

Welcome to Solon United Methodist Church!

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

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Passing of the Peace

Song *Morning Has Broken* UMH 145

Children's Message (9:30)

Reading from the Old Testament *Ecclesiastes 3:1-15* Pew Bible p. 615 OT

Reading from the New Testament *Philippians 2:12-13* Pew Bible p. 197 NT

Singing of the Psalm (8:00) *Psalms 33* UMH 767

Special Music

Song *Awesome God* TFWS 2040

Life in the Spirit & The Lord's Prayer

Scripture Reading *John 1:1-5* Pew Bible p. 91 NT

Message *The Family* Ken Ferguson

Offering

***Doxology** *Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow* UMH 94

***Song** *God Be With You* UMH 672 v. 1 & 2

*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 for

Deb Ruff's Mom as Larry is undergoing chemotherapy treatments
Travel mercies for Verlie & Arnie & their family.
Travel mercies for Jay & Helen Proffitt.
Prayers for Pastor Ken & Chrisa as Ken approaches retirement.
Our Congregation as we transition to a new Pastor.
Our new UMC Bishop in bringing everyone healing, hope, & optimism.

Joys + Thanksgiving

Prayers of thanks for Donna filling in with her beautiful piano playing!



*Altar Flowers provided by E's Florals
to celebrate
Pastor Ken's Retirement*

**There is a time for everything,
and a season for every activity
under the heavens .**

Ecclesiastes 3:1

SUMC Calendar of Events

Sunday, June 11

Message: *The Family*
by Ken Ferguson
Worship, 8:00 & 9:30–Sanctuary

Monday, June 12

Food Pantry, LL (2:00PM)

Wednesday, June 14

Coffee Connection, FH, 9:00 AM

OGD 11:30 AM, FH

Thursday, June 15

AA Meeting, LL 7PM

Friday, June 16

OGD 11:30 AM, FH

Saturday, June 17

UM Men's Group, FH, 6AM

Sunday, June 18—Father's Day!

Message: *TBD*
by TBD
Worship, 8:00 & 9:30–Sanctuary

Monday June 19

Food Pantry, LL (2:00PM)

Tuesday, June 20

Church Council Mtg, 6:30, FH

Wednesday, June 21

Coffee Connection, FH, 9:00 AM

OGD 11:30 AM, FH

Thursday, June 22

AA Meeting, LL 7PM

Friday, June 23

OGD 11:30 AM, FH

Saturday, June 24

UM Men's Group, FH, 6AM

Bulletin Announcements

(* Indicates New or Updated Items)

Calling all people who want to SERVE others and be the hands, feet, and heart of Christ can come together for Transform Week June 26th - 30th. During this week, those interested will meet at the SUMC in the morning, go to Cedar Rapids, and be a part of the mission's work through prearranged connections with people to work on various housing and construction projects. Volunteer for a day or the whole week. You will be a vital part of the transformation! Contact Carol Ann Richards for more information. 319-541-1424.

Looking for someone to coordinate the Solon Food Pantry. and volunteers to pick vegetables. The tasks include planting vegetables in May/June, weekly pick of vegetables and taking them downstairs to the Food Pantry, and cleanup of the garden in the fall. If no one steps up, there will be no donations from the SUMC garden to the Solon Food Pantry. The garden was started around 2012 and has been donating vegetables for the last 10 years. Please step up and help out the Food Pantry by volunteering. Please contact The SUMC church office if you are interested.

SUMC Staff

Ken Ferguson, Lead Minister 712-790-9738
Angie Grecian-Bransky, Music Director
Lindy Hopp, Office Administrator
Mary Kucera, Director of Hand Bells
Ivan Hasselbusch, Treasurer
Ruben Galvan, Custodian
Lisa Hilton, Security



122 N West
Solon, IA 52333
(319) 624-2288
soloniaumc@gmail.com
soloniaumc.org



June 11, 2023
8:00 & 9:30 AM

Thank you Pastor Ken!
Best wishes and
congratulations on
your retirement.
Enjoy!