

FREE METHODIST CHURCH  
 350 E. Furnace Street  
 Platteville, WI 53818  
 Pastor Jeff Suits  
 June 2, 2019

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Prelude  
 Welcome  
 Life in the Church  
 \*Call to Worship Revelation 5:13  
 \*Hymn “All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name” #96  
 \*Invocation  
 \*Greeting One Another  
 \*Songs of Praise  
 Pastoral Prayer  
 Prayer for Graduates  
 \*Song of Praise  
 Dismissal for Children’s Church  
 Worship Through Giving  
 Offertory John Brugger  
 Scripture Reading John 4:3-26  
 Ministry of Music Boris Pena & Ethan Suits  
 Message “A Wellspring of Life”  
 Prayer  
 \*Benediction

*\*indicates that the congregation should stand*

*Song Sheets- Printed copies of the lyrics for today’s Songs of Praise are in the Foyer and Wing*

*Please take a moment to fill out the yellow attendance form and place it unfolded in an offering plate when they are passed.*

*Thank you for worshiping with us today. Worship is a priority for us. Our services are prayerfully planned with the intent of helping each person in attendance connect with God in a meaningful way. Our style of worship is one that blends the great hymns of the faith with newer praise and worship songs, seeking to relate to the varying preferences within our church family.*

Sunday: Sunday School 9:30 am  
 Worship Service 10:30 am  
 Evening Service 6:00 pm  
 Celebrate Recovery 6:00 pm  
 Wednesday: Family Night 6:30 pm  
 Alternate Thursdays: Women’s Bible Study 1:00 pm  
 Adult Sunday School Classes:  
 Sonshine Center---Christian Leadership---Teacher: Don Gander  
 Sanctuary Wing---Book of John---Teacher: Stan Ewing

Nursery and Toddler Nursery is for ages three and under  
 This Week: Deb Hamm, Jessica Gottschall, Liberty Johnson  
 Next Week: Craig Humphreys, Luke Gottschall, Michelle Eaches  
 Usher Next Week: Eldon Pratt & Joel Herr  
 Financial Tellers Next Week: Eldon Pratt and Sharon Brugger

**SUNDAY NIGHT SERVICE**--Come and join us at 6:00 p.m. for some singing, prayer and teaching from the Bible.

**CELEBRATE RECOVERY**--A ministry for those struggling with hurts, habits and hangups is held every Sunday evening at the Sonshine Center from 6:00-8:00 p.m. with fellowship starting at 5:30 p.m. Celebrate Recovery is for adults 18 years of age and older. We would love to have you join is if you feel you could benefit from this ministry.

**HELPING HANDS**--Monday and Tuesday at 9:00 a.m. at the Sonshine Center.

**ALL CHURCH POTLUCK** next Sunday following morning worship. Please bring a hot dish and one other dish to share. Everyone is welcome.

**BIBLE STUDY** every Wednesday evening at 6:30 p.m. in the upstairs of Sonshine Center. Adults of all ages are welcome.

**WEDDING**--Dana and Elaine Harkness invite you to the marriage of their son, Allistair Edward to Natalie Jean, daughter of Larry and Penny Haas on Saturday, June 15, 2019 at 4:00 pm. Hickory Hill Park, Potosi, WI. In case of rain, the wedding will be held at PFMC.

**THANK YOU** all so much for the items donated for Camp Crafts. We will continue to collect them through June 9th. Please place them in the blue bin in the church basement!

**CAMP COUNSELORS** are needed for Young Teen Camp, June 17-22 and Junior Camp June 24-29 at Sky Lodge. Counselor forms are on the table in the foyer.

**LOANER TABLES**--The church has tables that are available for you to borrow on a first-come-first serve basis. They are located in the shed on the northeast corner of the church building. Contact Pastor Jeff to get into the shed. Tables from Sonshine Center and church may not be borrowed.

**YOUTH FUNDRAISER**--Pop cans are being collected for a youth mission trip. All cans should be placed in the blue bin in the church basement.

**PRAY ABOUT MISSIONS**

**HIGHLIGHTING OUR MISSIONS GIVING**

From Kurdistan: When we returned for our second year of teaching refugees, we had more room as the school had moved to new facilities. It has now been developed into a center for our village. However we were told that five of the older boys in our younger group were not allowed into the center because they had caused trouble. So we began teaching them at our home. They are now teenagers and in junior high. Recently during their spring holiday of Newroz, we took them on a picnic. As the center had expanded and became busier, we moved our younger class to our home also. We had eight to ten boys and girls who were in primary school. (We have added several other classes in our home, so we have about three dozen children coming to our home weekly.) Besides English and Arithmetic, Linda has been doing some crafts with them. At Christmas they made Christmas trees, while we taught them the story of the wise men coming to the birth of Jesus along with a song written by our daughter. Recently the center, which teaches three days per week and rotates groups of students through on a quarterly basis, held a graduation. Some of the children, who we had been teaching for three years, were among the graduates.

