

Sunday, Oct. 11th, 2026
Vistor & Member Attendance
Please list all those with you today;
tear off & leave in the offering plate

Check all that apply:

- ☐ Member ☐ Regularly Attend
- ☐ First-time Visitor
- ☐ Visiting Family / Friends
- ☐ Would like more information
- ☐ Interested in membership

If this is your first time with us,
please leave your contact info

Address_____

Phone_____

Email_____

Gifts to the Church

To The Bell Choir
In Honor of
Roberta Bishop Knight
Nancy Boyd

October 11th - October 18th

SUNDAY 11

- 10:30am **JAM Kidz Church** - Gym
Nursery & Pre-K - Gym
- 10:45am **Worship Service**
- 5:00pm **First Youth** - Commons & Gym

MONDAY 12 - Indigenous Peoples' Day
Church Office Closed

- 7:00pm **Recovery Group** - Commons

TUESDAY 13

- 11:30am **Seekers Circle**
- 7:00pm **Recovery Group** - Commons

WEDNESDAY 14

- 12:00pm **Pastor's Bible Study**
- 5:30pm **Dinner** - Commons
- 5:30pm **Pumpkin Patch Training**
- 6:00pm **First Youth** - Gym
Kidz Choirs/Wild 1s - Sanctuary
- 6:00pm **Chancel Choir**
- 7:15pm **String Band**

THURSDAY 15

- 7:00pm **Recovery Group** - Commons

FRIDAY 16

- 4:00pm **Pumpkin Delivery & Unloading**
- 7:00pm **Recovery Group** - Commons

SATURDAY 17

- 11am-7pm **Pumpkin Patch**
- 3pm-8pm **Inspired Pumpkins & Possibilites**

SUNDAY 18

- 9:30am **Homebuilder's Sunday School**
Murphy Memorial Sunday School
- 10:00am **1st Kidz Rehearsal**
- 10:45am **Worship Service**
- 11am-7pm **Pumpkin Patch**
- 5:00pm **First Youth** - Commons & Gym
- 7:00pm **Testimony HQ**

Short Term Prayer

- Sandra Clariday
- Landon Taylor
- Nancy Rolfes
- Jim & Diana Overland

Long Term Prayer

- Trey Biller
- The Carovich Family
- Buddy & Sarah Chance
- Bill Donoho
- Jane Ehly
- Enid Furlong
- Doug Greene Jr.
- Mary Greer
- Kathy Haist
- Sean Hale
- Ollie Hall
- Jean Henderson
- Tammy Hildebrand
- Gary & Marlene Holden
- Evelyn Holloway
- Will Hyberger
- Steve Medley
- Kelley Murphy
- Bill Pelfrey
- Jomar Rosario
- Dr. Samuel
- Elizabeth Samuel
- Cathy Smith
- Kitty Gentry Wier
- Barry Wood
- Jan Wolf



First United Methodist Church

Building a community of grace, well grounded in the Bible and spiritually connected
in Christ, worshipping God and serving others to fulfill our mission together.

October 11th, 2026 20th Sunday after Pentecost

Announcements & Greeting

Prelude Acolytes: Ainsley Peters & Riley Lessig

Invocation

Call to Worship Psalm 8 UMH 743

O Lord, our Lord

how majestic is your name in all the earth!

Your glory is chanted above the heavens by the mouth of
babes and infants.

**you have set up a defense against your foes, to still the
enemy and the avenger.**

When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers,
the moon and the stars which you have established;
what are human beings that you are mindful of them,
and mortals that you care for them?

Yet you have made them little less than God,
and crowned them with glory and honor.

You have given them dominion over the works of your hands;
you have put all things under their feet,

all sheep and oxen,

and also the beasts of the field,

the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea,
whatever passes along the paths of the seas.

O Lord, our Lord,

how majestic is your name in all the earth!

***Hymn** *How Great Thou Art* UMH 77

Affirmation of Faith The Apostle's Creed UMH 62

*As we say this creed, we join Christians from all over the world,
past and present, in proclaiming our common faith.*

**catholic applies to the universal, ecumenical Christian church.*

Old Testament Lesson Leviticus 19:8-18

Call to Prayer *O Come to the Altar*

Prayer & Lord's Prayer UMH 895

Prayer Response *O Come to the Altar*

*Call for Offering

Offertory *If I Can Help Somebody* by Alma Androzso

Doxology *Glory be to the Father* UMH 70
And to the Son, And to the Holy Ghost
As it was in the beginning, Is now and ever shall be
World without end, Amen, Amen

New Testament Lesson *Luke 10:25-37*

Sermon *Will You Be A Neighbor?* Rev. Jerry Jones

Song of Response *Tell Me, Lord, Who is My Neighbor?*

Benediction
The Lord bless you and keep you
Make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you
The Lord turn His face toward you
And give you peace

Postlude *Please remain standing until the postlude is over*
and the acolytes have left the sanctuary.

Pastor Rev. Gerald "Jerry" Jones
Worship Director Roberta Bishop Knight
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Children's Ministry

Nursery & Preschool Rooms
are available in the
Christian Life Center, through the
Commons in the Gym.

A **cry room** is located upstairs by
the balcony if needed. All children
are welcome to stay in the
Sanctuary during worship service.

1st Kidz (K-5th grades)
meet in the Gym at
10:30am Sunday mornings

The first Sunday of each
month 1st Kidz sit in
worship service with their
parents and can partake
in Holy Communion.

The Church Office is closed
October 12th

PASTOR & STAFF
APPRECIATION

October is Pastor & Church
Staff Appreciation Month

The SPRC invites you to show
church staff your appreciation.
Cards can be left in the box
in the Narthex or brought to
the church picnic on Nov. 8th.

CANDY DONATIONS NEEDED!
Trunk or Treat is just around
the corner!
Individually wrapped candy
donations can be left in the
Narthex throughout October.

**TRUNK
-OR-
TREAT**
October 28th
5:30pm-7:00pm
Let Jill know how you can help!

All Saints Sunday
Remember & Honor
November 1st at 10:45am

Pumpkin Patch
FALL FUNDRAISER

Volunteer Training
October 14th 5:30pm

Grab some dinner on
Wednesday night and learn
all things pumpkin patch

Pumpkin Delivery & Unloading
All Hands on Deck!
October 16th 4pm

Pumpkin Patch
October 17th - 31st

All funds raised will go toward
paying for First Youth & 1st Kidz
dinners on Wednesday nights.

Sign up to
volunteer
with the
QR Code



Pumpkin Patch

We are in need of: cinder
blocks, wooden pallets,
wagons & hay bales.

WORSHIP & PICNIC
THE FARM AT WALKER VALLEY
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8TH
11:00AM

November 8th at 11am we
will worship together at
The Farm at Walker Valley
1354 Walker Valley Rd.
and enjoy a breakfast picnic
provided by Elan Circle.

Prayer Requests
prayer@clevelandumc.com

Check all that apply:

☐ Prayer List ☐ Prayer Chain ☐ Staff Only

Tithes & Offerings

Tithes & Offerings can
be placed in the collection
plate, mailed in, or given online

Receipts to Date
\$ 448,425.08

Expenses
\$ 504,657.27



Online Giving

Wednesday Dinner
10/14 at 5:30pm

Spaghetti & Garlic Bread
Please RSVP



Wednesday Dinner

of Adults: ____
\$9 per person
Kids & Youth
eat for free