



WASHINGTON STREET

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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Contact information for those listed can be accessed through Engage Washington or by calling the Church Office.

FLOWERS

Altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in honor of the birthday of
Mike Harmon and Pat Harmon Pantsari by
Faye Harmon Sandow.

Serving Today

Director of Music.....Angela Powers
Organist.....Louis Shirer
Pianist.....Rick Frierson
Greeters.....Joy Class
Ushers (9:00).....David Anderson, Larry Railey
Usher (11:00).....Tommy Betenbaugh
Altar Guild.....Ann Jessup, Kathy Wright
Crucifer.....Travis Luthren
Acolyte.....Mary Catherine McNair
Sound System.....David Hefelfinger
Sunday School Attendance.....Joy Class
Visitor Cards.....Patti Beerman
Pew Maintenance.....Martha Boynton
Nursery.....Susan Hefelfinger
Toddler Time.....Kelley Cannon, Lydia Conte
Custodian.....Michael Hutto

Stewardship Report Week #32 *Counting Our Blessings*

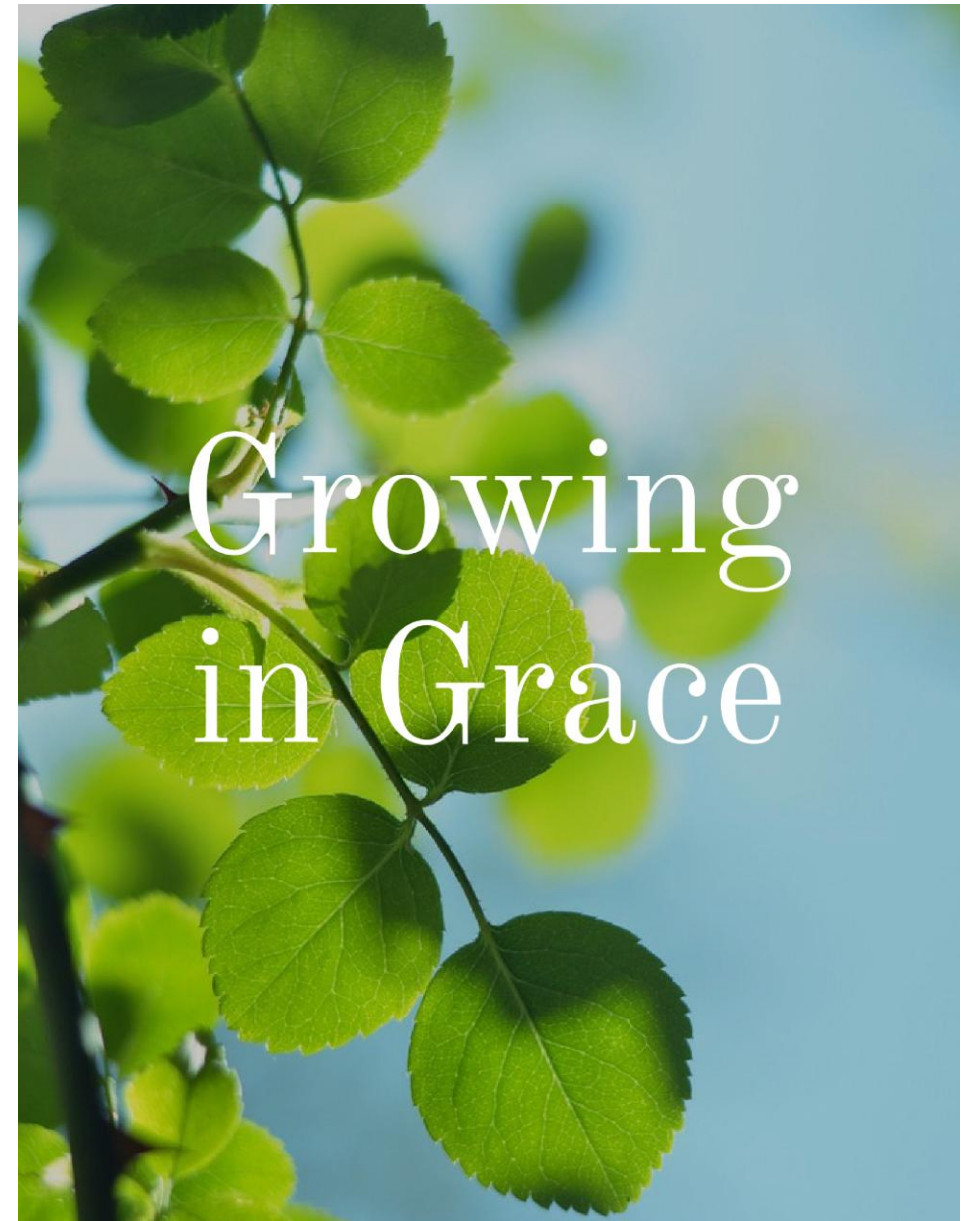
Offerings

Sunday School - \$82.00
Soup Cellar - \$650.00
Foundation - \$0
Other - \$1,422.70

Attendance

9 am Worship - 35
11 am Worship - 174
Sunday School - 141

Needed each week: \$18,575.00
Budget received from 8-6-2017: \$14,274.33
Budget needed to date: \$594,400.00
Budget received to date: \$470,184.33



"The congregation of Washington Street UMC praises and serves God from the heart of the city in ways which reach our neighbors near and far. We welcome all who seek the love and mercy of Christ regardless of race, creed, age, gender, national origin, sexual orientation, gender identity, or economic status. We honor traditions as rooted in our history, our expression of worship, and our respect for theological curiosity. We nonetheless see vital change and ongoing renewal as essential for spiritual growth."

August 13, 2017

WASHINGTON STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost
August 13, 2017

9:00 AM - Christ Chapel
11:00 AM - Sanctuary

Liturgical Color: Green symbolizing life and growth in Christ

PRELUDE

(As our worship begins, please silence any electronic devices. Portable hearing devices are available in the Narthex. Please ask an usher for assistance.)

WELCOME, CONCERNS AND CELEBRATIONS

(All visitors are asked to fill out a visitor's card and place it in the offering plate later in the service.)

THE INVITATION

