

# Welcome to Solon United Methodist Church!

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

## Prelude

## Welcome

## Gathering with the Light

### Reading

**Song** *Christ Has Broken Down the Wall* W & S 3122 v. 1

### Reading

**Song** *Christ Has Broken Down the Wall* W & S 3122 v. 2 & 3

## Peace Across the Divide

### Reading, 2 Voices, then:

Leader: Wait.

**People: Breathe.** *(take a breath)*

Leader: Let the anxiety take a break for just a moment.

**People: Breathe again.** *(take a breath)*

Leader: We are not alone.

**People: Christ is with us.**

### Reading, ending with:

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Leader: Let us offer Christ's peace to one another.

**Opening Song** *Forever* W & S 3023

## The Jesus Tour Children's Time

**Special Music** *River in Judea* Chancel Choir

## Time of Prayer

*Gathering of Joys and Concerns*

*Invitation to Prayer (response: "For ourselves and others")*

*Silent Prayer*

*Pastoral Prayer*

*Lord's Prayer*

**Song of Prayer** *You Are My All In All* W & S 3040

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

**Scripture Reading** *Ephesians 4:1-6* Pew Bible pg. 193, NT

**Message** *Listen More, Speak Less: Humility* Rev. Peggy Garrigues

## Offering

**\*Doxology** Projected

## Prayer of Thanks

## Announcements for Living Out Our Mission

**\*Closing Song** *Jesus Calls Us* UMH 398

**\*Benediction with Response** Projected

## Postlude

*\*Please stand if you are able*

## Prayer Requests

*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.*

### Prayers for

Jeannie Erhart's younger sister Kerry is having health issues.

Cathy Boggs asked for prayers for her son-in-law Andy who is having seizures. She is going to help care for him for a couple weeks. (Dan will be on his own while she is gone.)

Mary and Al Hunt came back from a retreat with COVID.

Leaders in our congregation.

Our District Superintendent, Brian Oliver.

Our Bishop Kennetha Bigham-Tsai.

Prayers for all the places in the world where there is war, violence, hunger, fear, and poverty

Political process that lifts up values and hope for all people

### Joys & Celebrations

Pastor Peggy's wife Sarah and son Jeremiah were here for worship last week, to celebrate Jeremiah's birthday.

Jeanne Erhart shared joy at having a family reunion.

Sue Wilkinson shared joy that local athlete Jessica Heims placed 6th in the discus throw at the Paralympics in Paris.

## SUMC Calendar of Events

### Sunday, September 8—Sunday School Kickoff!

Message: *Red & Blue Make Purple: Kindness and Compassion*

by Rev. Peggy Garrigues

Worship, 9:00 AM—Sanctuary

Youth Sunday School, LL 9:00 AM

Adult Sunday School, FLC LL, 10:20 AM

Church Potluck, FH, 11:30 AM

### Monday, September 9

Food Pantry, LI, 2:00PM

### Tuesday, September 10

**United Women in Faith Workday, FLC LL, 8:30 AM—11:30 AM**

**Worship at Solon Care Center, 9:30 AM**

### Wednesday, September 11

Coffee Connection, FH, 9:00 AM

Senior Dining, FH, 11:30 AM

Treasure Seekers, FLC, 3:30-5:15 PM

Family Meal, FH, 5:30 PM

Youth Group, FLC, 6:15PM

Chancel Choir, S, 6:15 PM

Bell Choir, S, 7:5 PM

### Thursday, September 12

AA, LL, 7PM

### Friday September 13

### Saturday, September 14

## Bulletin Announcements

(\* Indicates New or Updated Items)

Sunday School for Pre-K through 8th grade, and adults begins TODAY!

Today we have former SUMC Pastor Doug Peters and wife Martha Schut as our guests for worship, and a potluck at 11:30 AM, with visiting time after.

IC Shelter House is in urgent need of hygiene products (hand soap, shampoo/conditioner, deodorant). We have a drop box in the narthex if you would like to donate. Donations will be accepted through today!

The next UWF Workday will be September 10, 8:30-11:30, FLC Wesley Room. We will be working on heart pillows for patients at the Genesis Medical Center in Davenport with delivery to Gilda's Club. This is our final gathering to create these pillows for 2024. We would LOVE to have you join us. Everyone is welcome!

Family Meal begins this week, as well as Treasure Seekers, Confirmation & MS Youth Group and High School Youth Group. Dinner starts at 5:30 PM!

Adult Bible Study will begin on Monday, September 16th at 5:30 PM in Fellowship Hall. Please join us!

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

## Worship Volunteers

### Sunday September 8th

Lay Reader: Sue Wilkinson

Greeter/Usher (s): Al Hulse & Tanner Vollbrecht

Acolyte (s): Madelyn Moses

Fellowship: The Evans'

AV Volunteers:

*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.

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**September 8, 2024  
9:00 AM**