

Welcome to Solon United Methodist Church!

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

Prelude

Welcome

*Call to Worship

Leader: Bless the Lord God of Israel,

People: Who remembers the covenant with our ancestors and brings salvation from our enemies.

Leader: Because of our God's deep compassion, the dawn from heaven will break upon us,

People: To give light to those who are sitting in darkness, to guide us on the path of peace.

Leader: Bless the Lord who lifts up the lowly and fills the hungry with good things,

People: Who calls all people and seeks the outsiders, outcasts, and outlaws. Bless the Lord God of Israel.

*Opening Song *I Love to Tell the Story* UMH 156 v. 1, 3, 4

The Children Gather

Prayer of Confession and Words of Assurance

Leader: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

People: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

*Passing of the Peace

Special Music *Kyrie* SUMC Chancel Choir

Time of Prayer

Gathering of Joys and Concerns

Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

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

Scripture Reading *Luke 1:51-53* Pew Bible pg. 57

Message *Luke: Lifting Up the Lowly* Rev. Peggy Garrigues

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

Affirmation of Faith Projected

Offering

*Song of Praise *Holy Ground* UMH 204

Prayer of Thanks

Announcements for Living Out Our Mission

*Closing Song *Shout to the North* W & S 3042

*Sending Forth

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

Prayers of continued recovery and rehabilitation to Pastor Peggy and Jill Mack following their respective surgeries.

Darcy Miller asked for prayers of comfort & healing to the family & friends of Karen Ciha who passed away last week.

Dan & Cathy Boggs lifted up prayers of healing as several of their family members recently contracted Covid.

Prayer of thanks to Paul Saupe for the purchase of a medical device designed specifically to save choking victims.

Continued prayers for our world in that all must learn how to live together and be in communion with God.



SUMC Calendar of Events

Sunday, February 18

Message: *Lifting Up the Lowly*
by Rev. Peggy Garrigues
Worship, 9:00 AM—Sanctuary
Sunday School, 9:00AM—LL
Adult Sunday School, 10:15AM, FLC LL

Monday, February 19

Food Pantry, LL (2:00PM)
Adult Bible Study, Mack Home, 5:30 PM

Tuesday, February 20

Blood Drive, 3:00-6:00PM, FH
Church Council Meeting, 6:30PM, FH

Wednesday, February 21

Coffee Connection, FH, 9:00 AM
Senior Dining, FH, 11:30 AM
Family Meal, FH, 5:30 PM
Chancel Choir, 6:15-7:15 PM, S
Youth Group, 6:30-7:15 PM, FLC
Bell Choir, 7:30-8:30 PM, S

Thursday, February 22

AA Meeting, LL, 7PM

Friday, February 23

Senior Dining Dinner and a Movie, FH,
11:30 AM

Saturday, February 24

UM Men's Group, FH, 6AM

Bulletin Announcements

(* Indicates New or Updated Items)

The Monday night Bible study class will meet this week at Jill Mack's home at 5:30 pm (203 E. 5th St, Solon). This will be the first night of the Luke Lenten study.

If you would like to donate at the Blood Drive in Fellowship Hall on Tuesday, please call 1-800-747-5401 for an appointment.

The SUMC Youth will be handling out samples of some yummy coffee cakes that they are selling to raise money for a future mission trip following worship today and next Sunday, be sure to stop and check them out! They will also be fundraising at this week's Family Meal on the 21st at 5:30PM in FH. Thank you for your support!

Worship Volunteers

Sunday February 18

Lay Reader: Sue Wilkinson
Greeter/Usher (s): Nadine Sojka
Acolyte (s):
Fellowship: Richards Family
AV Volunteers:
Sunday School Volunteers: Melody Morris

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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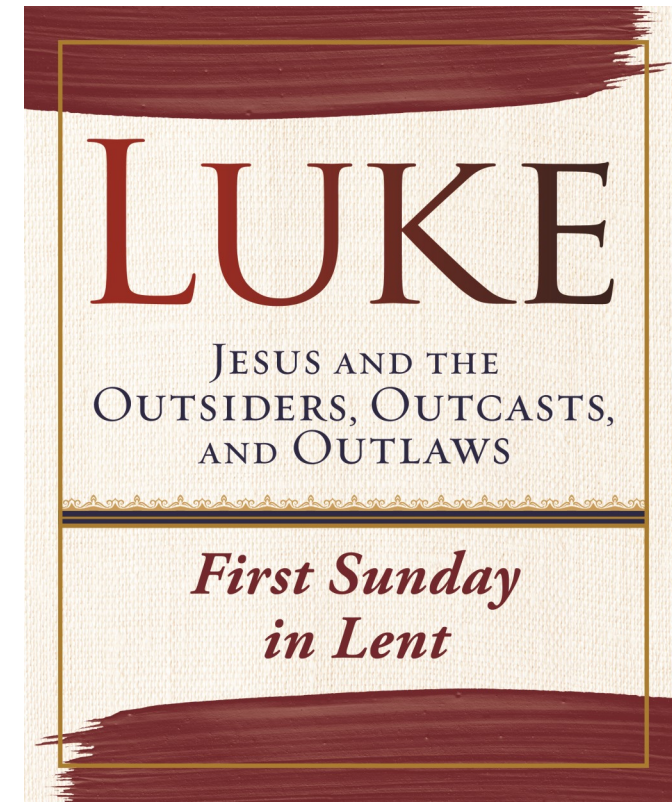
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