

Welcome to Solon United Methodist Church!

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

Prelude

Welcome

*Call to Worship

Leader: We come to worship the one who welcomes all.

People: We come to worship the one who offers all.

Leader: Come to worship God with all of your heart, and soul, and mind, and strength.

People: We come offering all of who we are to God.

Leader: Come to be touched by God's blessing.

People: We come to be blessed and to be a blessing to others.

*Gathering Song *Welcome* W & S 3152

*Passing of the Peace

The Children Gather

Stewardship Moment Dave Richards

Time of Prayer

Gathering of Joys and Concerns

Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Song of Prayer *Jesu, Jesu* UMH 432 v. 2 & 3

Scripture Reading *1 Peter 4:9 & Genesis 18:1-12* The Message Bible

Message *God's Gift, Our Hands—Offer Hospitality* Rev. Peggy Garrigues

Offering

*Song of Praise *Many Gifts, One Spirit* UMH 114 (Chorus Only)

**Many gifts, one Spirit, one love known in many ways.
In our difference is blessing, from diversity we praise
one Giver, one Lord, one Word known in many ways, hallowing our days,
For the Giver, for the gifts, praise, praise, praise!**

Prayer of Thanks

Announcements for Living Out Our Mission

*Closing Song *Blest Be the Tie That Binds* UMH 557

*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

Barb and Dolfi Kalm's great-grandson, Briar Kalm, recovering well from a serious infection.

Mary Hunt as she recovers from carpal tunnel surgery.

Ivan Hasselbusch who began radiation treatment this week for a tumor in his lung.

Verlee Lauderbaugh lifted up prayers for her daughter Angela, their whole family has COVID.

Arnie Lauderbaugh, who is facing challenges from arthritis.

Continued prayers for Lauderbaugh's great-niece, Ally, who is undergoing chemotherapy.

Scott Nicol lifted up prayers for his family, on the unexpected death of his nephew Marc.

Fighting and horrific violence in Israel and Gaza, prayers for peace in the region, for the families of those who have been killed, and for all those who have been taken hostage Earthquake in Afghanistan.

Joys

Thanksgivings as the Erhart's granddaughter Kira, who was on a trip in Israel, was able to get a flight out and home.



*Altar flowers donated by
The Smith Family in honor of Gretchen Smith's birthday
and*

The Stebral Family in honor of Terry & Laurie's 27th Anniversary!

SUMC Calendar of Events

Sunday, October 15

Message: *God's Gift, Our Hands—Offer Hospitality*
by Rev. Peggy Garrigues
Worship, 9:00 AM—Sanctuary
Sunday School, 9:00AM—LL
Adult Sunday School, 10:15AM, FLC LL

Monday, October 16

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

Tuesday, October 17

Community Blood Drive, 3:30-6PM, FH
Church Council Mtg, 6:30 PM

Wednesday, October 18

Coffee Connection, FH, 9:00 AM
Senior Dining, FH, 11:30 AM
Treasure Seekers, 3:30-5:15PM, FLC
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, October 19

AA Meeting, LL, 7PM

Friday, October 20

Senior Dining, FH, 11:30 AM

Saturday, October 21

UM Men's Group, FH, 6AM

Bulletin Announcements

(* Indicates New or Updated Items)

Thanks to you we were able to provide 93 Warm Winter Wear items for distribution this week to needy families of Johnson County!

Today, at 10:30 am, Pastor Peggy and several Council members will lead an information session, in preparation for charge conference—which is October 26, and share some of the recent topics of conversation and decisions of the Council as well as respond to questions. We will meet in the Sanctuary. We hope to do similar information sessions quarterly. If you cannot attend, feel free to send in a question or two ahead of time, and we will respond in some form.

We have many great volunteers, but we are looking for a few additional volunteers in Christian Education: one more Sunday school teacher, one more assistant teacher, and a substitute leader for the youth group. All roles require a background check, at no cost to you. Teacher orientation will be provided! Please contact Pastor Peggy if you have questions or are willing to consider any of these roles.
pastorpeggy@soloniaumc.org

Worship Volunteers

Sunday October 15th

Pianist	Marian Andersen
Lay Reader:	Keela Herr
Greeter/Usher (s):	Colleen Peterson-Grace
Acolyte (s):	Madelyn Moses
Fellowship:	Wilbur & Jeanne Erhart
AV Volunteers:	
Sunday School Volunteers:	Dee Swartzendruber

SUMC Staff

Rev. Peggy Garrigues, Lead Pastor 319-855-7911
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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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GOD'S GIFT, OUR HANDS

*Offer
Hospitality*



October 15, 2023
9:00 AM