**OTHER MISSION NEWS**

**AFRICA**- Pray for the country of Ethiopia and Superintendent Mekebib Desta. The past year has been full of political and social challenges in Ethiopia. Pray the church will be the light of Christ in this nation. Pray for wisdom and courage for Superintendent Mekebib. Mike and Vickie Reynen request prayer for a practical but essential aspect of their ministry. Their internet connection in Togo continues to be intermittent, making it very challenging to accomplish work and communicate as needed. Please pray that the Lord will provide a solution to this problem.

**ASIA**--Several of our country leaders from Asia are planning to attend General Conference in Orlando. Pray for the provision of visas, financial resources, and other travel arrangements that are necessary for them to come. Some of our missionary team and country leaders have faced recent health concerns. Please pray for the Lord's healing touch in each of these situations.

**EUROPE**--In November 2018, Dr. Carmelo Palmés was appointed the leader of the FMC in Spain. He also serves as the director of the John Wesley Theological Seminary. He is well prepared to lead the next phase of ministry. Spain now has seven established churches and church planting projects. They are training church planters and leaders for new ministry projects that will begin this year. Pray for Pastor Carmelo and the Free Methodist Church in Spain. Pray the Holy Spirit will empower them to share the gospel and disciple many new believers in the coming months.

**LATIN AMERICA**--Most of our missionaries in Latin America will be coming to the U.S. for home assignment within the next few weeks. Pray for traveling mercies and successful partnership building. Pastora Geovanna from Peru reports that no Free Methodist Churches or

members were affected by Sunday's earthquake since the epicenter of the quake was in the Amazon region. Praise God!

**MIDDLE EAST**-The majority background believers are in the last week of their month-long period of fasting and prayer. Pray that during this last week of their celebration, which is marked by heightened spiritual intensity, they will be awakened to the reality of Jesus Christ and the knowledge of His deep love for them.

**INTERNATIONAL CHILD CARE MINISTRIES (ICCM)** Praise the Lord; the Brazilian General Conference is promoting sponsorship of the students at our Monte Santo school by Brazilian Free Methodists.

**OUR MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK**

Missy & Sanja – an Asian country

**PRAYING FOR LOCAL MINISTRIES**

Sky Lodge Christian Camp—Steve & Terry Hankins

**PRAYING FOR PLATTEVILLE**

First English Lutheran

**OUR CHURCH FAMILIES**

Monday	The Zachary Howards
Tuesday	The Craig Humphreys
Wednesday	Karen Jensen
Thursday	The Richard Jinkins
Friday	The Carolyn Johnstons
Saturday	The Clifford Korpis
Sunday	Matthew Lee

**SPECIAL NEEDS - PRAY FOR:**

1. President Trump, his administration, Congress, Supreme Court
2. Spiritual revival in the United States
3. Our military personnel— Taylor Wiech, Brice Brooks, Bret McMahon, Christopher Harkness, and Vincent Anderson
4. Neighbors, friends and family members who need to know Jesus
5. Family members who need to know Jesus
6. Families in our congregation that are struggling
7. Those with health issues- Boris Pena, Sue Meylor, Jerry Selleck, Mark Bader
8. Recovering from surgery – Jim Bottomley, Dorothy Arndt, Steve Zielke
9. Bob Hansen and family at the passing of Alice on Friday
10. Pastor Wilson from Cameroon who is in need of a visa to attend General Conference
11. Nathan Herr on a mission trip to Central Asia

**PRAISE AND ANSWERS:**

1. Congratulation to Coleman & Mackenzie (Johnston) Lupee who were married May 25<sup>th</sup>.

**A WEEK OF BIRTHDAYS**

6/2 Isaac Harkness  
6/2 Tim Goodney  
6/4 Jessica Gottschall  
6/4 Leon Pick  
6/5 Lea Goodney



**A WEEK OF ANNIVERSARIES**

6/5 Matthew & Audrey Fultz (3 yrs)  
6/6 Dwight & Mary Lou Nelson (66 yrs)  
6/8 John & Kaaren Risic (51 yrs)



**The Platteville Free Methodist Church exists for the purpose of:  
Magnifying JESUS through worship and the Word,  
Moving believers in JESUS toward maturity and ministry,  
and  
Making JESUS known to our neighbors and the nations.**

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**Bulletin Information:** Call Janita Ewing by Thursday afternoon at 348-9865 or email: ewingsj64@gmail.com

**Pastor Jeff's** day off each week is Monday.

**Copies** of today's service are available immediately following the service. Please ask the sound technician for a CD.

**Church Website:** Church monthly calendars, weekly bulletins and sermons are available at: [www.plattevillefreemethodist.org](http://www.plattevillefreemethodist.org)

