



October 17, 2021

Today's Scripture ~ I Samuel 16: 1, 4a, 6-7, 11-13a (New Living Translation)

Now the Lord said to Samuel, "You have mourned long enough for Saul. I have rejected him as king of Israel, so fill your flask with olive oil and go to Bethlehem. Find a man named Jesse who lives there, for I have selected one of his sons to be my king."

So Samuel did as the Lord instructed.

When they arrived, Samuel took one look at Eliab and thought, "Surely this is the Lord's anointed!" But the Lord said to Samuel, "Don't judge by his appearance or height, for I have rejected him. The Lord doesn't see things the way you see them. People judge by outward appearance, but the Lord looks at the heart."

Then Samuel asked, "Are these all the sons you have?" "There is still the youngest," Jesse replied. "But he's out in the fields watching the sheep and goats." "Send for him at once," Samuel said. "We will not sit down to eat until he arrives." So Jesse sent for him. He was dark and handsome, with beautiful eyes. And the Lord said, "This is the one; anoint him."

So as David stood there among his brothers, Samuel took the flask of olive oil he had brought and anointed David with the oil. And the Spirit of the Lord came powerfully upon David from that day on.



Our Mission ... Making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

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Thank you for joining us in person and in virtual worship today!

Last week's attendance:

9:00 a.m. 130 in-person; 52 virtual / 11:00 a.m. 38 in-person; 82 virtual

It's Fall... and College Care Package Time! We have 11 identified college students this year who will greatly appreciate receiving a box of goodies and notes of encouragement. Asking for individually wrapped snacks, candy, school supplies, etc. Boxes for collecting at both locations. Drop-off deadline is Oct. 22. (packing on the 24th)

October 20 Community Meal is being prepared by the Deborah Circle and can use your help. Cookies/brownies needed: 400 total pre-packaged 2/bag and brought to the church before Noon Tuesday, Oct. 19.

October 23 at 12:30 p.m. Memorial Service for David Read at The Connection Campus

FUMC Endowment Trust Committee announces grant applications being accepted. The Warsaw First Endowment Trust Committee recently met and determined funds available for grants. Grant requests cannot be submitted for day-to-day operations or capital campaigns. Ministry and Program Teams and others have until December 17 to submit grant requests. Applications and guidelines are available by contacting Ann Baker at busmgr@warsawfumc.org or stop in the church office. What is the Warsaw First Endowment Trust? These are monies gifted to the church from individuals or estates that are then invested and managed by the United Methodist Foundation of Indiana. The income generated is then used for grant purposes. Want to learn more, contact the church office.

4th Quarter Mission Focus . . . Community Closet & Deb's Closet

FUMC's Community Closet (Downtown Campus) & Deb's Closet (Connection Campus) is the mission focus for the last three months of 2021. Personal care and household items that cannot be purchased with SNAP funds continue to be available curbside on Wednesdays from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at alley Atrium door and in conjunction with Strengthening Families on Mondays at The Connection. Your financial assistance is greatly appreciated! We have been assisting about 80 families consisting of well over 200 individuals on a regular basis. Donations may be made through designated mission giving as well as a "noisy offering" aka coin offerings. Please indicate "Closet" in memo section of checks made payable to FUMC or on a separate line of your giving envelope.



First Families! A family focused program for all ages. Children have a lesson, craft, and snack; Youth attend a Youth Group lesson; and Adults will have an informal class led by Matt Goebel “Raising Kids in a World we Didn’t Grow Up In”. Sunday, now thru Oct. 31 from 10-10:45 a.m. Downtown Campus. Children preschool room, Youth Room 303, Adults Room 302. Why? To provide a family ministry that is adaptable to our current church needs and helps strengthen the networks between families.

