



January 16, 2022

Today's Scripture ~ John 2: 1-11 (New Living Translation)

The next day there was a wedding celebration in the village of Cana in Galilee. Jesus' mother was there, and Jesus and his disciples were also invited to the celebration. The wine supply ran out during the festivities, so Jesus' mother told him, "They have no more wine."

"Dear woman, that's not our problem," Jesus replied. "My time has not yet come."

But his mother told the servants, "Do whatever he tells you."

Standing nearby were six stone water jars, used for Jewish ceremonial washing. Each could hold twenty to thirty gallons. Jesus told the servants, "Fill the jars with water." When the jars had been filled, he said, "Now dip some out, and take it to the master of ceremonies." So the servants followed his instructions.

When the master of ceremonies tasted the water that was now wine, not knowing where it had come from (though, of course, the servants knew), he called the bridegroom over. "A host always serves the best wine first," he said. "Then, when everyone has had a lot to drink, he brings out the less expensive wine. But you have kept the best until now!"

This miraculous sign at Cana in Galilee was the first time Jesus revealed his glory. And his disciples believed in him.

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:

9:00a 102 in-person; 73 virtual / 11:00a 39 in-person; 174 virtual

"Make A Difference" A six-week study continues at The Connection Café from 10:10 to 11:00 a.m. Sundays. David Heim leads this study.

5th Sunday in January Mission—Destiny Rescue ~ "We exist to rescue kids from sex trafficking and exploitation and help them stay free." Find more information at www.destinyrescue.org

All-Church Annual Retreat: Inviting the Church Family to come be a part of the discussion exploring where we've been over the past couple of years in pandemic, where we are today, and where we're sensing God is leading us in the New Year. We will meet at The Connection Campus Saturday, February 5, beginning at 9:00 a.m. Food and drink will not be provided so bring your own coffee and snacks.

Mission Sunday with Bishop Trimble February 6—10:00a Downtown— Come be a part of an exciting morning of worship and celebration as we hear from the various missions we are partnering with in 2022 and receive inspiration as Bishop Julius Trimble of the Indiana Annual Conference shares God's Word with us. Our Conference Superintendent Rev. Dr. Marti Lundy will also be in attendance with us and would love to get to meet as many of you as she can. This special church-wide worship gathering will take place Downtown at 10am and will be the only worship service on this Sunday. Due to COVID we will not be having our annual soup cook-off again this year, but you will still be able to visit with some of the mission partners after worship to learn more about these vital ministries we will be supporting in 2022.

Liturgists are needed — if you're interested in participating in the worship service, let us know! We would like a few people to call upon each week.

1st Quarter 2022 Mission Focus — Bashor Children's Home. A

501-C-3 non-profit child welfare agency affiliated with the United Methodist Church. They provide help for troubled children and their families through residential care, day treatment/alternative education, foster care, and many other services. Bashor has become a regional provider for services over the last 95 years and works with over 150 children daily from 22 counties and 3 different states.

January thru March loose coin and undesignated mission giving will go to support the programs at Bashor Children's Home.



Ongoing prayers for...

Our Church	Bev Vespo
Pastor Brian and Family	Alma Sigler
Our church family in long-term care facilities or home-bound.	Kim and Hannah (Kim's father in Korea passed away)
Our students	Cheryl (Jo Spangler's sister-in-law)
Our Country and Our Military Personnel	Amy Sexton
All healthcare workers	Bill Seiffert
Unspoken prayers	Gloria Thomas
	Gayle Wiegman
	Max Reed
Betty Ferguson	Judy Drudge and Family
Betty Nyenhuis	(brother Ellis Hygema passed away Jan. 10)
Barbara Anderson	
Clara Griner	
Erick Sawyer	
Nicholas Sutterby	
Bill Booth	
Bob Wulliman	
Maureen Mauzy	
William, Matthew, Cooper Olds	
Heather Waterson	
(daughter/Richard & Patsianne Harrold)	

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 ...

- M/Jan. 17— Martin Luther King Jr. Day/No School/Office Closed
6:30p Cub Pack 3731—Fellowship Hall; LL-2, 3 and Room 201
7:00p Boy Scout Troop 730—Room 303
- Tu/Jan 18— 5:00p Prayer Group—Parlor
7:00p Operational Team via Zoom
- W/Jan. 19— 11:00a Community Kitchen/Closet drive-thru
1:30p Wilcox Small Group—Parlor
6:00p Ginn Handbell Rehearsal—3rd Floor Sanctuary Alcove
7:00p Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal—Sanctuary
- Th/Jan. 20— 8:00a Bible Study w/Pastor Brian via Zoom
8:00a Bible Study w/Richard Harrold in downtown Boardroom
12:00p Kiwanis Meeting—Connection Gym
5:30p Girl Scout Troop 00158—CC/9
7:00p Bible Study w/Pastor Brian via Zoom
7:00p Praise Team Rehearsal—CC/Worship Center
- F/Jan. 21— 6:00-9p Round Dance—CC/Gym
6:30p Heim/Becknell Small Group—Parlor
- Sa/Jan. 22— No church activities scheduled
- Su/Jan 16— 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: Rm 202/203; Youth: Rm 303; Adults: Rm 302
10:00a Fidelity Sunday School Class—LL-2
10:10a "Make A Difference" study w/David Heim—Connection Café
11:00a Modern Worship—Connection Worship Center
(or Facebook/warsawfumc)
4:00p Spanish Ministry—CC/Café

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 ~ 9:00 a.m. ~ January 16, 2022

PRELUDE Richard Dick

WELCOME AND NEWS OF THE CHURCH ALIVE Pastor Brian Smith

*OPENING HYMN No. 642 vs. 2, 3, 4 *As Man and Woman We Were Made*

*CALL TO WORSHIP (congregation response in bold) Deb Mangas

Where are we?

First United Methodist Church, Warsaw, Indiana.

How do you know we are here?

There is a sign outside and Google Maps brought us here.

What time is it?

It is time for worship.

How do you know?

It's in the bulletin and on the sign outside.

Why did you come today?

We are looking for more signs, better directions, God's timing.

Then let us search together.

Yes, let us ask together when and where we should go.

CHORAL ANTHEM *Is Jesus the One?*

Lynne Burress, flute ~ By Patti Drennan

SCRIPTURE READING (on folder cover) John 2: 1-11 (NLT)

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)

PRAYER HYMN No. 400 vs. 1, 3 *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

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

God's Timing

*CLOSING HYMN No. 562, vs. 1, 2, 4, 5

Jesus, Lord, We Look to Thee

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE