Reynolds United Methodist Church July 8 – 7th Sunday after Pentecost

Gathering

Greeting

The All Church Memory Verse of the Month: 2 Corinthians 8:11 (NIV)

"Now finish the work, so that your eager willingness to do it may be matched by your completion of it, according to your means." ~ 2 Corinthians 8:11

Litany Prayer From the Psalter on Psalm 63

<u>All</u>: My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord, thirsting for you my God.

Leader: O God, you are my God, I seek you, my soul thirsts for you; my flesh faints for you, as in a dry and weary land where no water is.

<u>All</u>: So I have looked upon you in the sanctuary, beholding your power and glory.

Leader: Because your steadfast love is better than life, my lips will praise you.

<u>All</u>: So I will bless you as long as I live; I will lift up my hands and call on your name. My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord, thirsting for you my God.

Leader: My soul is feasted as with marrow and fat, and my mouth praises you with joyful lips, when I think of you upon my bed, and meditate on you in the watches of the night.

<u>All</u>: for you have been my help, and in the shadow of your wings I sing for joy. My soul clings to you; your right hand upholds me. *My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord, thirsting for you my God.*

Leader: But those who seek to destroy my life shall go down into the depths of the earth; <u>All</u>: **they shall be given over to the power of the sword, they shall be prey for jackals.** Leader: But the king shall rejoice in God;

<u>All</u>: all who swear in God's name shall glory; but the mouths of liars will be stopped.

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Voices In Praise"Sweet Hour of Prayer"UMH 496Affirmation of FaithThe Apostles Creed - TraditionalUMH 881

Proclaiming God's Word

Children's Moment: Rhonda Brown

Scripture Lesson: Psalm 143; Matthew 11:25-30

Message "Are Your Branches Bent?" Denny Yocum

Responding to The Word

Sharing of Joys & Concerns

Intercessory Prayer w/The Lord's Prayer

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory "There's Something About That Name" UMH 171

Singing of Our Doxology (UMH 95)

Dedication of the Offering

Sending Forth (Going into the world/into the week)

Announcements (See Bulletin, below)

Sending Song: "Just A Closer Walk With Thee"

Benediction Postlude

UMH 788

CHURCH CALENDAR.

Monday, July 9 – Ministry Council Meeting, 7 pm

Wednesday, July 11 – 9:30-11 am, Book Study: "The Anatomy of Peace" – Read Chs. 8-11

Wednesday, July 11 – Singing in the Grove, meet at the Meadows at 5:15 pm.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our Mission focus for July is the Peru-Bolivia Lake Titicaca Border Mission Advance #3021288, *Mision Fronteras* (Border Mission). Working in one of the poorest areas of both countries, they are helping local churches become resource centers providing economic support and services to the indigenous Aymara and Quechua people. Mark your checks M.O.M. or "Bolivia".

On Sunday, July 15th, we'll be trying something different for the sermon, called "Preaching from the Pews". The message will be based on questions/topics submitted by YOU. What are the questions of faith that you wrestle with that you would like to hear preached on? What topics would you like to hear addressed? Submit your questions/topics via the bulletin insert over the next couple of weeks.

To submit items for the newsletter, please email Kathy Clark; kathleenaclark@comcast.net

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Ushers for July: Gene Hodges, Rich Bartlett, Bryan Borell, Bob Heimbaugh

Greeters: Bob & Kathy Becker

Liturgist: TBD

Youth Moment: Rhonda Brown

Children Church Teacher: Summer break
Children's Church Shepherd: Summer break
Communion Steward July: Kathy Becker

Church Hostess for July: Contact Pastor Seamus Coffee Fellowship Time: Gary & Rhonda Brown

Lawn Mowing: Jason Riddell

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Last week's Offering: Church Fund. 1,789.00

Bible Study Books. 11.00



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