<i>Ongoing prayers for...</i>	
Our Church	Jeanne DeWilde and Family
Pastor Brian and Family	Clara Griner
Our church family in long-term care facilities or home-bound.	Euell Bowling Family
Our students	Maureen Mauzy
Our Country and Our Military Personnel	Michelle Becknell’s Family (father Bill Ehner passed away)
All healthcare workers	Congratulations to Dave and Mary McConnell on the arrival of a new grand baby
Unspoken prayers	Amy Sexton
Carol Rappe	
Betty Ferguson	
Betty Nyenhuis	
Peter Kaster	
Bill Kaster	
Barbara Anderson	
Sam and Denny Bowling	
Steve Holcomb	
Ronda Wagner	
Randy Swanson	
7-month old at Riley needing liver transplant	
Justin Kerschner	

Prayer requests: Contact the church office (574-267-6933) or Richard and Sue Balke (574-267-3787)

Pastoral Care: If you would like a pastoral visit in emergency, sickness, hospital, or just to talk, please contact the church office at 574-267-6933.

After hours: Pastor Brian at (863) 257-0244 or Ann at (260) 341-0381

This week's FUMC events ...

- Oct. 18— 6:00-8:00p Strengthening Families—CC/gym, 2, 4, 7, 8
6:30p Cub Scouts Troop 3731—Fellowship Hall, LL-2, LL-3, Rm 201
7:00p Boy Scout Troop 730—Connection Room 6
- Oct. 19— 6:00p Prayer Group—Parlor
7:00p Deborah Circle on-line only
- Oct. 20— 11:00a-1:00p Community Kitchen/Closet Drive-thru
Fall Break 1:15p Wilcox Small Group—Parlor
6:00p Ginn Handbells Rehearsal—Downtown 3rd floor alcove
7:00p Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal—Downtown Sanctuary
- Oct. 21— 8:00a Bible Study w/Pastor Brian via Zoom
Fall Break 8:00a Bible Study w/Richard Harrold in downtown Boardroom
9:30a Small Group/Peggy Rees—Parlor
12:00p Kiwanis Meeting—Connection Gym
5:30p Girl Scout Troop 0158—Connection Room 9
7:00p Bible Study w/Pastor Brian via Zoom
7:00p Praise Team Rehearsal—Connection
- Oct. 22— 6:30p Heim/Becknell Small Group—Parlor
Fall Break 7:00p Round Dance—Connection Gym
- Oct. 23— **12:30p David Read Memorial Service—Connection Worship Center**
- Oct. 24— 9:00a Traditional Worship Downtown Sanctuary
(or Radio 101.1 FM; live stream via WIOE.com; www.warsawfumc.org/worship)
10:00a First Families Programs
—Children: Preschool Rm 203; Youth: Rm 303; Adults: Rm 302
10:00a Fidelity Sunday School Class—LL-2
11:00a Modern Worship—Connection Worship Center
(or Facebook/[warsawfumc](https://www.facebook.com/warsawfumc))

AA Support Group Meetings:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 9:00 a.m. LL-3

Wednesday 7:30 p.m. LL-3

Friday, 7:30 p.m. LL-3

Saturday 7:30 p.m. Fellowship Hall

Sunday 7:30 p.m. Connection Room 9

Narcotics Anonymous Meetings:

Tuesday 6:30 p.m. Lower Level 2

Friday 7:00 p.m. Fellowship Hall

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The People of God at Worship
October 17, 2021 ~ 9:00 a.m.

PRELUDE

Richard Dick

WELCOME AND NEWS OF THE CHURCH ALIVE

Pastor Brian Smith

*OPENING HYMN No. 203

Hail to the Lord's Anointed

*CALL TO WORSHIP (congregation response in bold)

Elle Turley

We come to this place today, ordinary people with ordinary lives.

Can you use us Lord?

We see a need we might be able to help fill.

But what if I'm not good enough?

We feel your tug telling us to try anyway.

But someone else could do it so much better.

But I see you here, now, And I choose you.

Then here I am, use me as you will.

CHORAL ANTHEM

Who Will Go for Me?

Sanctuary Choir

~ By L. Larson

Brian Brauchla, director

Jan Clingaman, accompanist

SCRIPTURE READING (on folder cover)

I Samuel 16: 1, 4a, 607, 11-13a

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

*Gloria Patri, Hymn No. 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.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Mandy Bailey

(Children ages 3 thru elementary dismissed to Children's Church)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Silent Reflection

Pastoral Prayer

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.

PRESENTATION OF OFFERING

*Doxology, Hymn No. 94 (together)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia Alleluia!

Praise God, the source of all our gifts!

Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

MESSAGE

*CLOSING HYMN No. 77

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

Unexpected Hero

How Great Thou Art