

**Today, November 12, 2017**

8:45 Traditional Worship (Friendship Hall)

9:45 Fellowship Time (Friendship Hall)

10:00 Sunday School Hour

10:50 Fellowship Time (Friendship Hall)

11:00 Contemporary Worship (Friendship Hall)

4:00 Finance Team Meeting (Room 112)

5:00 Church Council Meeting (Friendship Hall)

6:00 Youth (Room 113)

**Monday – November 13, 2017**

10:00 Adult Bible Study (Room 106)

6:30 TKD (Friendship Hall) & Boy Scouts (Room 107)

**Tuesday – November 14, 2017**

10:00 United Methodist Women (Room 112)

6:30 TKD (Friendship Hall)

**Wednesday – November 15, 2017**

9:00 Needle Group (Room 107)

5:30 Fellowship Meal (Friendship Hall)

6:00 – 8:30 Nursery (Room 109)

6:00 Kids Club & Youth

6:15 Adult Bible Study (Room 105) & Women's Ensemble/Jubilation (Room 107)

7:00 Choir Practice (Room 107)

**Thursday – November 16, 2017**

6:00 CPR/AED Training (Room 107)

6:30 Praise Band Practice (Friendship Hall) & Boy Scouts (Rooms 105 & 106)

**Friday – November 17, 2017**

6:30 TKD (Friendship Hall)

**Saturday – November 18, 2017**

8:00 Set Up for Chili Cook-Off, Store & Auction

10:00 Cantata Rehearsal (Friendship Hall)

4:00 Youth Chili Cook-Off, Sample Store & Silent Auction

**Next Sunday – November 19, 2017**

7:30 United Methodist Men's Club Breakfast (Friendship Hall)

8:45 Traditional Worship (Friendship Hall)

9:45 Fellowship Time (Friendship Hall)

10:00 Sunday School Hour

10:50 Fellowship Time (Friendship Hall)

11:00 Contemporary Worship (Friendship Hall)

6:00 Youth

*NOVEMBER 12, 2017*

*8:45 WORSHIP*



## **John 6:1-14**

<sup>1</sup> After this Jesus went to the other side of the Sea of Galilee, also called the Sea of Tiberias. <sup>2</sup> A large crowd kept following him, because they saw the signs that he was doing for the sick. <sup>3</sup> Jesus went up the mountain and sat down there with his disciples. <sup>4</sup> Now the Passover, the festival of the Jews, was near. <sup>5</sup> When he looked up and saw a large crowd coming toward him, Jesus said to Philip, "Where are we to buy bread for these people to eat?" <sup>6</sup> He said this to test him, for he himself knew what he was going to do. <sup>7</sup> Philip answered him, "Six months' wages would not buy enough bread for each of them to get a little." <sup>8</sup> One of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, said to him, <sup>9</sup> "There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish. But what are they among so many people?" <sup>10</sup> Jesus said, "Make the people sit down." Now there was a great deal of grass in the place; so they sat down, about five thousand in all. <sup>11</sup> Then Jesus took the loaves, and when he had given thanks, he distributed them to those who were seated; so also the fish, as much as they wanted. <sup>12</sup> When they were satisfied, he told his disciples, "Gather up the fragments left over, so that nothing may be lost." <sup>13</sup> So they gathered them up, and from the fragments of the five barley loaves, left by those who had eaten, they filled twelve baskets. <sup>14</sup> When the people saw the sign that he had done, they began to say, "This is indeed the prophet who is to come into the world."

# Cook's Announcements

**Welcome to Cook's UMC!** We are glad you're with us and want to welcome you, not only to this service of worship, but into the full life of the church. You are invited to be a part of any event or gathering mentioned here or in other announcements. We will be praying for you and hope you'll let us know how we can help you know us better as we get to know you! (We have an information packet for you that will get us started; please make sure you ask someone for that packet if we don't offer it first.)

**CPR/AED Training** Thursday, November 16<sup>th</sup> 6:00 pm Room 107 Cost \$65  
2 year certification

**Cook's Youth Chili Cook-Off & Silent Auction** Saturday, November 18<sup>th</sup> from 4-6 pm. Tickets \$10 can be obtained from any youth or the church office. To enter the chili cook-off see Jordan Littrell.

**ELF PARTY!** You are invited to join us on Saturday, December 2<sup>nd</sup> from 2:00-5:00p in the Friendship Hall. What do you do at an elf party? We will decorate our worship space for the Advent Season. We will also celebrate the beginning of the season with the singing of our favorite carols and songs as well as breaking bread together by sharing our favorite nibbles. Please join us in the Friendship Hall at 2:00 p.m. and bring your favorite appetizer. Drinks and paper products will be provided. We'd love to see you there!

