

Welcome to Solon United Methodist Church!

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

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Song *To God Be the Glory* UMH 98 v. 1 & 3

Children's Message (9:30)

Special Music *Remember Me* SUMC Chancel Choir

Singing of the Psalm *Psalm 121* UMH 844

Reading from the New Testament *Romans 4:1-17* Pew Bible p. 154 NT

Song *Oh How He Loves You and Me* TFWS 2108

Life in the Spirit and Lord's Prayer

Scripture Reading *John 3:1-17* Pew Bible p. 93 NT

Message *Born Again* Ken Ferguson

Offering

***Doxology** *Holy Ground* TFWS 2272

Sacrament of Communion
(pp. 15 & 16 UMH)
please follow responses

Breaking the Bread

Giving the Bread and Cup *One Break, One Body* UMH 620

Unison Prayer: Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus the Christ. Amen.

***Song** *Lift High the Cross* UMH 159 v. 1 & 4

*Sending Forth

Postlude

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

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

Bruce who has stage 4 cancer.
Ukraine and Russia war.
Kelly and Phillip who are dealing with an enormous amount of stress.
Al Hulse who is battling Pneumonia.
Logan Wolf as he recovers from a snowmobile accident.
Jake as he recovers from an organ transplant.
Clay who has stage 4 cancer.
Gary Mechtensteimer who was recently hospitalized.
Travel mercies for sports teams and their families.
Solon Archery and Solon Basketball teams.

Joys + Thanksgiving

Thanks to the Confirmands for helping with last Sunday's worship!



SUMC Calendar of Events

Sunday, March 5

Message: *Born Again*
by Ken Ferguson
Worship, 8:00 & 9:30–Sanctuary
Sunday School, 9:30, LL

Monday March 6

Food Pantry, LL (2:00PM)

Wednesday, March 8

Coffee Connection, FH, 9:00 AM
OGD 11:30 AM, FH
Family Meal, 5:30 PM
Confirmation, 6:15 PM
Youth Group, 6:30 PM, FH
Chancel Choir Practice, S, 6:15—7:15 PM
Bell Choir Practice, S, 7:30—8:30 PM

Thursday, March 9

AA Meeting, LL 7PM

Friday, March 10

OGD 11:30 AM, FH

Saturday, March 11

UM Men's Group, FH, 6AM

Sunday, March 12

Message: *So Many Questions*
by Ken Ferguson
Worship, 8:00 & 9:30–Sanctuary
****No Sunday School (Spring Break)**

Monday March 13

Food Pantry, LL (2:00PM)

Tuesday, March 14

Finance Meeting, 6:30 PM

Wednesday, March 15

Coffee Connection, FH, 9:00 AM
OGD 11:30 AM, FH
****No Meal or Youth Activities***
Chancel Choir Practice, S, 6:15—7:15 PM
Bell Choir Practice, S, 7:30—8:30 PM

Thursday, March 16

AA Meeting, LL 7PM

Friday, March 17

OGD 11:30 AM, FH

Saturday, March 18

UM Men's Group, FH, 6AM

Bulletin Announcements

(* Indicates New or Updated Items)

If you haven't already, please be sure to fill out the CAT survey located on our website or pick up a paper copy in the back of the sanctuary and return to the church by March 9th.

Please note that Spring Break starts this Friday March 10th for Solon and we will not have Sunday School next Sunday the 12th.

SUMC Staff

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8:00 & 9:30 AM