

**HOLY COMMUNION**  
**OUTDOOR SERVICE @ DAVIS PARK**  
**June 2, 2023 ~ 9 a.m.**

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**\*GREETING**

**MUSIC FOR GATHERING**

Inspiration Trio

"Jerusalem"

Comp. Herbert Parry

Arr. by Kees Schoonenbeek; Duet by Ernie Coleson

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

ONE: It's your voice we long for this morning, Jesus.

**ALL: Speak into our lives, mighty and powerful.**

ONE: The voice of wisdom instructing us,

**ALL: The voice of justice inspiring us,**

ONE: The voice of hope encouraging us,

**ALL: The voice of love calling us home.**

ONE: Give us ears to hear you this morning,

**ALL: Give us hearts and minds to understand all that you say to us. Amen!**

**\*HYMN**

"Open My Eyes"

#454

1. Open my eyes, that I may see  
glimpses of truth thou hast for me;  
place in my hands the wonderful key  
that shall unclasp and set me free.

Silently now I wait for thee, ready, my God, thy will to see.  
Open my eyes, illumine me, Spirit divine!

2. Open my ears, that I may hear  
voices of truth thou sendest clear;  
and while the wavenotes fall on my ear,  
everything false will disappear.

Silently now I wait for thee, ready, my God, thy will to see.  
Open my ears, illumine me, Spirit divine!

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

Ally Hall

**OFFERING TO GOD**

**INVITATION**

**OFFERTORY**

Inspiration Trio

"When You Wish Upon A Star"

Comp. Leigh Harline; Duet by Ernie Coleson

**PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**ANTHEM**

"Pure Imagination"

Inspiration Trio

Comp. Leslie Bricusse & Anthony Newley

Arr. by Rupert Austin; Horns arr. by Ernie Coleson

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

Dick Falkenberry

**OLD TESTAMENT**

Dick Falkenberry

1 Samuel 3:15-21 (NLT)

<sup>15</sup> Samuel stayed in bed until morning, then got up and opened the doors of the Tabernacle as usual. He was afraid to tell Eli what the LORD had said to him. <sup>16</sup> But Eli called out to him, "Samuel, my son." "Here I am," Samuel replied. <sup>17</sup> "What did the LORD say to you? Tell me everything. And may God strike you and even kill you if you hide anything from me!" <sup>18</sup> So Samuel told Eli everything; he didn't hold anything back. "It is the LORD's will," Eli replied. "Let him do what he thinks best." <sup>19</sup> As Samuel grew up, the LORD was with him, and everything Samuel said proved to be reliable.

<sup>20</sup> And all Israel, from Dan in the north to Beersheba in the south, knew that Samuel was confirmed as a prophet of the LORD. <sup>21</sup> The LORD continued to appear at Shiloh and gave messages to Samuel there at the Tabernacle.

This is God's Word for God's people today.

**Thanks be to God!**

**SERMON**

Games We Play: Telephone

Rev. Boruff

**HYMN**

"Have Thine Own Way Lord"

#382

1. Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way!  
Thou art the potter, I am the clay.  
Mold me and make me after thy will,  
while I am waiting, yielded and still.

4. Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way!  
Hold o'er my being absolute sway.  
Fill with thy Spirit till all shall see  
Christ only, always, living in me!

**GREAT THANKSGIVING**

Lift up your hearts and give thanks to God.

**We join together to praise God!**

Blessed are you, O God,... On the night before meeting with death Jesus took bread, gave thanks to you, broke the bread, gave it to the disciples, and said:

**"Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."**

When the supper was over Jesus took the cup, gave thanks to you, gave it to the disciples, and said:

**"Drink from this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, poured out for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."**

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here,... **Amen.**

**LORD'S PRAYER** (unison)

**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.**

**\*SHARING THE ELEMENTS**

*All are welcome to receive Christ's gift.*

*You may come forward to dip a piece of bread into the juice and received the bread and juice at the same time OR you may use prepackaged elements and remain in your seat.*

**PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

**HYMN**

"I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord"

#540

1. I love thy kingdom, Lord, the house of thine abode,  
the church our blest Redeemer saved with his own precious blood.

4. Beyond my highest joy I prize your heavenly ways,  
Your sweet communion, solemn vows,  
Your hymns of love and praise.

