# Welcome to Solon United Methodist Church!

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

Prelude Christmas Carol Duet Elaine Kane & Angie Grecian-Bransky

**Welcome and Announcements** 

Centering Words UMH 255

Opening Music SUMC Bell Choir

Song Mary Had a Baby W & S 3058

Children's Message (9:30)

**Reading from the Gospel** John 1:29-42 Pew Bible p. 92 NT

Responsive Reading Projected

**Special Music** Do You Hear the Christmas Bells? Chancel Choir &

SUMC Bell Choir

**Silent Prayer** 

**Hymn** Alleluia UMH 186

**Pastoral Prayer** 

**Lord's Prayer** 

Scripture Reading 1 Corinthians 1:1-9 Pew Bible p. 165 NT

Message Let Us Raise Our Voices Lynn Brown

Offering

\*Doxology Refrain of O Come, All Ye Faithful UMH 234

**Offertory Prayer** 

\*Song We've A Story to Tell to the Nations UMH 569 v. 1 & 3

\*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**

Al Hulse following the passing of his brother this past week.

Kate Richards recovering from a wrestling injury.

Connie Railsback friend Sarah & her cancer returning.

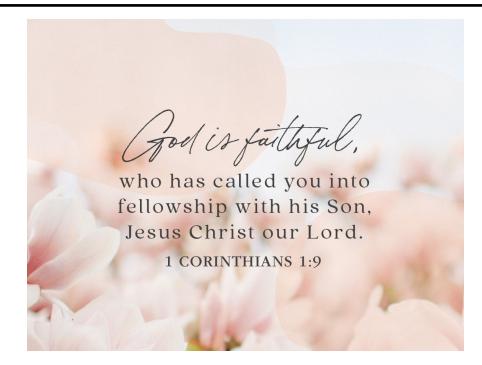
Our custodian Ruben, recovering from an automobile accident.

Folks in California receiving too much rain.

Scott & Lynn Silberstein & families – remembering their loss of loved ones 1 year ago.

### Joys + Thanksgiving

Birthdays of Arnie Lauderbaugh, Scott Silberstein, & John McFarland. For the beautiful picture postcard icy frost that we saw coming in on Sunday, 1/8.



<sup>\*</sup>Please stand if you are able

#### **SUMC Calendar of Events**

Sunday, January 15

Message: Let Us Raise Our Voices

by Lynn Brown

Worship, 8:00 & 9:30-Sanctuary

Sunday School, 9:30, LL

Monday January 16 Food Pantry, LL (2:00PM)

Tuesday, January 17

Church Council Meeting, 6:30 PM

Wednesday, January 18

Coffee Connection, FH, 9:00 AM

OGD 11:30 AM. FH

Family Meal, 5:30 PM

Chancel Choir Practice, S, 6:15—7:15 PM Bell Choir Practice, S, 7:30—8:30 PM

Thursday, January 19

AA Meeting, LL 7PM

Friday, January 20

OGD 11:30 AM, FH

Saturday, January 21

UM Men's Group, FH, 6AM

Sunday, January 22

Message: TBD by Lynn Brown

Worship, 8:00 & 9:30-Sanctuary

Sunday School, 9:30, LL

**Monday January 23** 

Food Pantry, LL (2:00PM)

Wednesday, January 25

Coffee Connection, FH, 9:00 AM

OGD 11:30 AM, FH

Family Meal, 5:30 PM

Chancel Choir Practice, S, 6:15—7:15 PM Bell Choir Practice, S, 7:30—8:30 PM

Thursday, January 26

AA Meeting, LL 7PM

Friday, January 27 OGD 11:30 AM, FH

Saturday, January 28

UM Men's Group, FH, 6AM

#### **Bulletin Announcements**

(\* Indicates New or Updated Items)

Our new website is up and running, bear with us as we are all learning! https://soloniaumc.churchtrac.com/

## **SUMC Staff**

Ken Ferguson, Lead Minister 712-790-9738
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January 15, 2023 8:00 & 9:30 AM