

THIS WEEK IN THE LIFE OF OUR CHURCH

Literacy Group meets Mondays 6-7:30PM
Fit Club meets Tuesdays & Thursdays at 7:45AM
Alcoholics Anonymous meets Tuesdays at 8PM

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Finance Committee Mtg. May 8th, 5:30PM
Administrative Bd. Mtg. June 5th, 7:00PM
Trustee Mtg., Wed. May 29th

Native American Ministries is May 5th. Offering envelopes are located on the table at the back of the church.

Mother's Day Roses – May 5th is the last day to order roses. The cost is \$4.00 each.

Blanket Sunday will be on Mother's Day, May 12th.

The hall will be in use, Sunday, May 19th starting at 9:00AM

"Out to Lunch Bunch" is scheduled for the third Thursday of the Month, April 16th at noon at Lena's Pizza and Italian Restaurant.

Signup Sheets For Volunteers – Located on the table at the back of the church.

Ushers/Greeters: Starting in May.

Mowing Church Lawn: Starting week of May 5 – 11 (throughout the mowing season)

Meals on Wheels for Senior Center: Starting June 3rd – June 14th.



Blissfield First United Methodist Church

May 5, 2019 | 10:30AM

Welcome! We strive to be a church of Open Hearts, Open Minds and Open Doors – believing that all people have a home in God's Church. If you are a first-time guest, we extend a warm welcome to you and we invite you to register your name on the attendance pad located to the left in your pew.

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SUNDAY WORSHIP, STUDY, & FELLOWSHIP

Adult Sunday School: 9:30AM

Worship: 10:30AM

Children's Sunday School: Dismissed after Children's Sermon during worship.

Youth Group: First Sunday of the Month

Game night: Second Sunday of the Month

Blissfield First United Methodist Church

May 5, 2019 | 10:30AM

A New Chapter

Prelude • Lighting of Candles • Greeting

Announcements (*Please remember to sign the attendance pads located to the left in your pew.*)


Call to Worship (*Responsively*)

You have come from afar and waited long and are wearied. Let us sit side by side, sharing the same bread drawn from the same source to quiet the same hunger that makes us weak.

Then standing together let us share the same spirit, the same thoughts that once again draw us together in friendship and unity and peace.

 ↑ PRAISE SONG *TFWS 2025*
AS THE DEER

 ↑ PRAISE SONG *TFWS 2086*
OPEN OUR EYES, LORD

 **The Apostles Creed** - Traditional Version (*unison*)

Gloria Patri (*sung in unison*) *Hymnal 70*

Glory be to the Father 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.

Children's Sermon

Presentation of Tithes and Gifts

Offertory

Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

 **Prayer of Thanksgiving** (*unison*)

Holy One, you transformed the life of Saul. He was converted to your work as a disciple. We, too, have been transformed by your love. You earnestly listen for our daily response to your steadfast presence. Open our hearts so that we may walk consciously with you each day. We lift up this offering in obedience to your will. In the name of the Risen Christ, we pray. Amen. Acts 9:1-6 (7-20) "Copyright © 2019 David S. Bell. Reprinted with permission from www.DavidSBell.org."

Scripture Lesson Acts 9:1-20
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Message Rev. Kristen Coristine

The Great Thanksgiving

 ↑ HYMN *Hymnal 378*
AMAZING GRACE

SPECIAL PRESENTATION

↑ BENEDICTION

 ↑ RESPONSE *Hymnal 432*
JESU, JESU (vs. 5)

Assisting in Worship this Morning

Greeters: Ed and Judy Wilkie

Lay Reader: Linda Shirley


Organist: Wynne Marsh

Acolytes: TBD

AV Room: Dave Kerekgyarto

Ushers: Becca Gorski
Don Hoffman

Ministers: *All God's People*

 - This Means the words to the hymn will be projected on the screen.

↑ - This is an invitation for you to stand if you feel up to it.