Atkinson, arr. Janet Vogt*

**\*PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

**DOXOLOGY** No. 95  
*Praise God from Whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

**PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**ACT OF PRAISE** *There is Nothing Greater Than Grace* Duet  
*M. Hall, A. Neal, S. Mizell*  
*performed by Sarah Watts and Mary Sexton*

**CHILDREN'S MINUTE**

**\*HYMN OF MEDITATION** *Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us* 381

**GOSPEL LESSON** *Ephesians 2:11-22*

**SERMON** In the Midst of a Polarized World Rev. John O. Blount

**INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP**

*For those wishing to become members in this congregation of St. Andrew United Methodist Church, either by profession of faith or transfer of church membership, please come forward indicating your desire during the first stanza of our hymn of invitation.*

**\*HYMN OF INVITATION** *Near to the Heart of God* 472

**\*BENEDICTION** Ruth Howard

**POSTLUDE** *To God Be The Glory* Organist  
*Doane*

*THANK YOU FOR SILENCING ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES*  
*\*PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE*

**ALTAR FLOWERS**

The Altar Flowers are given by Hugh and Carla Roche in loving memory of Hugh's mom and dad, Lillian and Howard Roche

**PERSONS HELPING US EXPERIENCE CHURCH TODAY:**

**Ushers:** David Riley, Nancy Bishop,  
Drew Nelson, Lila Locke  
**Greeters:** Linda Cunningham  
**Organist/Pianist:** Thera Harris/Dr. Carolyn Joy Wilson  
**Music Director:** Mary Sexton  
**Nursery Workers:** Susan Riley

**PRAYER REQUEST**

Alyssa Hamman	George Mulligan family	Bonnie Deaton
Jeanette Ingram	Mr. Childs	Jackson Bailey
Nan Locher	Masullo family	Stephanie Sizemore
Sadie Williams	Patricia Howell	<b>MILITARY MEMBERS</b>
Sue Gagnon	Mary Holsenback	Tristan Goodlake
Jeanette Ingram Family	Judy Rolan	Travis Cox
Jim Roughton	Fred Zediker	Blake Creel
Jo McQuagge	Debbie Bell Family	David McClain
Mary Sadler	The Mardick Family	Christine Miller
Hazen Sadler	Madelin Brunty	Destiny Beamer
June McLain	Steve Thurman	Chad Bruckschen
Jayden Hendrix	Mike Dunnington	Sam Trueman

**UMW PRAYER REQUEST**



The United Methodist Women request your prayers for the following: Missionaries, Deaconesses, Board of Missions Staff Persons; and Missionary Sites: Global: Improving people's livelihoods and nutrition by providing livestock and training.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

Bekah Nelson	07/24	Betty Ann Wachob	07/31
Nita Tancredi	07/25	Jerry Register	08/01
Hunter Hart	07/26	Zach Bailey	08/02
Willis Holley	07/28	Russell Pelt	08/06
Mallory Ray	07/28	Buddie Hale	08/09
Jeanie Chambers	07/29	Madeline Watts	08/09
Ami Gray	07/30	Shealy Deaton	08/10
Matthew Bailey	07/30	Wayne Temple	08/14
Dot Allen	07/31	Joe Chambers	08/18
Jo Ann Sutter	07/31	Frances McKinney	08/21

**HAPPENING THIS WEEK**

<b>Sunday, July 22</b>	5:30 Youth Ministry
8:30 Donuts	6:00 Kids for Christ
9:15 Sunday School	6:00 Chancel Choir
10:30 Worship Service	
<b>Monday, July 23</b>	<b>Thursday, July 26</b>
1:00 Visitation & Welcome	10:00 Respite Center Art
	11:00 Line Dancing
<b>Tuesday, July 24</b>	<b>Sunday, July 29</b>
6:00 UMW Unit Meeting	8:30 Donuts
	9:15 Sunday School
<b>Wednesday, July 25</b>	10:30 Worship Service
4:30 Small Group Leaders	

**STEWARDSHIP UPDATE**

**Attendance July 15: 120**  
**Donations July 15: \$8,126.35**  
**Totals for July: \$29,089.36**  
**Rejuvenation: \$18,716.20**