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY (9:00)
RINGING OF THE BELL (11:00)

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP

*THE OPENING PRAYER

(In Unison)

ONE: When we are battered by the storms of life,

ALL: save us, Lord Christ.

ONE: When our hearts are filled with fear,

ALL: Share Your Divine courage with us, we pray.

ONE: When doubt overwhelms us,

ALL: Lord, Christ, strengthen our faith.

ONE: When we call upon Your Name,

ALL: Answer us, Lord Christ, with your peace. Amen.

*HYMN 529

"How Firm a Foundation"

FOUNDATION

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (9:00)

The Apostles' Creed

No. 881

*THE GLORIA PATRI (9:00)

No. 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.

THE SERVICE OF CHRISTIAN BAPTISM (11:00)

pages 39-44

*HYMN 611 (11:00)

"Child of Blessing, Child of Promise"

STUTTGART

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER *(traditional, pg. 895)*

(In Unison)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

THE CHILDREN'S MOMENTS (11:00)

(Children age two through five may leave after the Children's Message for Toddler Time held in the 2's and 3's classroom. New friends to Washington Street are invited to accompany their child on their first visit.)

ANTHEM (11:00)

We Are Singing for the Lord is Our Light

arr. Hal Hopson

Sanctuary Choir and Soloists-Jonathan Jackson, Karly Shorter and Bob Evans

*THE GOSPEL LESSON

Matthew 14:22-33

PROCLAMATION

"TO DOUBT AND TO DARE"

Reverend Parrish

OFFERTORY

Prayer

Leslie Adams

Kendrick Williams

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

*DOXOLOGY

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

No. 95

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

(In Unison)

Accept our thanks and praise, O God, for you generously give to your people. May we become those who not only give generously, but live generously, sharing the bounty of your gifts and grace with all that we meet; through Christ, we pray. Amen.

*HYMN 358

"Dear Lord and Father of Mankind"

REST

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

**Congregation standing. If standing is uncomfortable, please remain seated and continue your participation.*

When our worship ends, our service begins!

This morning we welcome *Cora Leigh Williams* into the Family of God through Christian baptism. *Cora* is the daughter of Chris and Jamie Williams. We rejoice with the Williams family today.