



***Burns Memorial
United Methodist Church***

November 12th 2017

Pastor: Rev. Peter Freytag

Liturgist: Suzanne Marquez

Prelude: **God of the Ages** *Peggy Blocker*
- *George W. Warren*

Welcome, announcements and greeting

* Hymn **Now Thank We All Our God** *Hymnal #102*

* Call to Worship:

One: The LORD is King, and is robed in majesty;
All: The LORD is robed, and girded with strength.
One: God has established the world; it shall never be moved;
All: The Lord's throne is everlasting;
One: More majestic than the thunders of mighty waters;
All: More majestic than the waves of the sea, majestic on high is the LORD!
One: Your decrees are very sure;
All: Holiness befits Your house, O LORD, forevermore.

Scripture **Romans 15:7-13** *Pew Bible N.T. #153*

One: The Word of the Lord.
All: Thanks Be to God.

Prayer Time – concerns and celebration of the family *Rev. Freytag*

Unison Prayer

One: Gracious God, hear us as we offer our thanks; for the bounty and beauty of mother earth;
All: I am thankful.
One: For the home where the heart of my family resides;
All: I am thankful.
One: For the enduring devotion of steadfast friendships;
All: I am thankful.
One: For the gifts of health and modern medicine;
All: I am thankful.
One: For the friends that share my sorrows and joys;
All: I am thankful.

One: For all I have and all I am able to give;
All: I am thankful.
One: For this church and it's many ministries;
All: I am thankful.
One: For the rise and set of the sun each day;
All: I am thankful.
One: For Thanksgiving Day, set aside to gather in love, to pause and say;
All: 'I am grateful for the abundance of blessings in my life.'

Silent Prayer
Pastoral Prayer *Rev. Freytag*
The Lord's Prayer (unison) *Hymnal # 270*
Prayer Response: **Make Me a Servant** *Chancel Choir*
FWS #2176
Offering *Ushers*
Offertory **Glorify Thy Name** *Peggy Blocker*
- Donna Adkins
* Doxology **Praise God from** *Hymnal #95*
* Prayer of Dedication *Rev. Freytag*
Anthem **A Thanksgiving Prayer** *Chancel Choir*
- Joseph Martin
Adult moment *Melba Taylor*
Children's Moment **This Little Light of Mine**
(Pass pew pads) ~children are invited to Children's Church~
* Scripture **Matthew 25:14-30** *Pew Bible N.T. #27*
One: The Word of the Lord.
All: Thanks Be to God.
* Hymn **For the Beauty of the Earth** *Hymnal #92*
Presenting Our Stewardship Cards
Sermon **A Thanksgiving Sermon** *Rev. Peter Freytag*
* Hymn **We Gather Together** *Hymnal #131*
* Benediction
Postlude **Come, Ye Thankful People** *Peggy Blocker*
Come - George J. Elvey

* (Please stand if you are able.)

This Week's Calendar:

Monday, November 20, 6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.: Youth Group
7:00 p.m.: Worship Committee
Wednesday, November 22, 7:00 p.m.: Chancel Choir Practice,
7:30 p.m.: Tongan Prayer Service
Thursday, November 23, 7:00 p.m.: Bible Study
Saturday, November 25, 6:45 a.m.: Brother's In Christ,
7:30 p.m. Tongan Choir Practice
Next Sunday, November 26: 9:15 a.m. Bible Study
11:00 a.m. Worship Service - English

Special Offering next week – UM STUDENT DAY

Prayers in our midst:

We give thanks to God for his great love and many blessings. May all of his children have a joy full Thanksgiving Day
Marshal and Gloria Darnell now in assisted living at Garden Plaza
Earl Pierce at home recuperating after surgery
Ken, Bill Mitchell's friend, dealing with cancer
Marjorie Nuss coping with a broken bone in her foot
Joanna Stribling dealing with painful ribs
LaNelle Franklin's son Jeb hospitalized after a stroke
Albert Tafoya, Susan Marquez's son-in-law, recovering from knee replacement surgery
Rebecca, wife of Retha Johnson's grandson
Don, friend of Bill and Marlene McCarthy, continues to suffer with long term illness
Young Rose, friend of Renee Varon, chemo and radiation because of brain tumor
Frank and Barbara Shaw. He has been in the hospital. She is the organist at Jefferson Ave UMC.
Best wishes to Betty Luttkus in her new apartment at Garden Plaza
Bless the new ministry of Colin Armstrong
Victims of violence

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Sunday, November 19, 2017

“A Thanksgiving Sermon”

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