**Charge Conference** Join us on Sunday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> for our Charge Conference. The schedule will be as such:  
2:30-3:00 p.m. look-see at the Sanctuary and refreshments  
3:00-4:00 p.m. Charge Conference with our D.S., Rev. Scott Aleridge (including a before-and-after Sanctuary Renovation presentation)

**United Methodist Women Christmas Luncheon Tuesday, December 5<sup>th</sup>** All women are invited to join our United Methodist Women's Group for lunch at The Chocolate Covered Strawberry Cafe in Gallatin. There is a sign-up sheet on the hall shelf. We will carpool from the church at 10:15 or you can meet us there.

**Compassionate Hands** Meeting Friday, November 17th at 6:00 pm (Room 106) for all team leaders and those interested in becoming team leaders and/or volunteers in this ministry. This will be a working meeting where information about changes will be distributed and a schedule determined. Cook's hosts every Thursday night beginning December 7th so overnight volunteers would serve at the church from 6:30 pm Thursday night to 7 am Friday morning every third week. Laundry volunteers pick up the used linens on Friday morning and return them before the following Thursday. If you are

willing to be an overnight host or work on the laundry team, please contact one of the Overnight Team Leaders (Eric Alspaugh, Greg Harris or Bob Johnson), Janet Driver, Laundry Team Leader, or Joyce Gaines, Compassionate Hands Coordinator.

**Wednesday Night Fellowship Meals** Please pre-order and pay for your meals using the envelopes on shelf in the main hall or in the Friendship Hall. Place the envelopes with money in the offering plate or turn into the church office no later than noon the Tuesday before. There will be a limited amount of food for those that don't pre-pay. NOVEMBER MENU: 15<sup>th</sup> Meatloaf, Mac 'n Cheese, Green Peas, Rolls & Dessert; 22<sup>nd</sup> **NO MEAL**; 29<sup>th</sup> Pizza & Salad.

## **November Meetings / Activities**

Finance Team – Sunday, November 12<sup>th</sup> 4:00 pm  
Church Council Team – Sunday, November 12<sup>th</sup> 5:00 pm  
United Methodist Women – Tuesday, November 14<sup>th</sup> 10:00 am  
Cantata Rehearsal – Saturday, November 18<sup>th</sup> 10:00 am  
Youth Chili Cook Off & Sample Sale – Saturday, November 18<sup>th</sup> 4-6 pm  
United Methodist Men's Club Breakfast – Sunday, November 19<sup>th</sup> 7:30 am  
No Wednesday Night Activities or Meal – Wednesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>  
Office Closed – Thursday & Friday, November 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>  
No Youth – Sunday, November 26<sup>th</sup>

If there is a meeting/activity not listed please notify the church office.

## **PRAYER REQUESTS**

### **Celebrations**

Ian Alspaugh's band	Lisa Dowling, starting school
Carolyn Moge, welcome!	Kayla Somerville
Tammy Stansbery	Sally Swaney, birthday

### **Concerns**

Bozeman family	Dick Estes
Kelly Forth's father, rehab	Mike Garcia
David Ray & Family	Rick Ricketts
Ray Spivey	Robin Stanfield's mother
Cathy Watson	Bill Mack Wheeler & Family
Elijah Wilson's family in their grief	
Adequate church housing for Compassionate Hands	

## **SCRIPTURE READING**

Joshua 24:1-3a, 14-25; Psalm 78:1-7;

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; Matthew 25:1-13

**NOVEMBER 5, 2017** Giving - \$12,849 & Total Attendance – 167

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*NOVEMBER 12, 2017*  
*COOK'S UNITED METHODIST CHURCH*

**PRELUDE**

**INVOCATION**

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

Responsive

Reading

*Leader: Come, rest your spirits in the Lord.*

**Congregation: We come, hungering and thirsting for God's word.**

*Leader: This is a place of peace and hope, where all may be fed and healed.*

**Congregation: Bring us to the time of healing.**

*Leader: Come, place your trust in God who is always near you.*

**Congregation: Open our heart, Lord, to hear your word and feel your presence. Amen.**

**\*HYMN**      *"Ye Servants of God"* (vs. 1 & 2)      # 181

**ANTHEM**      *"Nobody Shoutin' Like Me"*      Jubilation  
Solo – Paula Fox, Bass – Rock Clouser, Drums – Mat Britain

**CHILDREN'S TIME**

**\*SCRIPTURE**

**John 6:1-14**

This is the Word of God for the people of God.

**Thanks be to God! Amen!**

**MESSAGE**

**Participating in Providence**

**HYMN**      *"He Leadeth Me"* (vs. 1 & 2)      # 128

**OFFERTORY**      *"Peace Like A River"*      Rick DeJonge

Please place prayer requests in offering plate

**\*DOXOLOGY**

# 95

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**LORD'S PRAYER**

**STEWARDSHIP MOMENT**

**\*HYMN**

*"Here I Am, Lord"*

# 593

Please bring your commitment cards to the altar during the singing of this hymn, leaving them on the altar or placing them in the baskets near the altar.

**\*HYMN**

*"Blest Be The Tie That Binds"*

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*POSTLUDE**

\*Please stand as you are able

**Liturgist**

**Joyce Gaines**