



9:00 a.m. Traditional Service / Downtown: 179 South Indiana Street

11:00 a.m. Modern Worship / The Connection: 1692 West Lake Street

May 15, 2022

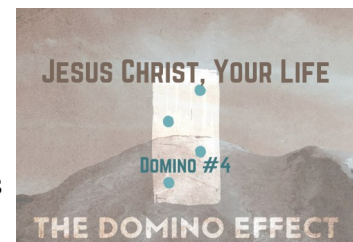
Today's Scriptures

1 Peter 2: 1-4 (New Living Translation)

So get rid of all evil behavior. Be done with all deceit, hypocrisy, jealousy, and all unkind speech. Like newborn babies, you must crave pure spiritual milk so that you will grow into a full experience of salvation. Cry out for this nourishment, now that you have had a taste of the Lord's kindness. You are coming to Christ, who is the living cornerstone of God's temple. He was rejected by people, but he was chosen by God for great honor.

Colossians 3: 1-10 (New Living Translation)

Since you have been raised to new life with Christ, set your sights on the realities of heaven, where Christ sits in the place of honor at God's right hand. Think about the things of heaven, not the things of earth. For you died to this life, and your real life is hidden with Christ in God. And when Christ, who is your life, is revealed to the whole world, you will share in all his glory. So put to death the sinful, earthly things lurking within you. Have



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

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nothing to do with sexual immorality, impurity, lust, and evil desires. Don't be greedy, for a greedy person is an idolater, worshiping the things of this world. Because of these sins, the anger of God is coming. You used to do these things when your life was still part of this world. But now is the time to get rid of anger, rage, malicious behavior, slander, and dirty language. Don't lie to each other, for you have stripped off your old sinful nature and all its wicked deeds. Put on your new nature, and be renewed as you learn to know your Creator and become like him.

Thank you for joining us in person and in virtual worship today! Let us know you joined us for worship today (regular attendees and guests) by completing the Welcome to Warsaw First UMC! card provided. Or virtual by sending us a comment. Large-print worship folders are also available; please see an usher.

Join us for Coffee Fellowship downtown in Fellowship Hall immediately following the 9a service.

Statistics from last week: Not available (Ann was out of office)

Sunday, May 22 at 10:00a *First Families Pancake Fundraiser!* Downtown Fellowship Hall—First Families Pancake Fundraiser. Free-will donation to update the Education Wing of the downtown location. New carpet, ceiling tiles, paint, furnishings, etc.

May 29—Worship at the Lake — 9:00 a.m. at Beyer Park It's May and summer should be here!!! We begin our summer worship schedule — last Sunday of each month (May, June, July, August)—with one service at 9:00 a.m. All other Sundays are as usual (9:00 traditional downtown Sanctuary and 11:00 modern worship at The Connection)

5th Sunday May 29 Mission Offering — UMCOR Sunday (all donations go to support the administrative work of UMCOR)



Join us for this year's Vacation Bible School!

- Monday, June 13-Thursday, June 16
- 5:30 pm.—7:30 p.m.
- Downtown—179 S Indiana Street
- Dinner, crafts, stories, games, music, new friends, and fellowship!
- Babies through 6th grade welcome
- Come with us on our journey with Moses, back to the Promised Land!

2nd Quarter Mission Focus

Beginning April 1 through June 30, mission funds received (includes Sunday coin offering) will support the programs at Pierceton Woods Academy (PWA) located near Pierceton, IN for boys and young men in the court system. PWA programs include Sexual Health and Relapse Prevention (SHARP); Independent Living; on-campus Alternative School; and Vocational Program (includes woodworking, gardening, small engine, and food service). More information can be found at PWA's website: <https://piercetonwoodsacademy.org/>



Ongoing prayers for...

Our Church
Pastor Brian and Family
Our church family in long-term care facilities or home-bound.
Our students
Our Country and Our Military Personnel
All healthcare workers
First Responders
Unspoken prayers
Betty Ferguson
Betty Nyenhuis
Barbara Anderson
Jerry Bennett (Rebecca Smith's Dad)
Matt Drudge
Bob Wulliman
Ava

Brittany Davis
Mary Read
Judy Drudge
Anne Easterday
Dave Merkler
Amy Sexton
Sheila Pressel Family
Judy Z. and husband
EmaLou
Bill Seiffert
Kim Sprunger
Nancy Blue and Family
Pam Wickett
Hannah Jung
Orland Sprunger family
Larry MacDonald
Walter Johnson

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.

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This week's FUMC events ...

M/May 16 6:30p Cub Pack 3731—Off-site (rain back up: Fellowship Hall, LL-2, 3, Room 201)
 7:00p Boy Scout Pack 730—Room 303

Tu/May 17 5:00p Prayer Group—Parlor
 6:00p Balke Small Group—Parlor
 7:00p Deborah Circle—Room 302

W/May 18 11:00a-1p Community Kitchen and Closet drive thru
 1:30p Wilcox Small Group—Parlor
 7:00p Sanctuary Choir rehearsal—Sanctuary

Th/May 19 8:00a Pastor/Men's Bible Study via Zoom
 8:00a Richard Harrold/Men's Bible Study—Parlor
 10:30a RIM/Carmer—Parlor
 11:00a Prayer Group—Connection
 12:00p Kiwanis Meeting—Connection Gym
 5:30p Girl Scout Troop 00158—Connection Room 9
 7:30p Praise Team Rehearsal—Connection Worship Center

F/May 20 6:00p Round Dance—Connection Gym

Sa/May 21 3:00p Cub Scouts Camp Out—Connection Campus

Su/May 22 9:00a Traditional Worship—Sanctuary
 10:00a First Families Ministry Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser—Fellowship Hall
 10:00a Fidelity Sunday School Class—LL-2
 10:10a *The Domino Effect* Small Group Study—Connection Café
 11:00a Modern Worship—Connection Worship Center
 5:00p Spanish Ministry—Connection Café

AA Support Group Meetings:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 9:00 a.m. LL-3
Tuesday 7:30 p.m. LL-3
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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

The People of God at Worship ~ 9:00 a.m.~ May 15, 2022

PRELUDE

Richard Dick

WELCOME AND NEWS OF THE CHURCH ALIVE

Pastor Brian Smith

*OPENING HYMN No. 715

Rejoice, the Lord Is King

*CALL TO WORSHIP (congregation response in bold)

Phil Jenks

Look up! What do you see?

We see the cross of Jesus.

We have been raised to new life because of that cross. Look around you, what do you see?

We see our church family.

We are all citizens of the kingdom of God together. Look within, what do you see?

We are new creations in Christ.

Then let us look together to our creator.

Let us be renewed in His image.

Let us become like Him as we walk through this world.

Let us worship Him together.

CHORAL ANTHEM

There Is a Higher Throne

~ by K. Getty

*GOSPEL READING (folder cover)

1 Peter 2: 1-4

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. 548 vs. 1, 4

In Christ There Is No East or West

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!

SCRIPTURE READING

Colossians 3: 1-10

MESSAGE

The Domino Effect—Jesus Christ, Your Life

*CLOSING HYMN No. 396

O Jesus, I Have Promised

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE