# Welcome to Solon United Methodist Church!

To live as a congregation in which the love of God abides

### Prelude

#### Welcome

### \*Call to Worship

People: We wo Leader: Love, lik splashing with j People: We wo Leader: Today v	ke a rain shower, awakens the seed and rship a God whose love flows through v ke a wading pool, inspires the delight of oy. rship a God whose love flows through v ve celebrate and give thanks with water rough baptism, God claims us, loves us,	water. children, jumping and water. ',
*Opening Song	All Creatures of Our God and King	UMH 62 v. 1, 4, 7
The Children Gather		
Baptism of Josephine	& Kaiden Evans-Starr	
Baptismal Song	We Are Now Your Family	Back of UMH
*Passing of the Peace	2	
Stewardship Moment		Kate Richards & Justin Moore
<b>Time of Prayer</b> Gathering of Jo Silent Prayer Pastoral Praye Lord's Prayer	oys and Concerns er	
Scripture Reading	<i>Luke 2:41-52</i> Ephesians 4:1-7	Pew Bible pg. 59, NT Pew Bible pg. 193, NT
Message	Growing Stronger in Christ	Rev. Peggy Garrigues
Offering	Le Cygne (The Swan)	Pastor Peggy, violin
*Song of Praise	We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise	TFWS 2031

**Prayer of Thanks** 

Song Book Legend: UMH—United Methodist Hymnal W & S—Worship & Song TFWS—The Faith We Sing

### Announcements for Living Out Our Mission

*Closing Song	Cry of My Heart	TFWS 2165		
*Benediction				
Postlude *Please stand if you are able				
Prayer Requests				
<i>If you would like your prayer request shared with the congregation in next week's bulletin, please fill out the prayer card, or send a note to the church office. If you do not want it shared with the congregation or listed in the bulletin, simply check the box.</i> <b>Prayers for</b>				
Alan Yegge, a friend of Gail Kirchner who has bone cancer. He is getting further testing to work out a treatment plan. Jeanne and Wilbur Erhart asked for prayers for their son, Tom. Verlee Lauderbaugh asked for prayers for her sister, Gloria Bulechek, who is had hip replacement surgery on Monday.				
Kay Geguzis' grandson and kids, on the death of his wife/their mother.				
Coleen Pumphrey's daughter, Sophie, who is in Florida, where Tropical Storm and potentially Hurricane Milton is likely to strike. Leaders in our congregation.				
United Women in Faith groups in our conference, who had their annual meeting Saturday Our District Superintendent, Brian Oliver. Our Bishop Kennetha Bigham-Tsai.				
Prayers for all the place		urricane and Tropical Storm Helene and Milton. ar, violence, hunger, fear, and poverty. ople.		
	rt enjoyed a camping trip with t Jonathan got engaged to Mado			



Altar flowers provided by The Swartzendrubers in celebration of their 39th Anniversary!

#### SUMC Calendar of Events Sunday, October 13—Baptism of Josephine & Kaiden Evans-Starr

Message: Growing Strong in Christ by Rev. Peggy Garrigues Worship, 9:00 AM–Sanctuary Sunday School, 9:00 AM, LL Adult Sunday School, 10:20 AM, FLC LL Monday. October 14 Food Pantry, LL (2:00PM) Adult Bible Study, FH, 5:30 PM **Tuesday, October 15** Senior Advocates Flu Clinic, FH, 12-2PM Blood Drive, FH 3:00-5:30 PM Church Council Mtg, FH, 6:30 PM Wednesday, October 16 Coffee Connection, FH, 9:00 AM Senior Dining, FH, 11:30 AM Family Meal, FH, 5:30 PM Youth Group, 6:15 PM Chancel Choir, S, 6:15 PM Bell Choir, S, 7:15 PM Thursday, October 17

AA Meeting, LL, 7PM Saturday, October 19 UM Men's Group, FH, 6AM

#### **Worship Volunteers** Sunday October 13th

Lay Reader: Greeter/Usher (s): Acolyte (s): Fellowship:

**AV Volunteers:** 

Keela Herr The Andersons Madelyn Moses & Marla Dyer Connie Koeppen Kay Geguzis Mary Richards

See the clipboard to sign up to volunteer!

Pastor Peggy will be working in Solon on Mondays through Thursdays. Since she will sometimes be making visits, be at meetings, or may start at different times depending on when she has an evening meeting, please call, text, or email ahead to make a specific appointment to see her. Cell phone: 319-855-7911

#### **Bulletin Announcements**

(\* Indicates New or Updated Items)

If you would like to send a card to follow up on one of the prayer requests you heard today, there is a card box in the Fellowship Hall with cards for the taking to support our Congregation and the community. Thank you to Mary Hunt for organizing!

Senior Coffee Group begins on Oct. 15th! Join us Tuesdays and Thursdays in Fellowship Hall for coffee and treats. All seniors are welcome! Sponsored by Solon Senior Support.

Senior Advocates is holding a Flu/COVID-19 vaccine clinic on October 15th from Noon until 2PM, see the flyer on the bulletin to register online or call 319-430-8655.

SUMC will host a Blood Drive from 3:00-5:30PM in Fellowship Hall. To schedule, call 1-800-747-5401.

Third Grade Bible Sunday is October 20th. Please contact either Dee Swartzendruber or Pastor Peggy if you know anyone in the third grade or older who hasn't yet received a Bible so we can make sure they get one.

Mission donations for the month of October will be supporting Midwest Mission in their efforts to provide relief to those affected by Hurricane Helene.

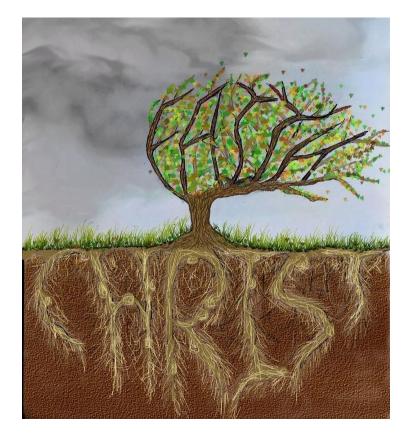
Please come to the Fellowship Hall after the service for refreshments and conversation!

## SUMC Staff

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**October 13, 2024** 9:00 AM