**RESPONSE**

As we turn to leave, we are reminded to "make disciples for Jesus Christ" by following our Pathway:  
**Living our Faith, Nurturing Families, Serving our Communities. Praise God!**

**MUSIC FOR SENDING**

Inspiration Trio

"When We All Get to Heaven"

Comp. Emily D Wilson

Arr. by Craig Curry; Duet by Ernie Coleson

"Fly Me to the Moon"

Comp. Bart Howard

Arr. by Daeyoun Kim; Horns by Ernie Coleson

**\*BENEDICTION**

*\*Please stand as you are able.*

Thank you  
Inspiration Trio:  
Ernie Coleson, Debbie Myers,  
and Steve Stickler  
for leading us in worship through music!

## WELCOME

Welcome to worship on Sundays and all programs & ministries throughout the week!

## Prayer Request

- Our love and condolences are extended to Bud Kennard and family in the death of Lynn Kennard.
- Please pray for a quick recovery from surgery for Becky Ball and Gail Landwehr.
- Please pray for Pat Walker as her shoulder surgery has again been postponed.
- Pray for wisdom for all the delegates to the Indiana Annual Conference, which begins June 5 - June 8.

## Announcements

- **ALL-CHURCH CONFERENCE:** Join as a church community on **Tuesday, June 4 at Davis Park Lodge at 6 p.m.** All will vote on the sale of our 2 city lots. Refreshments will be served.
- **GUESTS:** Welcome! There is a gift bag for you at the Welcome Center. Glad you joined us and hope you will come again!
- **FOOD @ FIRST:** 69 guests were served last Sunday. It was a blessing to serve the community.
- **SUMMER CHALLENGE:** Read a chapter of Acts each weekday June 3–July 8. This is a chance for us to grow together in faith, wisdom and community. Receive the daily reading via email by sending your info to [corinne@andersonfirst.org](mailto:corinne@andersonfirst.org) with subject: "Summer Challenge"
- **BLOOD DRIVE:** Save a life with your donation! Wed. June 19 from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. in the Downtown East West Parlor. Now is the time to schedule your donation!
- **PRAYER AND PASTRY:** Join Pastor Corinne on Wednesdays at 6 p.m. beginning June 26 for this Max Lucado study while enjoying a dessert. Childcare IS available.
- **JOY LUNCH:** Make your reservation for this special time of fellowship and presentation on June 21 at 11:30 a.m. Dr. Brian Dirck will speak about Abraham Lincoln. Great program!
- **TWO FREE CONCERTS:** June 10 — Fall Creek Valley Band Concert, Davis Park, 7 p.m. AND June 25 — 38th Infantry Division Band Concert Davis Park, 7 p.m. Bring your friends & family, your lawn chairs, and plan to enjoy some wonderful music in a beautiful setting!
- **GRIEFSHARE:** Grieving a loss? Join Ron & Carol Watson on Mondays, 10:30-12 in NS. Parlor for 13 sessions of healing. Dates of sessions are June 24-Sept. 23. Contact Carol Watson at (765) 356-2327 for more information.

## Weekly Schedule

### Sun 6/2

9:00 am	Worship		Davis Park
10:00 am	Soccer		Davis Park
10:45 am	Worship	North/South	Downtown
2:00 pm	Worship		Primrose
4:30 pm	Community Grille		Downtown

### Mon 6/3

5:00 pm	Exercise Class		Davis Park
6:00 pm	AA Big Book Study	East/West	Downtown

### Tues 6/4

9:00 am	Tuesday Sew Day	Fellowship Hall	Downtown
10:00 am	Staff Meeting	North/South Parlor	Downtown
6:00 pm	All Church Conference		Davis Park

### Wed 6/5

8:00 am	Rotary	North/South	Downtown
3:00 pm	Coffee with Corinne		Facebook
5:00 pm	Exercise Class		Davis Park

### Thurs 6/6

### Fri 6/7 Church Office closes at noon

9:00 am	Bible Study	North/South	Downtown
12:00 pm	Downtown Devotion		Facebook

### Sat 6/8

10:00 am	AA Meeting	North/South	Downtown
9:00 am	SOS at Davis Park		Davis Park

### Sun 6/9

9:00 am	Worship		Davis Park
10:00 am	Soccer		Davis Park
10:45 am	Worship	North South	Downtown
2:00 pm	Worship		Primrose
4:30 pm	Community Grille		Downtown

#### First United Methodist Staff:

Director of Music and Organist: Susan Finger  
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We give thanks for:

**Ushers:** Steve Seybert, Dick Hines, Jerry Hardacre  
**Coffee Hosts:** Janine Spurgeon, Peg Peter



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