

# 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** *There's A Wideness in God's Mercy* UMH 121

### The Jesus Tour Children's Time

**Special Music** Pastor Peggy, violin

### 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** *Make Me a Channel of Your Peace* TFWS 2171

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

**Scripture Reading** *Luke 6:31-36* Pew Bible pg. 64, NT

**Message** *Red & Blue Make Purple: Kindness & Compassion* Rev. Peggy Garrigues

### Offering

**\*Doxology** Projected

**Sacrament of Communion** UMH pg. 15-16

**Sharing of the Bread and Cup** *Table of Plenty* W & S 3173

*One Bread, One Body* UMH 620

### Prayer of Thanks

### Announcements for Living Out Our Mission

**\*Closing Song** *For the Healing of the Nations* UMH 428

**\*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

Alice Crossley's daughter Susan is in the hospital.

Darcy Miller's son-in-law Oliver's surgery went well, keep him in prayer as he recover.

Nadine Sojka's former co-worker Susan had a stroke.

Peggy's kids Beth and Izzy have some leads but are still hunting for an affordable apartment in the Boston area.

Leaders in our congregation.

Our District Superintendent, Brian Oliver.

Our Bishop Kennetha Bigham-Tsai, in her continuing ministry here, and the many other United Methodist bishops, some of whom have been reassigned to new areas.

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.

Homeless in Iowa City. The homeless shelter does not have enough space for the need, and is now providing tents for people to set up outside the homeless shelter.

#### Joys & Celebrations

Dolfi's brother Fredi and friend Heidi are visiting from Germany.

Jenny and Steve here today because of having a Sunday off.

## SUMC Calendar of Events

### Sunday, September 1 -Communion Sunday

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

by Rev. Peggy Garrigues

Worship, 9:00 AM—Sanctuary

### Monday, September 2

Food Pantry, LL (2:00PM)

### Wednesday, September 4

Coffee Connection, FH, 9:00 AM

Senior Dining, FH, 11:30 AM

United Women in Faith Meeting, FH, 1:30 PM

### Thursday, September 5

AA, LL, 7PM

### Friday September 6

### Saturday, September 7

UM Men's Group, FH, 6AM

## Bulletin Announcements

(\* Indicates New or Updated Items)

Sunday School for Pre-K through 8th grade, and adults begins on Sunday September 8th.

On Sunday September 8th, former SUMC Pastor Doug Peters and wife Martha Schut will be our guests for 9:00 worship, and a potluck following worship with visiting time after. Please mark your calendars for this visit!

United Women in Faith will hold their monthly meeting this Wednesday, September 4th at 1:30 PM in Fellowship Hall. All women are welcome!

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 September 8th.

September Missions will be going to Solon Senior Support Group, look for a short presentation on Solon Senior Support on Sunday September 8th!

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!

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

## Worship Volunteers

### Sunday September 1st

Lay Reader: Denny Gruber

Greeter/Usher (s): Andersons

Acolyte (s):

Fellowship: Connie Koeppen

AV Volunteers: Kay Geguzis

*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 1, 2024**

**9:00 AM**